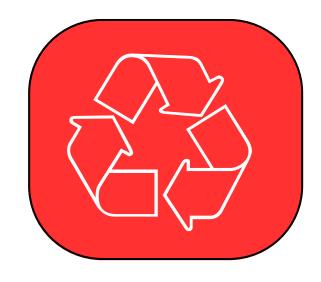




Thank you for participating in Lights of Hope! The materials you ordered are enclosed. Did you know you can reuse your LOH bags from year to year? That's right! Below are some easy tips to reduce event expenses and make your at-home display more eco-friendly. Thanks for helping us raise critical funds, honor loved ones, and be good stewards of the environment and event resources.

We appreciate you!



After the conclusion of Lights of Hope, carefully fold your bags and save them! Next year, when your donors return, you will already have decorated bags for many of the folks they want to honor or remember.



Only decorate with recyclable materials, which usually means no glitter or stickers, so that your bags can eventually be recycled.



Consider asking your local grocer to donate canned goods to be used as bag weights. This way, the cans can be delivered to a food pantry when no longer needed. If you use sand as weight, make sure to save the sand in a reusable bag with your decorated display bags.



Did you know, less than 5% of lithium batteries are recycled each year? Turn off the battery lights after the display and reuse them for next year. Or use solar lights to avoid batteries in landfills!



Remember to post pictures of your display using #LightsOfHope, and share any additional ideas for reducing event expenses and our collective environmental impact!