

A Wish for Ava

Meet 8 year old Lauren from North Tustin, CA. After a recent visit with her 3 year old cousin who has been diagnosed with cancer, Lauren was upset that Ava kept losing her beanie. It was in the car on the way home that she decided she wanted to do something about it. Please read about Lauren's wish for her cousin below:

'My 3 year old cousin, Ava, has been battling a children's cancer called neuroblastoma for almost a year now. She is always forgetting or losing her favorite beanies. She even gave me a BIG HINT to start making her some by giving me a "how to knit a beanie" kit for Christmas. She loves to wear really cute ones, but they are hard to find.

My dream is for Ava to be able to have her very own cute beanie collection (by the way, her favorite color is purple), but also to make her feel important by giving her the "job" of handing out beanies to all the other sick children at the hospital. After all, a beanie is one of their main fashion accessories!

I could definitely use everyone's help with this (remember, I'm JUST learning how to knit)! It'd be great if you know how to knit beanies, but store bought ones (kid size) are just as good!

Ripple Kids™ Inc. is proud to support Lauren in her quest to fulfill her wish for Ava. For more information, visit www.awishforava.com. If you would like to send a beanie for Ava, please send it to:

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Ava with her favorite beanie