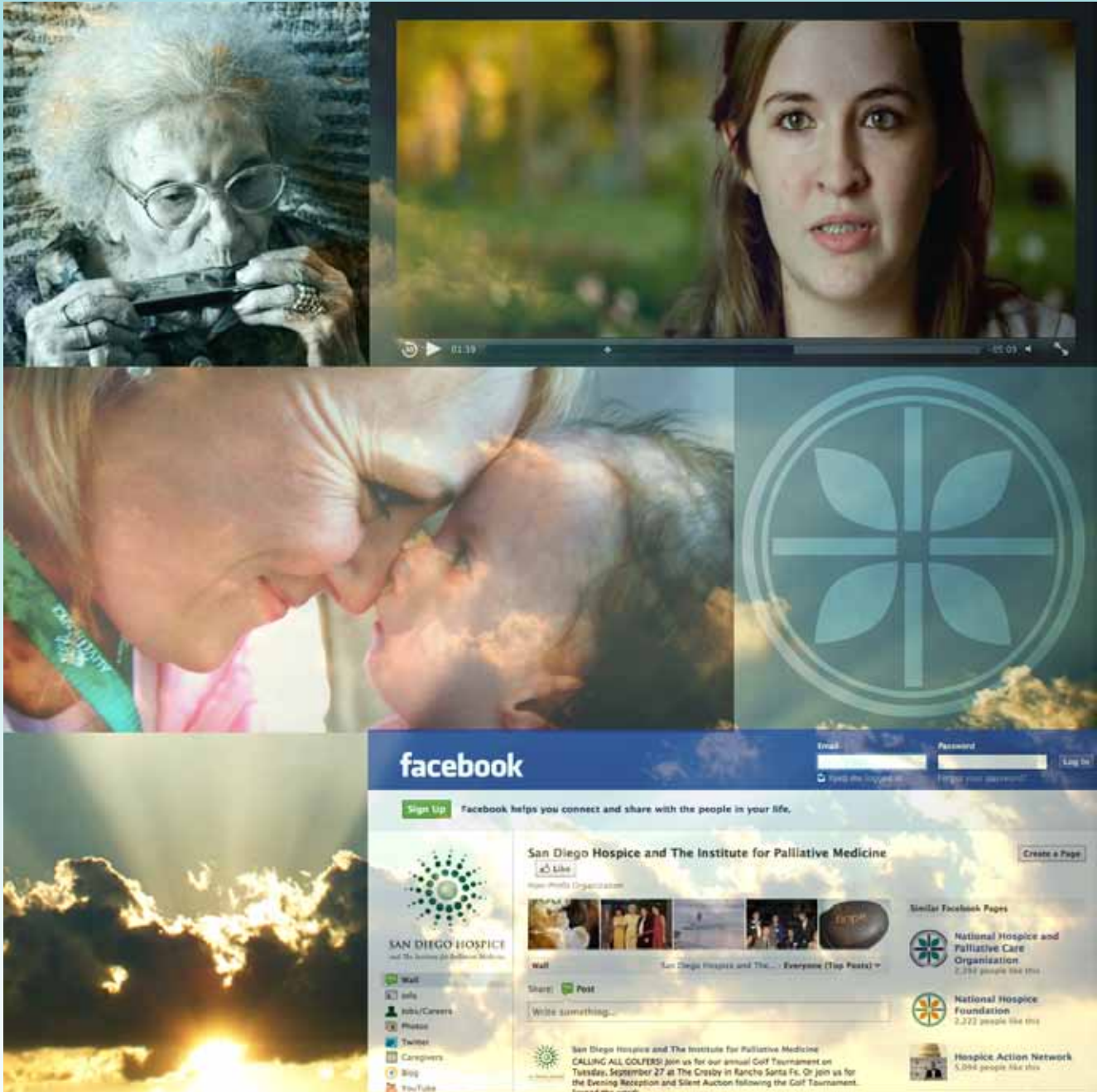


Creative Arts Contest



NHPCO is proud to showcase the winning entries from the 2011 Creative Arts Contest, which include exemplary photography, organizational Facebook pages and social media videos. A true testament to the talent and creativity of so many members around the country.

