

Charlie Lustman  
Musical HOPE Campaign

Charlie,

I wanted to thank you for your time in coming to the James Graham Brown Cancer Center and bringing you message of hope to our patients. Our annual Survivor's Day event held on May 3<sup>rd</sup> was the largest and most successful in the event's history. As you know we had more than 1,000 people in attendance including current patients, cancer survivors, doctors, nurses and staff. All converging to support one another and to show the world that there is life with and after a cancer diagnosis.

The Musical HOPE campaign is truly an inspiration to all who hear and understand the message. The patients and staff in our inpatient unit were uplifted to hear your words of encouragement and support. Often the inpatient units are not included in our annual event and it was nice to bring them into the spot light. Everyone was touched by your story and your ability to communicate it through the universal language of music.

On behalf of our patients and the staff of the James Graham Brown Cancer Center, I wish to offer you our thanks for your efforts to support all cancer patients in their fight against this disease. As a survivor yourself you truly have a grasp of the gravity of this disease and how it transforms people's lives. With support of people like you, we will eventually be able to conquer cancer.

We wish to thank Ziopharm for their support of your Musical HOPE campaign. It is great to see that we have corporate sponsors willing to support the fight against cancer and to support the needs of cancer patients.

We hope to have you back next year!

Sincerely,



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