Since President Lyndon B. Johnson declared February as American Heart Month in 1964, the month has been dedicated to heart health awareness. At times, when all other treatments have been exhausted, a heart transplant is needed to save the life of someone with heart disease, as it did for these recipients, featured in our Stories of Hope: California State Sen. Tom Berryhill, Alan Lindeke, Coralia Salazar and Len Strickland.

On February 21, Elizabeth Doan’s son will celebrate his birthday. Without the gift of a kidney from her own mother in 2015, she may never have had the chance to be called "mom." Read her story. Living Donation California is an information and referral website for those interested in learning about living kidney donation.

San Diego-based Second Chance Beer Company is hosting its 2nd Annual Second Chance at Life fundraiser. Swing by this family-friendly event on Saturday, March 11 between 5-10pm for a pint, a bite and lots
The 4th Annual Donate Life Night with the Sacramento Kings is Tuesday, April 4 at 7:30pm at Golden 1 Center. Click here for tickets, code: DONATE. If you are a donor family member, living donor, or would like to submit a photo of your donor for a tribute, email donatelifenight@dcids.org after purchasing tickets.

Join us on Saturday, April 29 for the 15th Annual Donate Life Run/Walk at Cal State Fullerton! Now is the perfect time to form a team and participate in the 5K run or 1K walk. You may also order a Circle of Life Garden sign to honor someone who was touched by donation. To get involved and for more information, click here.