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SHARE of Idaho Plans Walk to Remember Children

BOISE – Families who have experienced the loss of a pregnancy or newborn child are invited to attend the annual SHARE of Idaho Walk to Remember.

This year's walk will start at 6:30 p.m., Thursday, Oct. 30 at Capitol Park, 601 Jefferson St. Families will gather at the park and pass a candle as they say their children's names. Families will then walk to St. Luke's Boise Medical Center's Anderson Center for a short program reception in the 5th floor Ada Room.

Staff at St. Luke's is also putting together a DVD for an Evening of Memories event on Dec. 2. Parents who would like to have a photo of their child included on the DVD can bring a photo to the walk, or mail a photo to Patti Green, NICU SW, St. Luke's Children's Hospital, 190 E. Bannock, Boise, ID 83712. Photos can also be e-mailed to greenp@slrmc.org by Nov. 3.

SHARE of Idaho was started in July 1986 as a self-help support group for parents who have experienced early pregnancy loss, stillbirth or newborn death.

The non-profit organization provides free support for parents. SHARE holds meetings once a month to allow grieving parent to share with others who have experienced a similar loss. All meetings are facilitated by parents who have personally experienced a loss.

Meetings are held at 7:30 p.m. on the third Monday of each month at the St. Luke's Women's Life building near the main hospital at 103 W. State St.

For more information about SHARE of Idaho visit www.shareofidaho.org or call 388-8834.

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Assignment editors/Reporters: *Media is welcome to cover the event.*