



Pinon Family Practice

Fourth Annual Holiday Community Service Event - 2020

This Christmas season we invite you to join us in our **Fourth Annual Holiday Community Service Event**, benefiting a family in need.

Pinon Family Practice and our amazing staff, patients, business associates and local businesses will be sponsoring the family of one of our long-time Pinon family members, Malia Spencer. Malia, her husband Scott and their three children left the bay area of CA in 2006 and relocated to CO. Malia has been a member of our Pinon family since 2012. She comes from a small family back home and has always been very close to her cousin, Gina. Gina is the only child of Malia's aunt Bonnie, age 74. Gina is 39 years old and has always been like a "little sister" to Malia.

Gina Skinner was originally diagnosed with cancer in 2018. She underwent treatment after having her 6th child in early 2019. In January of 2020, tests indicated she was cancer free, however, in June 2020, she found out the cancer returned. The cancer has now metastasized to her bone, lungs and now brain. Gina began treatments in August, however, her recent diagnosis determined that surgery is now warranted. As a result, it is anticipated that the needed care and treatment will place a major financial burden on the family.

Gina worked as a registered nurse before staying home to care for her six beautiful children, now ages 18 months - 14 years old. Craig, Gina's husband continues to work while Bonnie and her sister Lorraine, age 76 care for Gina and the six children.

Please follow the attached link to read more about the family and Gina's journey. We are asking our Pinon family and community to consider donating any amount to this beautiful family and show love and support from Colorado!

<https://www.freefunder.com/campaign/skinner-family-fund>

Just as much as we appreciate you for trusting us as your healthcare Providers, we cannot even begin to express our gratitude for joining us in this amazing event.

May your Holidays be merry and bright!
Pinon Family Practice, Providers and staff and the Skinner Family

"Christmas is a holiday that we celebrate not as individuals, nor as a nation, but as a human family" - Ronald Regan

