A Lyons Wish

"Imagine being on top of the world, and in a period of seven days you are forced to see the frailty, the unfairness and the wonder of life. I decided to use my name and my God-given talent to make a difference in the lives of terminally-ill children." ~Marty Lyons

Within one week in March 1982, Marty Lyons, a defensive lineman for the New York Jets for 12 years, was faced with three life-altering challenges: as a son-the death of his father; as a Big Brother-the loss of Keith to Leukemia and, as a father-the birth of his first son.

True to his words, and with the encouragment and support of family and friends, in December of 1982 Marty established a foundation dedicated to granting wishes to children (ages 3 to 17) with a life-threatening or terminal illness. The philosophy behind his mission was that by promoting hope and inspiration in a sick child, they will find the courage and strength to fight their illness. What was perceived as impossible could become possible!

In 40 years, The Marty Lyons Foundation has granted over 8,100 wishes through their wish programs, and are unique in that they will consider a second wish for children who are experiencing further complications due to their illnesses. We are proud to have 10 chapters covering 13 states.

Denis S. Barry was a man with a most generous heart.

For more than ten years, he was a devoted volunteer with the Marty Lyons Foundation, serving as a member of their Board of Directors. Denis gave of himself in a most unselfish way. Of the many life lessons he taught those around him, perhaps the most important one was suggesting we make room in our lives to help others who are less fortunate.

When Denis passed away in December of 2004, his family and friends vowed to keep his name alive by founding the Denis S. Barry Foundation.

The Denis S. Barry Foundation, Inc. supports families who need financial assistance in order to provide a proper burial for a child who has died as a result of their illness. The Foundation partners exclusively with the Marty Lyons Foundation to help wish families in their time of need.

RSVP BY FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7TH, 2022

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Email: jrg726@yahoo.com or emayer@martylyonsfoundation.org - Tel: 631.827.5198 Name: __ Company: Address: City: ______ State: ____ Zip Code: Fax# Tel# Email: **GOLF SPONSORSHIPS** \$1,500 Foursome (Includes Dinner) \$5,000 Dinner Sponsor Foursome Players (Includes | Foursome, Banner Acknowledgement & Tee Sign) \$2,000 Cocktail Hour Sponsor 3) \$1,500 Lunch Sponsor \$1,000 Breakfast Sponsor \$375 Individual Golfer (Includes Dinner) \$1,000 Golf Cart Sponsor \$550 Driving Range Sponsor DINNER \$500 Putting Green Sponsor \$175 Cocktail Hour and Dinner \$300 Longest Drive Sponsor # of Dinner Guests \$300 Straightest Drive Sponsor I am unable to attend but wish to contribute \$300 Closest to the Pin Sponsor a 100% tax deductible donation of \$ \$150 Tee Sign METHOD OF PAYMENT DUE AT TIME OF REGISTRATION Enclosed is \$ \square AMEX \square Discover \square MasterCard \square Visa ☐ Check (Payable to The Marty Lyons Foundation) Credit Card Number:_____ Exp. Date: Signature: