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**CanCare to host a book signing:**  
***From Incurable to Incredible* offers hope to cancer survivors**

**Houston, TX:** At age 45, Tami Boehmer learned she had a recurrence of breast cancer, and this time it was metastatic. Looking for hope and inspiration, Boehmer interviewed outstanding survivors around the country for her new book, *From Incurable to Incredible: Cancer Survivors Who Beat the Odds*. The book features 27 stories of cancer survivors who shocked everyone by overcoming and/or outliving a terminal prognosis.

**Boehmer will appear at a special reception and book signing, Thursday, April 21, 6 to 7:30 p.m. at the United Way of Greater Houston, 50 Waugh Drive, Houston, Texas 77007.** Ten percent of the author's proceeds will go to CanCare, an organization that provides one-on-one support by matching volunteer cancer survivors with cancer patients and their families.

One of the amazing individuals featured in the book, Greg Barnhill, is a Katy resident and CanCare volunteer. In 2001, he was diagnosed with a rare form of ocular melanoma when doctors found a lesion behind his optic nerve. Barnhill received treatment and eventually had his eye removed. While getting a routine scan, doctors discovered lesions in his abdomen. They determined it was mesothelioma, a cancer caused by asbestos exposure and usually found in the lungs.

After radiation, seven surgeries and participation in a clinical trial at the National Cancer Institute, Barnhill was declared cancer-free in 2008. He remains in remission to this day. Barnhill credits his faith for his remarkable recovery, which inspired him to help fellow survivors through CanCare and other volunteer organizations. Greg has been matched to 11 people through his work at CanCare and makes visits at St. Luke's hospital as part of CanCare's hospital visitation program.

"I tell (cancer survivors), 'It's going to be okay. Cancer's not the end of the world; it's beatable. Look at me.' I'm blessed to be able to tell people that."

*From Incurable to Incredible* includes forewords by bestselling author Bernie Siegel and Doug Ulman, CEO and president of LIVESTRONG (which also receives 10 percent of the author's proceeds). The book is available on [MiracleSurvivors.com](http://MiracleSurvivors.com), [Amazon.com](http://Amazon.com), [BarnesandNoble.com](http://BarnesandNoble.com), select book stores and for Kindle.

**About CanCare, Inc.**

CanCare provides one-on-one emotional support to cancer patients and their families from a trained volunteer who has survived a similar type of cancer. CanCare volunteers help patients cope with a cancer diagnosis, give support during treatment and enable patients and family members to move forward with Hope. Founded in 1990, CanCare now partners with more than 130 corporations, hospitals and congregations of varied faiths. All of our services are confidential and provided without charge. CanCare, Inc. is a 501 (c)(3) nonprofit organization. [www.cancares.org](http://www.cancares.org) or 888-461-0028