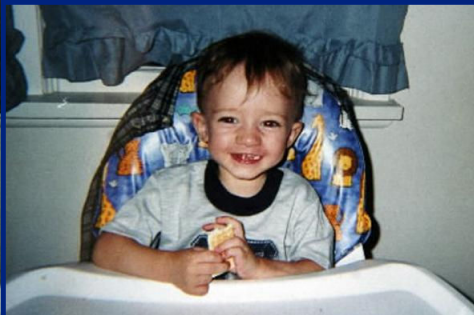


THE CHANDLER GRAFNER TRIBUTE FUND



Chandler Grafner,
photographed at age 2.

Chandler Grafner died of starvation and dehydration (age 7) on May 8, 2007 while in the care of his mom's former boyfriend and his new girlfriend, both of whom have been charged with first-degree murder. He weighed only 34 pounds when he died, according to the autopsy. Authorities allege that Chandler spent the last weeks of his life locked in a closet without food or water.

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**WE NEVER
FORGET**
that behind every
statistic is a real
person who needs
our help.



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The Kempe Foundation's, Chandler Grafner Tribute Fund, is a fund that was established to provide for basic, unmet needs of abused and neglected children and their families treated at Kempe. It is a tribute to Chandler Grafner, a seven year old victim of child abuse who passed away in 2007.

WHAT

Many families of children treated at The Kempe Center do not have the resources to pay for basic needs such as:

- Rent
- Utilities
- Groceries
- Household items
- Clothing
- Transportation

WHY

Many families also need assistance with health needs for their children/foster children:

- Dental care
- Eye glasses
- Vitamins
- Special dietary needs
- Developmental toys
- Safety products

In addition to basic health needs, many activities for children that are necessary to the healthy development of a child, require fees and equipment for participation:

- Admission fees to educational and cultural organizations, e.g., zoo, aquarium, theatres
- Athletic team fees
- Uniforms and athletic shoes
- Tricycles, bicycles and training wheels
- Safety equipment such as bike helmets and pads

WHERE YOUR MONEY GOES

Uses of these funds in the past include:

- Portion of the rent deposit for affordable housing. A mother was able to pay \$620.00 on her own toward the deposit, and just needed a bit more assistance to make the full deposit for shelter.
- A fuel pump to repair a car for one of the Kempe Preschool families.
- Fees for a Kempe child to participate in after-school, extra curricular activities.
- Purchase of bus passes and text books for a single father of two, who was going back to school to better his family.

GIVE

What your gift means to a family served by Kempe:

- \$25 - Assists a family with a basic household expense.
- \$50 - Helps a family with fuel expenses to travel to Kempe for treatment or counseling.
- \$100 - Provides groceries for a family for a week.
- \$250 - Supports a family with an unexpected expense such as car repairs or medical bills.