

## **IMPACT REPORT**

PRESENTED BY MARY BIRD PERKINS - OUR LADY OF THE LAKE CANCER CENTER & CANCER SERVICES







## THANK YOU FOR BEING AN INCREDIBLE PARTNER.

The fight against cancer is a shared endeavor that only works when a community comes together - friends and neighbors partnering to expand possibilities. Your support is helping to transform cancer care by furthering the Cancer Center's best-practices, comprehensive treatments through every step of the patient's cancer journey, including disease site-specific multidisciplinary care teams, a robust clinical research program, and extensive supportive care services.

Thank you for being an incredible partner in improving survivorship and lessening the burden of cancer.

**YOUR IMPACT IN ACTION IN 2018** 





15.2%

OF PARTICIPANTS WERE NAVIGATED TO FURTHER

TREATMENT AFTER INITIAL

SCREENING



11 EDUCATION EVENTS



## YOUR FUNDS IN ACTION

Your support helps patients like Donald receive transformative cancer care.

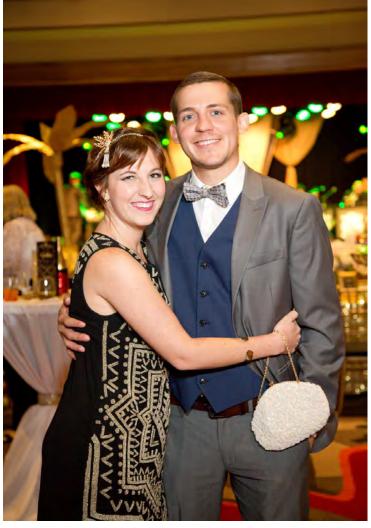
Twenty-six year old Donald Hartung and his wife Jennifer, missionaries from Addis, La., said they were sharing the good news of Jesus in Cambodia when he started experiencing some discomfort. He was diagnosed with stage IIIC testicular cancer that had metastasized (spread) to his lungs, abdominal lymph nodes and brain. In spite of such an advanced diagnosis, Donald continued to work and minister throughout treatment. His life did not stop and restart, but rather he adjusted to the circumstances.

Donald has now completed all of his recommended treatments, including chemotherapy, and all of his scans now appear clear with no evidence of disease, meaning no cancer in sight. He and his wife have since continued their ministry at their home church and are now looking forward to a future with children and embarking on their next mission adventure in the years to come.

Your support is invalueable and impacts so many patients and families affected by cancer. We are so gratful for your continued support!







DONALD AND HIS WIFE JENNIFER ENJOYING THE GALA