



Volunteers at the "Hearts Clubs and Aces" Second Annual ACCESS Golf Event

ACCESS held its second annual "Hearts, Clubs & Aces" Golf Tournament in Marin, CA. - **Master of Ceremonies, Sydnie Kohara, CBS News Anchor & Fox Sportscenter, Fred Inglis** auctioned off items, including a luxury stay at the Ritz Carlton Club, a Master's Flag and memorabilia from the late famous golfer, **Payne Stewart**.



Flight 93, 9/11/01 Family Members  
Kelly Garcia Arrillaga & Dorothy Garcia Bachler

**Kelly Garcia Arrillaga**, lost her father, and **Dorothy Garcia Bachler**, lost her husband, Andy Garcia aboard Flight 93 on 9/11/01 and golfed in honor of him and the 5th year anniversary of 9/11.

**Artist, Alex Ott, Thai Airways survivor**, hosted the "9 Lives" art show to benefit ACCESS in New York City.

Former **San Francisco Mayor, Willie Brown** spoke at the ACCESS World Trade Center Film Screening.

**Governor, George E. Pataki** spoke at the TWA Flight 800 Ten Year Remembrance Day in Long Island, NY.

**Graeme Ready**, of Qatar Airways invited ACCESS to train their Air Disaster Special Assistance Team in Doha, Qatar in the Middle East.

The **American Red Cross** invited ACCESS to train their disaster response team.



Heidi Snow, Founder, Former Mayor Willie Brown & Rachel Courtney at the ACCESS World Trade Center Film Screening in San Francisco



Shane Brun, Jay Thomson, Jean Wang, Brooks Beard & Bill Sloan



Fred Inglis, Sportscaster Fox 2 KTVU



ACCESS President, Andrew A. August, Esq. & CBS 5 News Anchor, Sydnie Kohara



John Seaman, President TWA 800 Assoc. & US Coast Guard & Navy



Heidi Snow & Governor George Pataki



Former TWA employees honor lost friends & co-workers



TWA 800 10 Yr. Memorial, Long Island



Heidi Snow & Graeme Ready of Qatar Airways in Doha, Qatar  
ACCESS trained their Air Disaster Special Assistance Team

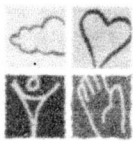


Airways Survivor, Artist, Alex Ott hosted the "9 Lives" Art Show to benefit ACCESS in NYC



Jan Frost, Suzan Bell & Ginny Reed, American Red Cross - Pine Tree Chapter  
ACCESS trained their Disaster Response Team





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AirCRAFT Casualty Emotional Support Services

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*"It was such a relief to find ACCESS. I will be eternally grateful for the support of my Volunteer Grief Mentor who, like me, is a Mother who also lost her husband in a plane crash and had to raise her young children on her own. She has helped me tremendously. I hope one day to be able to turn my own grief into something positive, too."*

-Jennifer Garland, mother of two young children, lost her husband, Scott Garland, in a private plane crash on 1/31/06

It is with great pride that ACCESS marks its tenth anniversary of providing long-term bereavement counseling to those who have survived or lost loved ones in air disasters. Your generous support and the commitment of our volunteers have made this possible. We thank you.

2006 has been a tearful year of milestone memorials. Both TWA Flight 800 and ValuJet 592 marked their ten-year anniversaries. American Airlines Flight 587 and September 11th reached the five-year mark this year, along with numerous private aviation crashes.

Ten years ago I lost my fiancé aboard TWA Flight 800. I looked hard for someone who could help me cope with the shock and profound grief associated with such a sudden and unexpected loss. Unable to find that person, I vowed that no one would ever again have to go through this experience alone. With the help of then-Mayor Rudy Giuliani and Governor George Pataki, I founded ACCESS that same year.

#### What we do:

ACCESS is the first and only organization with the sole purpose of partnering individuals who have survived or lost loved ones in air disaster-related tragedies with professionally-trained Volunteer Grief Mentors who previously have been through a similar experience. Our long-term peer bereavement counseling services enable the bereaved to gain strength and purpose to help them move beyond their sorrow, confusion and isolation. The mentoring that ACCESS offers is readily available at no charge. Our Volunteer Grief Mentors maintain communication and provide emotional care for as long as the bereaved need our support (but always at the request and discretion of the bereaved). Today, we continue to offer our free counseling services to hundreds of people struggling with the loss of loved ones in commercial, military, and private air-disaster related tragedies (going back as far as 1958) and including 9/11.

#### Recent Developments:

ACCESS continues to grow and expand its programs. This past Spring Qatar Airways invited ACCESS to the Middle East to train its Doha-based air disaster special assistance team. In September, ACCESS delivered a specially designed training program to the American Red Cross and we have implemented new Volunteer Grief Mentor Training Programs for both first-time and previously trained mentors.

#### Your Generous Contributions:

Your generous contributions made our 2006 programs and developments possible. ACCESS continues to need your financial help to provide future long-term bereavement support and to ensure that our mentors deliver the highest quality counseling. Your contribution will help make it possible to keep our 24 hour toll-free telephone helpline and website, [accesshelp.org](http://accesshelp.org), up and running, train additional Volunteer Grief Mentors, and produce and distribute our educational bereavement materials.

ACCESS is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization and donors may obtain valuable tax benefits by making contributions. Contributions can be sent directly to ACCESS. If you would like to make gifts of appreciated assets to ACCESS, we have established an account at Morgan Stanley Investment Company.

Please reach out to the bereaved by helping ACCESS today. Your contributions help so many individuals needing comfort and guidance. We greatly appreciate your commitment and support. Thank you for your generosity.

Heldi Snow  
Founder/  
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