

Paul's Mountain Non-Profit Organization

**To provide structured literacy training to teachers, reading evaluations
and tutoring services to students with reading difficulties**

501(C)3 TAX EXEMPT ORGANIZATION

Paul's Mountain Non-Profit Organization was founded in November 2023 in loving memory of Paul Kenneth Pine. Paul was an amazing young man with a beautiful mind, boundless imagination, caring soul and loving son, brother, cousin and friend, to know Paul was to love him. Paul was a fifth grade student who died in January 2023 from suicide at his rural Wyoming elementary school in a class size of nine students, it was the first day of his IEP or as he called it his VIP. An "IEP" is an Individualized Education Plan that lays out special education instruction, support and services to enable the student to succeed. Paul was a sixth generation Wyomingite who had only attended Wyoming Public Schools, repeated kindergarten, received interventions yet at the beginning of his fifth grade year he was at a first grade reading level. Once Paul's parents, Paul and Chandel hired Megan Hesser with Hesser Literacy, LLC to evaluate then tutor their son he had advanced an entire grade level for his reading in twelve sessions. The goal for Paul's Mountain is to not only provide reading evaluations and tutoring services to students, but to provide continued education to teachers and provide them with the tools they need to enable other Wyoming students to succeed.

The Journey to Paul's Mountain

You may learn more about the journey that led to Paul's Mountain by
visiting: paulsmountainnonprofit.org a

Paul's Mountain is a mountain that must be climbed and will need community support to help the students of Wyoming succeed. Chandel K. Pine, President of Paul's Mountain attended the Wyoming Legislator - Joint Education Meeting on November 14, 2023 and learned that Paul was not a minority who struggled with reading as only 48.25% of Wyoming students are at a third grade reading level at the end of third grade, yet in fourth grade they are expected to read to learn and are no longer taught to read. The advice Wyoming got from their 2020 consultants in their final report was that "These performance levels [basic level or below] are not adequate for graduates to access jobs in the higher skill, higher wage economy Wyoming is trying to build."

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- Weekend stay at Jubilee Ranch (Friday - Saturday) with a \$500.00 Southwest Airlines Gift Card
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There are many attractions in the Texas Hill Country including vineyards, restaurants, local shopping and golf.





Paul Kenneth Pine

February 17, 2011 - January 12, 2023

Ready to climb Paul's Mountain?

Please return the bottom portion with checks payable to:
Paul's Mountain Non-Profit Organization
3688 Toni Road
Cheyenne, WY 82007



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