## CALEB'S

Chinese Auction, Light Refreshments, Drinks and Activities for the Whole Family!



Caleb Daniel Munn was born on September 18, 2014 with Biliary Atresia, a rare liver disorder that affects only infants. Due to inflamed or blocked bile ducts, the bile becomes backed up in the liver where it destroys liver cells and causes cirrhosis. This precious little boy and his family NEED YOUR HELP. Although a Kasai procedure was performed in January, it does not appear to have been successful. Therefore, Caleb will be placed on a liver transplant list in hopes of a transplant by late spring/early summer. The surgery and continued follow up will take place at Montefiore Medical Center in the Bronx. Undoubtedly, there will be extensive medical and travel costs associated with the transplant.

Surgery is scheduled March 18th 1

"Praise the Lord, my soul, and forget not all his benefits—who forgives all your sins and heals all your diseases, who redeems your life from the pit and crowns you with love and compassion" Psalm 103:2-4

## Please come out and support the Munn Family SUNDAY, APRIL 12 - 2PM - 5PM

EVANGEL ASSEMBLY OF GOD 8180 GREINER RD. IN CLARENCE, NY 14221

\$15 PRE-SALE TICKETS (INCLUDES 10 TIER 1 TICKETS)

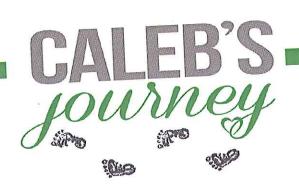
KIDS UNDER 10 FREE

Monetary donations gratefully accepted at: youcaring.com Under: Help Caleb's Fight Against Biliary Atresia OR 304002



Thank you for your support!

Please call Jodi Miller at 716.861.7788 or Heather Mattiuzzo at 716.280.9808 for tickets or more information



Dear Friend,

Caleb Daniel Munn was born on September 18, 2014. Shortly after birth, Caleb became jaundice. Although Caleb's bilirubin blood levels were elevated, he was discharged from the hospital as this can be a common occurrence in newborns. After several weeks and numerous comments from friends and family on how "yellow" Caleb looked, his mom, Brittany, pushed the doctors for further testing. The results of these tests were something we could never have expected. Caleb was diagnosed with Biliary Atresia.

Biliary Atresia is a disease of the bile ducts that affects only infants. In biliary atresia, the bile ducts become inflamed and blocked soon after birth. This causes bile to remain in the liver, where it starts to destroy liver cells rapidly and cause cirrhosis, or scarring of the liver. This can lead to liver failure if not treated.

On January 15th, Caleb received a life-saving surgery called the Kasai procedure. This surgery removes the problematic bile ducts and attaches the small intestine to the liver to allow direct drainage of the bile.

Unfortunately, this procedure has a higher success rate when performed before two months of age. Caleb was four months old at the time of this surgery, and it appears that it was not successful due to irreversible damage to his liver. At his last appointment, the doctors informed the family that Caleb will need a liver transplant in the near future.

That is the purpose of my letter to you today. We will be having a Chinese Auction Event on Sunday, April 12, 2015, to raise funds to help reduce the family's costs towards a liver transplant for Caleb. This Chinese Auction could not be made possible without merchandise and services generously donated through local businesses like yours. We expect over 200 parents, friends, and community members to attend. Please consider making a donation. Your business will be providing valuable support and in turn, will receive widespread visibility through recognition and credit of your donation.

If you are able to make a donation, please mail or email the attached Donor Form by April 1, 2015.

If you have any questions, please contact me at <a href="https://hymattiuzzo@gmail.com">hvmattiuzzo@gmail.com</a> or (716) 280-9808. We thank you in advance for your support for Caleb Munn!

Cordially,

Heather Mattiuzzo

"Aunt Heather" To Caleb Daniel Munn

P.S. – Donated goods or services in any price range are welcome.



## Chinese Auction & Donation Form



All proceeds go towards medical costs for Caleb Munn and his fight against Biliary Atresia.

Our Chinese auction will be held Sunday, April 12, 2015, and we will raffle off all donations at this time. We will be glad to mention your individual or company name with each donation.

\*Basket ideas may include: gift certificates and themed baskets such as; fun in the sun, hair care, garden, coffee, grilling time ... be creative!\*

Name:		
Address:		
Phone #:		
Item(s) or basket description:		
AND / OR		
Monetary Donation: \$		
Please make checks payable to "B	rian and Brittany Munn"	
Donations may be mailed to:		
Caleb's Journey c/o Jodi Miller 9374 Pinyon Court Clarence Center, NY 14032		

Contact us and we will be glad to pick up your donation!

Email: jodilmiller@roadrunner.com

Phone: 716.861.7788

Please complete and return this form as soon as possible