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**NAPA VALLEY HOSPICE & ADULT DAY SERVICES COLLABORATES WITH
AMERICAN MEDICAL RESPONSE ON "SENTIMENTAL JOURNEY" PROGRAM**

June, 2015, Napa, CA – Napa Valley Hospice & Adult Day Services (NVHADS) in collaboration with American Medical Response (AMR) is making dreams come true for hospice patients in Napa County. The program, called "Sentimental Journey," offers patients with serious medical conditions the opportunity to do fulfill a wish and or accomplish a lifetime dream. While this program is new to the Napa Valley, AMR has successfully implemented it in Colorado and

Many kinds of requests have been honored, such as going on a fishing trip with a buddy, to visiting a ballpark for a baseball game.

The program started about two decades ago in Colorado when a patient was being transported to his home for his final days, asked the AMR paramedic if the driver could pull over so he could see the Aspens in their fall colors. The request was honored and the Sentimental Journey program was born.

Napa Valley Hospice & Adult Day Services (www.nvhads.org), a non-profit organization, provides life-affirming care with remarkable compassion during life's most challenging transitions. Celebrating our 36th year, our programs have served more than 10,000 families in the Napa Valley over the past decade alone, and provide an important support service within our community.

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