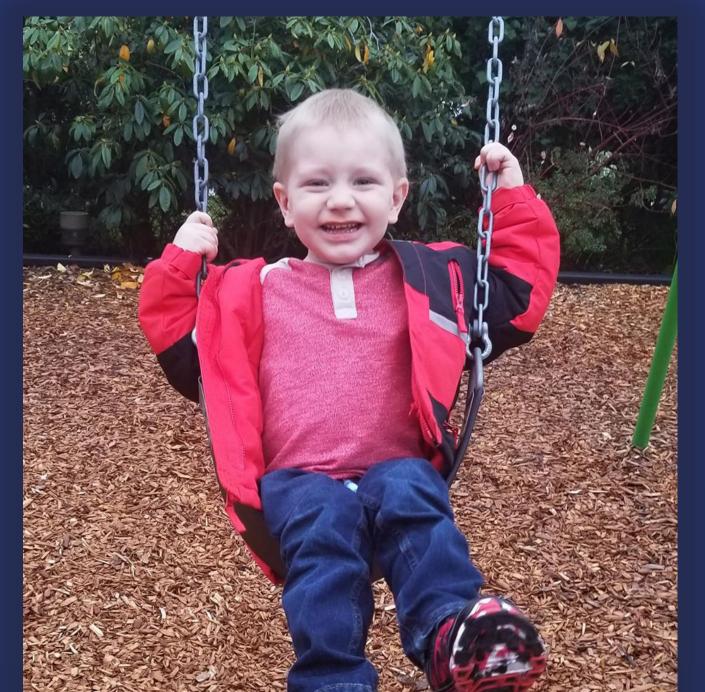


## Forever 4 Years Old Gained his angel wings March 2018









Ax began 7 rounds of chemotherapy. Shortly after we were blessed to be told that he was NED (No Evidence of Disease). Ax continued the entire course of treatment, underwent a bone marrow transplant, months of immunotherapy, and 15 rounds of radiation; before finally completing treatment in Nov of 2016.

His victory was short-lived. March 2017, Axel had relapsed. With less than a 10 % chance of survival, he began treatment again immediately. He endured countless chemo and immunotherapy treatments, plus radiation, to no avail.

For two months I held my breath, I prayed, I knelt on the ground and begged God not to take him, but our last attempt at saving Ax was unsuccessful. Ax was transferred to hospice care in Feb 2018. After a tough 2 1/2-year fight, Axel finally won his battle with cancer when he was granted his angel wings and made his way into the gates of Heaven. He was always happy, even when he had no reason to be. I live inspired by his memory to live as he lived.

## Axel born March 2013. Axel was only 2 ½ years old, he was diagnosed with Stage IV Neuroblastoma. Saying this came as a shock would be an understatement

