

The person that passed away was my grandfather & my great Uncle. Two very important men in my life. My grandfather was a very important man in my life. He taught me everything dads are suppose to teach their children because growing up I did not have a father. My grandfather was a man that made my mom the wonderful mother she is that is probably why he is so important in my life. My uncle was also a major influence on my life with his loving gestures toward everybody and just always be the person I could count on to make sure I was okay and take care of me. Both men loved me unconditionally and I appreciate that the most from them. They both were my heart. As a young child up until the 6 grade the year they both died. My uncle passing on my birthday Nov. 30th and then my grandfather passing on March 14th. That was one of the hardest years for my family and I but because of the men they were we got through it. We knew although it would be hard to smile they both were family men who loved their family and loved to make their family happy and smile. I decided to create this sugar skull in remembrance of my grandfather and uncle because although we got shirts made for them, we don't do enough to celebrate the good of them. So I thought creating this sugar skull would bring a little more happy to the fact that they are gone but will forever live in our hearts. This year Jade and I decided to do one of the traditions for Día de Muertos, we put a picture of both my uncle and grandfather on the fireplace, placed orange flowers next their picture and had everybody in the room tell their favorite memory. We also placed their favorite things on the sides of them. My family actually enjoyed it and plans to do it again next year. My sugar skull reflects my grandfather and uncle because they both died of lymphoma cancer and I painted my skull green had added a green feather. Green is the color that represents Lymphoma cancer. Unlike other people's purpose for their colors on their skull my skull's color represents what they died from. Día de Muertos, opened my eyes and change my view on about death because it's all about celebration. I like that everybody come together and their stills so much to do in honor of those who pass away. Día de Muertos makes dealing with death a little easier and makes it more of a happy even then sad. In Philadelphia they do have things like this for example "light the night walk" is Nov. 9th and I will be attending. Light the night is similar to Día de

Muertos Because this is when you come and walk with a balloon and you walk in honor of someone who died of lymphoma or leukemia. After you walk you come back to the art museum where there's live music , food , and carnival like games, and by walking you raise money for a cure. This is a time to celebrate those who has past. They have other things like this such as the aids walk,breast cancer awareness walk and more. The only thing different from the walks and Día de Muertos es Día de Muertos celebrates everybody that died , the walks are in honor of those who died from the disease. I think we should do a day of the dead and celebrate and honor those who have passed I think it would make death a lot easier on people.

Hola , Yo soy Indigo . La nieta de Willard Campbell. Mi abuelo fue de carolina del norte. Willard fue el abuelo de Indigo. El fue un hombre cariñoso. Yo estoy en el templo. Yo estoy molesta pero alegre gracias me siento mejor que . yo miro la muerte en una manera diferente Concluyee

