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**FLORIDA WILBERT, INC. PRESENTS \$10,000 GRANT
TO ORLANDO'S ARNOLD PALMER HOSPITAL**

JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA, MARCH 2009 - The Wilbert Foundation and Florida Wilbert Inc. (Jacksonville) have awarded a \$10,000 grant to the Arnold Palmer Hospital in Orlando. The check was presented to the hospital on January 27 by Florida Wilbert Vice President Keith Lodge & Territory Sales Representative Christine Clementz Elrod and Quality Vaults, Inc. (Ocoee) President Jim Tramonte.

The funds will be used by the hospital's Spiritual Care Department for special memorial items and services including care bags with books for siblings of children who have died; memory boxes containing handprints and locks of hair that allow families to reflect on and cherish their child; Spanish translation of a bereavement folder with information and resources for grieving families; and two annual remembrance ceremonies.

Formed by Wilbert Funeral Services, Inc. in September 2002, the Wilbert Foundation provides crucial funds and resources for children and their families coping with the trauma of grief, death, or preparation for surgery.

Since its inception, the foundation has distributed over \$500,000 in grants and funded the curriculum for the country's most comprehensive training program for pediatric chaplains. The Wilbert Foundation remains diligent in its journey to build an endowment fund of \$1,000,000. To learn more about the Wilbert Foundation, please call Terry Whitlock at 1-888-WILBERT.

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