



angel TREE MISSION



The Morris Family

Battling: 57-year-old, Marlin

For the Morris Clan it seems like the old adage, “When it rain, it pours”. October 2017, Marlin went to the doctor to find out what had been ailing him only to discover that he not only had colon cancer but that it had already metastasized to his liver and lungs.

However, heavy news like that couldn't keep the Morris family down and he immediately started chemotherapy. Because of the strain, work had to take a little break while the family got Marlin's health figured out, therefore, the family felt like they needed to scale back on Christmas. Last year, Sadie and Marlin had to make the decision to get their three children, Brittany, Aaron and adopted daughter, Cheyenne, only one present each.

Chemotherapy continued and was going well until Marlin's colon ruptured. Now he's fighting infections caused by complications. Last month, things got even worse; his CT scan revealed a new tumor on his lungs.

Marlin and Sadie hoped that things would be different this Christmas, but the complications have pushed Marlin to take stronger treatments in hopes of reducing this tumor and stopping his aggressive cancer from spreading any further.

Still, through all this, they haven't given up. The family is active in colon cancer awareness and helps spread awareness as much as possible. They have asked for assistance with food and bills, but we want to do more. Let's give their family a Christmas they can remember!

This year we join to help this family have a wonderful Christmas!