

# PLEASE JOIN US!

## BENEFIT / FUNDRAISER

Saturday, April 27th • 1 pm - 5 pm

St. Michael American Legion

25 Central Ave E, St. Michael



Liana (Harding) and Luke Albers were very excited to welcome their first child into the world when they went to Regions Hospital in St. Paul and was scheduled to be induced January 23rd. Early in the morning of January 24th, Liana experienced an Amniotic Fluid Embolism during labor which caused a seizure and her heart to stop. This rare infliction has occurred only 117 times in the past 10 years, according to her doctor, and the mother mortality rate is 65-80%. She was resuscitated twice and put on life support. Their daughter, Lydia Annemarie, was born via an emergency C section within 3 minutes of Liana's cardiac arrest. Thanks to many answered prayers and the wonderful care that Regions Hospital provided, Liana survived and Lydia is thriving. Regions Hospital sees them as a true miracle.

Liana, a gifted artist/graphic designer, suffered a stroke and is currently undergoing rehabilitation so that she can once again speak clearly, write, do math, draw, drive a car, etc. Her ability to return to work in her current capacity is yet to be determined.

Luke, a marine veteran who served in Afghanistan, was going to UW River Falls on the GI bill, but had to stop in order to take care of his wife and new daughter. This means his income has stopped as well.

*Please join us to support Luke, Liana & Lydia*

**Spaghetti Buffet Starting at 1:00 pm**

**Silent Auction • Games • Road Kill Band  
All proceeds will go to the Albers family**

If you are unable to attend, but would like to show your support, you can contribute to a fund set up in their honor.

<https://www.gofundme.com/albers-family-recovery>