

Cancer

O LORD, MASTER OF THE UNIVERSE, HEALER OF THE SICK, UPLIFTER OF THE DOWNHEARTED, COMFORTER OF THOSE WHO DESPAIR, THE SOURCE OF ALL COURAGE AND HOPE, WHO HAS ENDOWED MAN WITH THE CAPACITY TO LEARN AND TO UNDERSTAND AND WITH THE WILL TO OVERCOME ALL PROBLEMS, GRANT AS WE GATHER HERE TODAY TO REVIEW THE WORK OF CANCER STUDY AND TO HONOR THOSE WHO HAVE WORKED SO HARD IN FURTHERING ITS GOALS, THAT NONE OF US WILL EVER LESSEN OUR EFFORTS TO OVERCOME THIS TERRIBLE SCOURGE. GRANT, O LORD, THAT THOSE WHO ARE AFFLICTED WITH THIS DREAD DISEASE WILL NEVER LOSE HOPE BUT WILL ALWAYS, ARMED WITH _____ TRUST IN THEE AND ARMED WITH THE KINDNESS AND WARMTH OF THEIR FAMILY AND FRIENDS, EVER BE ABLE TO FACE WITH COURAGE THE TERRIBLE RAVAGES OF THIS ILLNESS. GRANT, O LORD, THAT SPEEDILY AND IN OUR DAY A COMPLETE CURE WILL BE FOUND FOR ALL TYPES OF CANCER AND THAT IT WILL NEVER MORE PLAGUE MANKIND. GRANT, O LORD, OF YOUR WISDOM TO OUR SCIENTISTS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD WHO ARE WORKING ON THIS PROBLEM AND CROWN ALL THEIR EFFORTS WITH SUCCESS. MAY THE DAY SOON COME WHEN THE PAIN AND SUFFERING OF CANCER WILL BE NO MORE. AND MAY WE ALL, BY WORKING TOGETHER TO ACHIEVE THIS GREAT GOAL, BE BROUGHT CLOSER TO EACH OTHER AND TO THEE.