



Jamie Cordial Hall Foundation  
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Dear Jamie,

It's been a year since you left us. My heart has been smashed into a million pieces and I continue to try to figure out how to heal and live life without you here to be with your family. I still don't believe this is real. Each and every day I look for you everywhere I go. I talk to you, I think about calling you and then I remember you are not here and I break down. The grief is so intense and comes on in uncontrollable waves. You just never know when it's going to happen. I am trying hard to get my feet back on solid ground but this has to be life's most difficult test and I pray for all parents who have gone through it.

Each day I get up I think about what I can do for you and then I think there is nothing. But then it hits me and I try to focus on taking care of your kids as I know you would want me to do. I work on your Foundation because I want so bad to keep your memory alive for everyone but especially Chloe and Cody. I try to take care of your Mom, brothers and their wives, and the rest of our family because I know how important we all were to you. But finally and most importantly I pray for you and Tom, Chloe and Cody. I pray often and I pray hard. Sometimes I feel like I pray all day and I know that you would want me to because of your love for them. I pray for all of us too, your extended family and circle of friends that have such big holes in their hearts without you. We are all struggling.

Some days are so long and hard to get through. All the sleepless nights are very long and hard to get through. I remember so many memories of you from the day you were born. One of the most difficult things I have ever done in my life was your Eulogy. It was surreal. I was numb and so sad but I needed to do it. I needed to share with everyone my love for you. But one thing that I said that so many people have remembered was that you grew up and became such a special young lady. Your big heart and bright smile just took over. You were God's gift to so many people. So many that I didn't realize until you left us. At some point my name was changed to "Jamie's Dad" and when I was asked if I was "Jamie's Dad" I was always so proud to say yes. Now I am still asked and am still so proud of you. I find myself introducing myself as "Jamie's Dad". I will always be your dad and so proud of you and until my last breath I will be doing all I can for you.

I don't know what the next year will bring but I do know that I will still be missing you and loving you with all of my heart. I pray that you are resting in peace and knowing we are here to try to take good care of Chloe and Cody. No one will ever replace you and I will never forget you. God Bless your soul.

Jamie's Dad

