



The only non-profit, community-based hospice serving the Roanoke & New River Valleys & Smith Mountain Lake.

It is our mission to affirm life in the midst of illness and grief and, above all, honor what matters most to each person and family served.

***“Working in hospice is a calling
It is walking on sacred ground.”***

Sue Ranson, co-founder of
Good Samaritan Hospice
est. 1992



Good Sam's ***“Let's Talk about Hospice”*** media campaign

2017 Statistics & General Information

- 50,729 patient days
- 32,660 staff visits
- 7,139 total volunteer hours
- 921 referrals ; 698 admissions; average length of stay = 63 days
- Eight-time recipient of the “Oakey’s Hospice Caregiver Award”
- Eight-time recipient of “Our Health” magazine’s Gold Award in the hospice category
- Only certified Music & Memory hospice program in our service area
- Leader in community bereavement programs; active doula, memory catchers & complementary therapy programs