



National Tay-Sachs & Allied
Diseases Association, Inc.



Topic of the Week

Friday, August 9, 2013

We ourselves feel that what we are doing is just a drop in an ocean. But the ocean would be less because of that missing drop. ~ Mother Teresa



Amelie (UK)



Lena (Poland)

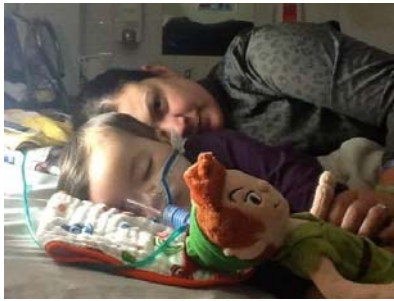
Our International Families...



Meet Ellie. She is 16 months old and lives in the UK with her parents and little brother. She has Tay-Sachs and she and her family are active in raising awareness and spending every day cherishing their time together. Their story was featured this week on *Chronicle Live*. [Click here to read more.](#)



Mustafa (Egypt)



Luca (Italy)



Anthony (Cyprus)



Meet Haylie. She's our beautiful friend in Austria who turned three in May. Haylie has Tay-Sachs. Her mom, Eva, has been an amazing resource to many families across the Atlantic. She founded the group [Hand-in-Hand Gegen Tay-Sachs](#) and has most recently organized the first International Family Conference, which will be held September 28 to October 1st in Mondsee, Austria.

Date & Location

When? 28th September to 2nd October 2013

Where? Mondsee, Austria

Airport? Salzburg (If Salzburg is not possible, you can also land in Munich Airport, but the car drive will then be about 1,5 hours.)

Who? Every affected Family from all over the world is invited to join (also Grandparents and relatives)

support ntsad and
help find a cure and
care for families

International News...



A recent article on *The Nation* online edition addressed plans to create a database for rare lysosomal storage diseases (LSD) in

Thailand. According to the article there are five to ten new cases of LSDs a year. The hope is that a database would help "guide an effective prevention" of these rare



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Pictures of Hope

An International Effort to Raise Awareness in conjunction with the Third Annual Day of Hope!



The "Day of Hope" evolved from the passion of our families to raise money solely for research. By joining together we will not only raise enough to have an impact, we can change the course of these diseases by raising awareness. As a parent myself, I ask everyone to join families, children, adults and communities worldwide and join us as we observe a Day of Hope on September 21, 2013. "

Shari Ungerleider, parent and President of NTSAD's Board of Directors



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