**I NEED SUPPORT!**

I recently accepted the challenge to raise funds to support Susan G. Komen Greater Pennsylvania in the fight against breast cancer by taking part in the Pittsburgh Marathon.

One in eight women will be diagnosed with breast cancer in her lifetime and the more we raise, the more Susan G. Komen Greater PA can give back to fund vital breast cancer education, screening and treatment programs in our own community and support of the search for a cure.

Please join me in the fight by donating in support of my participation in the Pittsburgh Marathon on **Sunday. May 5, 2019**. My goal is to raise <$XX,XXX> this year!  Please help me reach that goal with your financial support.

Online donations are simple, made through CrowdRise: <https://www.crowdrise.com/o/en/campaign/susan-g-komen-pittsburgh-pittsburgh-marathon-2019>. The site is secure and no credit card information is stored. All donations are tax-deductible and will be recognized with a thank you letter from Komen Greater PA.

If you would prefer, to mail a donation, *payable to Susan G. Komen Greater PA*:

Susan G. Komen Greater PA

c/o Marathon <PARTICIPANT’S NAME>
1133 South Braddock Avenue
Pittsburgh, PA  15218

Any amount that you can give will help! I truly appreciate your support and will keep you posted on my progress.

Every step counts! Thank you for supporting me and joining the fight against cancer!

***Run for a Reason Charity Program:*** *Susan G. Komen Greater PA is thrilled to partner with P3R Marathon as an official Run for a Reason charity for the 10th year! The Run for a Reason Charity Program strengthens ties between the running community and charities utilizing P3R events as new platforms for fundraising. Since 2009, the Run for a Reason program has helped runners contribute over $12 million dollars to 100+ charities.*

***Susan G. Komen Greater PA:*** *Susan G. Komen is the world's largest breast cancer organization, funding more breast cancer research than any other nonprofit while providing real-time help to those facing the disease. Komen has set a Bold Goal to reduce the current number of breast cancer deaths by 50 percent in the U.S. by 2026. Komen was founded in 1982 by Nancy G. Brinker, who promised her sister, Susan G. Komen, that she would end the disease that claimed Suzy's life. Komen Greater PA is working to better the lives of those facing breast cancer in the local community.*