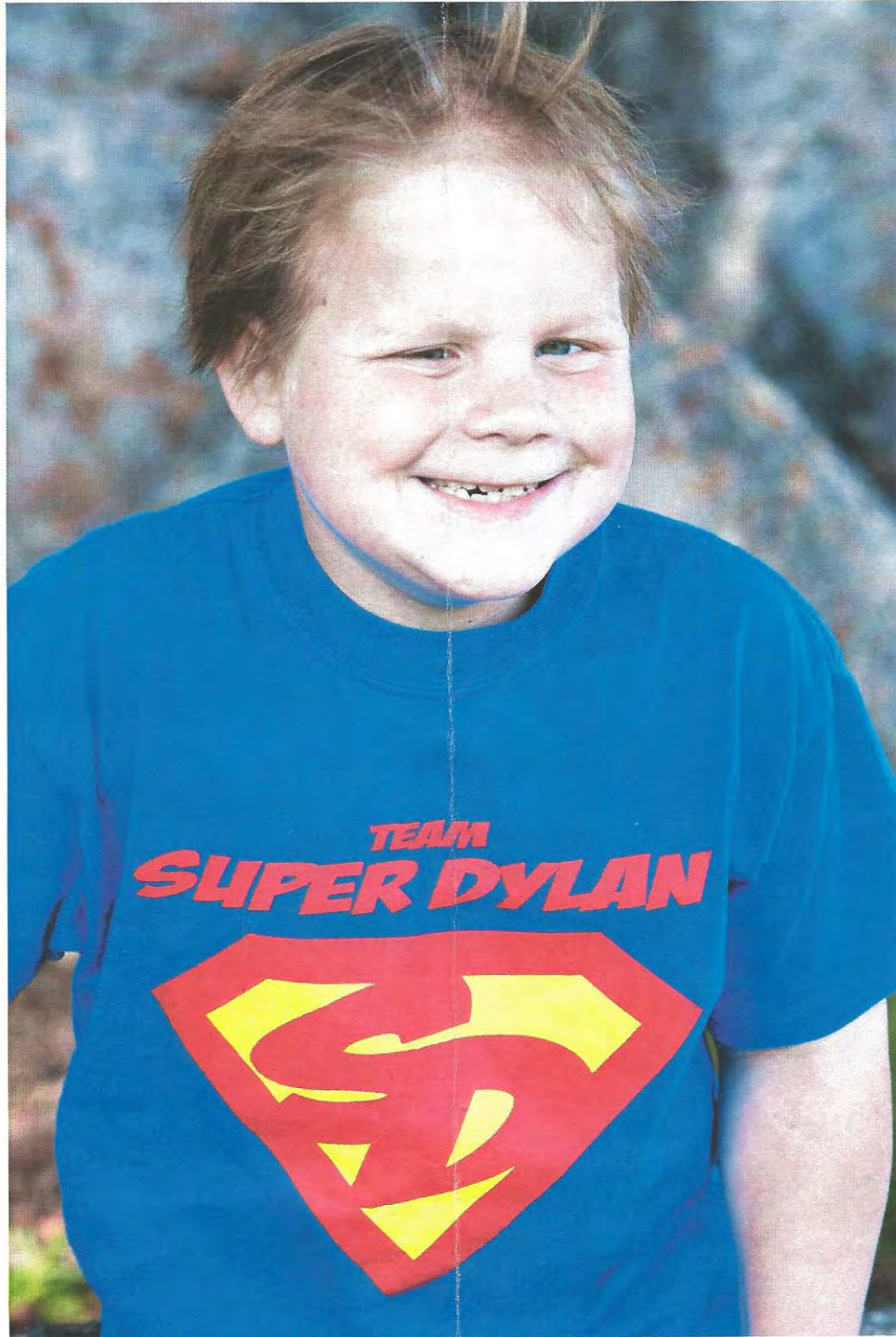


A Celebration of the Life of  
**Dylan Burgess David**

May 26, 2002 to May 22, 2013



Bel Air Presbyterian Church

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Dylan David

Saturday, June 1, 2013 2:00 PM

Prelude: Slide Show

Welcome & Opening Prayer:

Rev. Dave Carpenter

Christian Scripture Reading: 1 John 3:1-3, 11 (*The Message*)

Eric Close

*What marvelous love the Father has extended to us! Just look at it—we're called children of God! That's who we really are. But that's also why the world doesn't recognize us or take us seriously, because it has no idea who he is or what he's up to. But friends, that's exactly who we are: children of God. And that's only the beginning. Who knows how we'll end up! What we know is that when Christ is openly revealed, we'll see him—and in seeing him, become like him. All of us who look forward to his Coming stay ready, with the glistening purity of Jesus' life as a model for our own. For this is the original message we heard: We should love each other.*

Tribute: *Dylan Can*

Kathy Riley, Director of We Can,  
a pediatric brain tumor support group

Song: *God Is in Our Hearts*

Kohler/Fryman

Joyful Noise (BPC Children's Choir)

BPCKidz Story Reading: Matthew 19:13-15

BPC former Director of Children's Ministry Rebekah Lowe  
paraphrased for BPCKidz by Eric David