National Hospice and Palliative Care
Organization





Faces of Hospice

Jared Porter, Alive Hospice, Nashville, TN



Life's Pleasures 2

Debra Thurston, Safe Harbor Hospice, Fredericktown, MO



Hope

Corey Warner, Safe Harbor Hospice, Fredericktown, MO

The First-Place Winners on Their Work

Faces of Hospice

“Many people don’t think about children needing hospice care. When they do, most are likely struck by the sadness of the situation. This photograph shows that children, too, benefit from hospice, but it also says...that there are moments of joy. It shows the special bond that develops between nurse, patient and family... Though it can be difficult to think of a child in hospice care, this photo conveys another impression: Thank goodness it’s there.”

Life’s Pleasures 2

“Jewell is 111 years old and throughout her life she has loved music. She played in a 12-piece orchestra for 16 years and knows how to play many instruments. The harmonica is the only instrument she can still play and she loves to be able to do that.... Capturing what brings her pleasure is a great way to show what hospice and palliative care is about: Being able to live life and enjoy what time we have left.”

Hope

“While used a lot these days, the word “hope” is the most poetic form of optimism. The setting sun was probably the origin of the human feeling that “hope” has come to identify. Early man, not yet familiar with the movements of heavenly bodies, must have been clinging to hope every time the bright, giver of life sank into the earth; hope that it would return again. The hope for a rising sun is not unlike the hope for peaceful ending.”



Second Place:

Morning Greeting

Beverly Crowl, Delaware Hospice, Wilmington, DE

Honorable Mention:

In This Together

Jason Meyer, Palliative CareCenter & Hospice of Catawba Valley, Newton, NC



Honorable Mention:

Hope Fills the Sky

Jenni Williams, Haven Hospice, Gainesville, FL



Second Place:

I am Hospice and Palliative Care

Daphne Massaro,
Senior Independence Hospice, Columbus, OH



Honorable Mention:

Louise Takes Off

Dani Martin, Hospice and Palliative Care of
Western Colorado, Grand Junction, CO



Honorable Mention:

Reminiscing

Kenneth K. Patrick,
Blue Ridge Hospice, Winchester, VA



Honorable Mention:

We Honor Veterans

Les Wilkes,
Hospice Savannah, Inc., Savannah, GA



Second Place:

Sit With Me

Jason Meyer, Palliative CareCenter & Hospice of Catawba Valley, Newton, NC

Honorable Mention:

And the Dawn Brings Hope

Amy Eklund,
Hospice at Home, St. Joseph, MI



Honorable Mention:

Hope, Remix

Dayna Wood, Visiting Nurse Service of New York
Hospice Care, Brooklyn, NY



Organizational Facebook Pages



First Place:

San Diego Hospice and The Institute of Palliative Medicine, San Diego, CA
<https://www.facebook.com/SanDiegoHospice>



Second Place:

Hospice of the Valley, San Jose, CA
<https://www.facebook.com/hospicevalley>



Honorable Mention:

Hospice Care of South Carolina, Spartanburg, SC
<https://www.facebook.com/pages/Hospice-Care-of-South-Carolina/125155851129>

Honorable Mention:

Rainbow Hospice and Palliative Care, Hoffman Estates, IL
<https://www.facebook.com/Hospicefan>



First Place:

*Grief through the Eyes
of a Child*

Hospice and Palliative Care of Western
Colorado, Grand Junction, CO
[https://www.hospicewco.com/i4a/pages/
index.cfm?pageID=3286](https://www.hospicewco.com/i4a/pages/index.cfm?pageID=3286)



Second Place:

Adrian's Story

Treasure Coast Hospice, Stuart, FL
[http://www.youtube.com/
watch?v=CVNpDf2wBEY](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CVNpDf2wBEY)



Honorable Mention:

Caroline

Alive Hospice, Nashville, TN
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SuIxgrY93W0>



Honorable Mention:

Pawsitive Pals

San Diego Hospice and The Institute of
Palliative Medicine, San Diego, CA
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=O8p4vFM0xRo>