

Coloring Away Pain™

To Whom It May Concern:

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My name is Kimberly Pressley-Herrick and I am the Executive Director for The Foundation for Coloring Away Pain. Our organization helps children cope with life changing and traumatic events by providing them with topic specific coloring books and boxes of crayons. Our mission is to give children a voice through coloring and drawing.

Children's limited life experiences and immature language skills, often leaves them unable to express the confusing thoughts and emotions that come with events such as these. Research has found that coloring and drawing can help a child express these thoughts and emotions in a comfortable, familiar way.

In light of the devastating fire which took the lives of your brave firefighters, we are sending you grief coloring books and boxes of crayons for their children.

Please know our thoughts and prayers are with their families, fellow firefighters, and your community at this time. I, personally, come from a long line of firefighters and our hearts are full and breaking over your loss. If I can be of any other assistance or you are in need of more coloring books, please do not hesitate to contact me. I look forward to hearing from you. God bless you!

Thank you,

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