

The American Cancer Society: Always at work for those in need!



Your donations are at work 24 hours a day, seven days a week, 365 days a year. *Each day* the American Cancer Society California Division provides services and programs to reduce the impact of cancer in our state.

Between September 2003 and August 2004:

- ▶ **31 research grants were awarded to 13 California institutions totaling \$8,268,000.**
- ▶ **Over 5 million early-detection and prevention contacts containing lifesaving educational messages were made.**
- ▶ **62,013 cancer patients received services through our local programs.**
- ▶ **144,895 Californians called the Society for information and assistance.**
- ▶ **3,486 breast cancer patients were visited by our Reach to Recovery volunteers.**
- ▶ **6,907 cancer patients were transported to treatment by volunteers from our Road to Recovery program.**
- ▶ **10,773 patients and family members were offered additional services and resources through the Call Back program.**
- ▶ **47 childhood cancer patients were awarded college scholarships through the Young Cancer Survivors Scholarship Program.**
- ▶ **1,825 Californians registered as users on the Cancer Survivors Network, via www.cancer.org.**
- ▶ **11,000 Picture A Cure messages were delivered to legislators across the state of California to advocate for cancer-related policy change.**
- ▶ **Through your generosity, California raised over \$54 million last year to support our mission to eliminate cancer as a major health problem.**