

Hello,

My name is Hailee Shell (Hubbard), and I attended one of your assemblies at Valley View High School several years ago. Your presentation has stayed with me ever since.

Six years ago today, I lost my brother, Jaysen, to suicide. I was the one who found him, and that night changed my life forever. The grief, trauma, and healing journey that followed have shaped who I am today.

I remember sitting through your presentation in school and never imagining that one day I would experience a loss like this myself. Since then, your message about suicide awareness and prevention has stuck with me, and I've often thought about the impact it had on students and families.

Over the years, I've realized how important it is to talk openly about suicide, mental health, and the realities of grief. If sharing my story could help even one person feel less alone or encourage someone to ask for help, then I would consider that an honor.

I wanted to reach out to see if there might be any opportunities for me to get involved with your organization, whether that's volunteering, sharing my story at an assembly, or helping in any way I can.

Thank you for the work you do. Your message truly makes a difference, and it has remained with me for years.