Tribute: *Mrs. Watermelon*

Julie Wasserman, Teacher  
Pacific Palisades Elementary School

Song: *Sweeter*

I. Houghton

BPC Chancel Choir and Band

Metaphysical Poetry Reading: *Death Be Not Proud* by John Donne

Richard Kitzrow

*Death, be not proud, though some have called thee  
Mighty and dreadful, for thou art not so;  
For those whom thou think'st thou dost overthrow  
Die not, poor death, nor yet canst thou kill me.  
From rest and sleep, which but thy pictures be,  
Much pleasure; then from thee much more must flow,  
And soonest our best men with thee do go,  
Rest of their bones, and soul's delivery.  
Thou art slave to fate, chance, kings, and desperate men,  
And dost with poison, war, and sickness dwell,  
And poppy or charms can make us sleep as well  
And better than thy stroke; why swell'st thou then?  
One short sleep past, we wake eternally,  
And death shall be no more, death, thou shalt die.*

Tribute: *The Little Beast*

Sensei Chris Paul

Song: *It Is Well with My Soul*

Spafford/Bliss

Message: "*SuperDylan - a life fully lived*"

Rev. Dr. Roché Vermaak

2 Kings 5:1-14

Tribute to SuperDylan: *Remember Just to Love*

Eric David

Share Your Own Dylan Memories

Moment of Silence

Video Celebration of Dylan's Life

Hebrew Scripture Reading: Isaiah 25:6-9 (VOICE)

Anne Bunney and BPC Chancel Choir

*The Eternal, Commander of heavenly armies, is preparing a feast,  
a feast for everyone on this mystical mountain*

*With aged wine and good food, the finest wine and choicest meat.*

*And God will swallow up the oppression that weighs us down.*

*He will take away the heavy shroud*

*that is draped over all peoples of the world.*

*God will swallow up death forever.*

*The Lord, the Eternal, will wipe away the tears from each and every face*

*And deflect the scorn and shame His people endure from the whole world,  
for the Eternal determined that it should be so.*

*And in that moment, at that glorious time, people will say,*

***Choir and Congregation: This is our God! We put our hope in him.***

***We knew that He would save us!***

***This is our God, the Eternal for whom we waited.***

***Let us rejoice and celebrate in His liberation.***

Closing Prayer: Psalm 23 - A Psalm of David

Dr. Eric Mizrahi

*The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.*

*He maketh me lie down in green pastures; He leadeth me beside the still waters.*

*He restoreth my soul; He guideth me in straight paths for His name's sake.*

*Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for thou art with me;*

*Thy rod and Thy staff, they comfort me.*

*Thou prepares a table before me in the presence of mine enemies;*

*Thou hast anointed my head with oil; my cup runneth over.*

*Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life;*

*And I shall dwell in the house of the LORD forever.*

Closing Song: *The Majesty & Glory of Your Name*

T. Fettke

Benediction

Postlude

*The family invites you to join them for a reception immediately following the service.*



## Leaders in Worship Today

Rev. Dave Carpenter, BPC Pastor  
Rev. Dr. Roché Vermaak, BPC Associate Pastor  
Katheryne Levin, BPC Director of Music & Arts  
Michael Greig, BPC Media Support  
Susan Kohler, Joyful Noise Director  
BPC Band: Bill Blanke, Gere Fennelly, Glenn Longacre,  
Carol Maddon, Brian Prestwich, and Nancy Reeves



The family requests that memorial gifts be made to:



**Dylan David Memorial Fund at the The Morgan-Wixson Theatre,**  
2627 Pico Blvd., Santa Monica, CA 90405.

The Morgan-Wixson is a community theater in Santa Monica where Dylan's big brother, Chandler, has been in dozens of shows geared at kids. They are all high-quality, professional productions. Dylan LOVED going to the shows for kids there and cheering for Chandler. We have asked people to donate to them at [morgan-wixson.org](http://morgan-wixson.org).

**Brentwood Presbyterian Church, designated for the Deacon Congregational Care Fund**

This fund assists individuals and families as they deal with financial difficulties that arise from unexpected unemployment, crisis, sickness, or death.

**Brentwood Presbyterian Church,  
designated for the Joyful Noise Children's Choir**

Dylan was one of our original members of Joyful Noise along with his brother, Chandler. Dylan's beautiful spirit and sweet smile were ever faithful contributions in the repertoire of original songs brought to life by the group. Dylan's voice can be heard on the the Joyful Noise CD "Celebration 2010/11 A Song For Peace."



Thank you!

The David family would like to thank the thousands of friends from around the world who have shown us love and support in countless ways over the past six years (food, supplies, cleaning, clothing, laundry, dog walking, friendship, carpooling, checks and cash, blood/platelet donations and prayers).

We would also like to express our undying gratitude to all the doctors, nurses, volunteers and especially hospice workers in Los Angeles, New York, Boston and Belgium and support groups like WeCan, CoachArt, Ronald McDonald Houses, Make A Wish, and Brentwood and Bel Air Presbyterian Churches.

We have also had numerous assistance from various industry foundations and fundraisers. Last, Eric would like to thank all his employers for their flexibility and humanity in allowing him to deal with this catastrophic and long-term illness while maintaining work, income and benefits.

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