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St. Jude patient Katie,  
at age 11, brain cancer

# Meet Katie

Last year, after Katie's parents learned she suffered from a type of brain cancer called medulloblastoma, they jumped online to research the best places for her care. St. Jude Children's Research Hospital® popped up at the top of every search. St. Jude is one of the few pediatric hospitals in the nation that offers proton therapy, which provides the benefits of traditional radiation with fewer side effects. "We thought, 'Let's go to people who know children, who know brain cancer,'" says Katie's dad. Families never receive a bill from St. Jude for treatment, travel, housing or food – because all a family should worry about is helping their child live. Katie's treatment at St. Jude included proton therapy and chemotherapy. Katie is an affectionate and bubbly girl who wants to be an historian. Abraham Lincoln is her hero, and she loves learning about the Civil Rights movement.



St. Jude patient Katie

# About St. Jude

- Families never receive a bill from St. Jude for treatment, travel, housing or food – because all a family should worry about is helping their child live.
- Treatments invented at St. Jude have helped push the overall childhood cancer survival rate from 20 percent to more than 80 percent since it opened more than 50 years ago. St. Jude is working to drive the overall survival rate for childhood cancer to 90 percent, and we won't stop until no child dies from cancer.
- St. Jude freely shares the breakthroughs it makes, and every child saved at St. Jude means doctors and scientists worldwide can use that knowledge to save thousands more children.

