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Spread the Love to a Local Family

Presentation of the Classic "E.T." at the Tivoli, All Proceeds will go to Noah's Hope

Downers Grove, IL – The beloved family film “**E.T.: The Extra-Terrestrial**” is, at its heart, a story of courage and hope. To benefit a Downers Grove family that needs plenty of both, the Tivoli Theatre is hosting a special screening of the Steven Spielberg classic on **Saturday, February 11, 2012 at 10AM**. The Tivoli Theatre is at **5021 Highland Ave. in downtown Downers Grove**. Admission to the PG-rated film is \$4, and all proceeds will benefit the local charity Noah’s Hope.

Fewer than 450 children in the U.S. have LINCL-Batten disease, a genetic disorder that is always terminal between the ages of 8 and 12. Tracy VanHoutan and Jennifer Farnaus VanHoutan are parents to two of them, seven-year-old Noah and five-year-old Laine. They founded Noah’s Hope to support research, raise funds, inform the community and find a cure for their children and others struggling with this terminal disease.

Rated number 24 on the American Film Institute’s 100 movies of all time, “**E.T.: The Extra Terrestrial**” (**PG**) is the heart-tugging story of a meek and alienated young boy who finds a stranded extra-terrestrial and also the courage to defy the authorities to help him return home. Spread the love in supporting this local family and enjoy this early Valentine’s Day screening!

Classic Cinemas, based in Downers Grove, Illinois, is a family-owned company operated by Willis, Shirley and Chris Johnson. Established in 1978, Classic Cinemas operates 13 theatres with 100 screens in 12 communities in the northern Illinois area. For more information on Classic Cinemas, please visit www.classiccinemas.com.