

● ● ● | Testimonials

We have never been ones to reach out for help. My wife and I thought we could do it alone and work through it together privately, but without The Sadie Rose Foundation, we wouldn't have been able to move forward with our grief.

~ Cameron

The Remembrance Walk was the first thing we all did as a family (and friends) in honor of Camden. Though that day was filled with tears, sorrow, and a new experience with our grief, Sadie Rose Foundation provided a loving environment where it was "okay to cry" because we realized we were not alone. Ultimately Sadie Rose Foundation has helped us heal in a positive way.

~ Elly

Our family has participated in many of the Sadie Rose Foundation gatherings. It helps us not only keep the memory of our children alive, but gives an opportunity to reach out and share with others who've gone through the loss of a child. Fellowshiping with others reminds you that you're not alone in your grief.

~ Naomi

Our first meeting at the SRF was just 17 days after our son's death. It was so very hard and yet somehow so comforting to be able to go somewhere and talk freely about our pain with people who understood our pain. Within a few months, we started taking our children. It has benefited them so much too, to have other kids who understand. To know they aren't alone, either, has really helped them...We are more than just a support group, we are a family.

~ Denise

● ● ● | Our Beginnings

Lee and Regina Harlow formed the Sadie Rose Foundation in memory of their daughter, Sadie Rose, who was born, lived, and died June 20, 2007.



As they struggled to move forward in grief, the Harlows knew they wanted to reach out to others who had experienced the death of a child. The couple started the Sadie Rose Foundation in 2008. Regina, now a licensed minister in the Church of the Brethren, serves as the foundation's full-time executive director.

Regardless of how long ago or recent your loss, we welcome you as strangers no longer, but as fellow bereaved families coping shoulder-to-shoulder in a life we never imagined for ourselves.

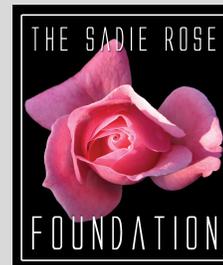
—Lee and Regina Harlow

The Sadie Rose Foundation is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization that provides support to families that have experienced the death of a child, including through pregnancy loss and miscarriage.

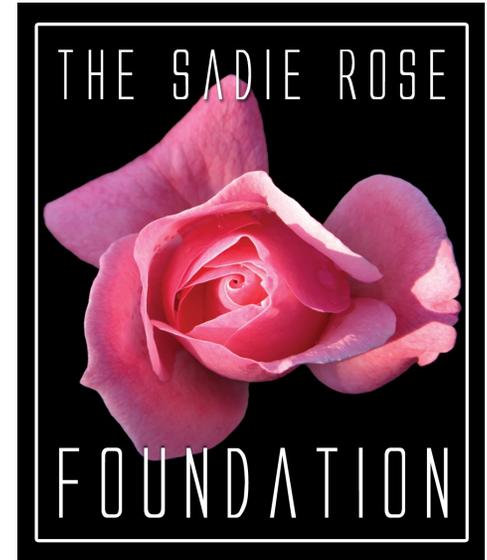
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and Pregnancy Loss*



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- * Support group meetings
- * Internet community and website
- * One-on-one lay counseling
- * Remembrance events

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● ● ● | **Additional Support**

Individual or Family Appointments

By appointment at our office

Alternative Forms of Outreach

Understanding that individuals express grief in different ways, SRF communicates with bereaved via Facebook, email, and texting.

SRF Website and Facebook page

Our online “hubs” offer opportunities to connect to others with similar stories of loss, as well as online resources, an updated calendar of events, and contact information.

Newsletter

A monthly newsletter contains articles, remembrances, poems, quotations and events related to child loss. For bereaved without Internet access or who prefer print communication, this publication helps keep them in touch.

Bereavement Packets

Initial outreach includes mailing or delivering a packet of helpful grief resources and SRF information.

Baby Naming Ceremony

For those who have experienced miscarriage/pregnancy loss.

● ● ● | **Support Groups**

Weekly Online Support Chat

Every Sunday night at 9 p.m. EST.

Miscarriage Support Meeting

*Held the first Thursday of the month,
6:30 p.m. Adults only.*

Bereaved Parent Support Meeting

*Held the second Monday of the month,
7 p.m. Adults only.*

Bereaved Family Support Meeting

*Held the fourth Friday of the month
(except in December), 7 p.m. Children
are welcome. Childcare provided.*

Informal Coffee

*Held the second Thursday of the month,
10 a.m. – noon.*

Visit our website or contact our office for support group locations, as well as additional events and fundraisers. All services and support are offered free of charge. Donations are appreciated. The Sadie Rose Foundation is a 501c3 nonprofit organization and all donations are tax deductible.

● ● ● | **Special Events**

Memorial Picnic and Balloon Release

This event takes the place of our June family support group meeting.



Sadie Rose Foundation 5K Run and Walk

This June fundraiser in Dayton raises awareness about our cause and the foundation. Participants are invited to run or walk in memory of a child.

Remembrance Walk

This walk is held in October, in conjunction with the National Pregnancy and Infant Loss Awareness Month.

Thanksgiving Meal

Our November Friday evening meeting, includes a carry-in meal and fellowship.

Candlelight Ceremony

On the second Sunday in December, we host a remembrance ceremony in conjunction with The Compassionate Friends' Worldwide Candlelight Ceremony.