



angel TREE MISSION



The Moore Family

Battling: 11-year-old, Journie

Journie and her one-year-old brother Chosen are raised by their single Mom, Sierra.

October 2019, a week before her birthday, Journie had a fall in their home bathroom. Expecting that she broke something, she was taken to the hospital and received an x-ray where they found a tumor in her leg. Unexpectedly, the doctors diagnosed her with bone cancer in her femur. Journie's cancer fight is just beginning.

For Journie's first chemo, she was admitted at Texas Children's Hospital, where she received treatment inpatient for three days. She is now scheduled to have four weeks of chemo where she will have to go to the hospital once a week. She will be going for an IV treatment every week, even through the holidays. After the 4-week series of treatments, Journie will have surgery to reconstruct her leg by removing the diseased femur bone and replacing it with her fibula bone.

This news is quite difficult for Journie because she can no longer participate in the activities she loves to do. Sierra has been a single working mom for quite some time, even working through her pregnancy with Chosen and immediately after. She then decided to go back to school to advance her skills on a fast track program for Nursing before some of the credits she had expired. Unfortunately, for now, Sierra has had to put off school to care for Journie. She has done her best to care for her children and set goals to give them a good life, but due to the circumstances, living expenses are a struggle to maintain, let alone to celebrate the upcoming Christmas holidays.

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