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# JONI

**“The Memorial doctors saved my life.”**

*It started as a headache that lingered for months. Eventually, doctors discovered Joni had a cancerous brain tumor that had spread from her left lung. After Joni underwent a brain tumor operation, doctors said the Stage IV tumor in her lung was inoperable.*

At just 51 years old, Joni was told she had six months to live.

Unwilling to give up, she turned to the highly skilled doctors at Memorial Cancer Institute for a second opinion – and for their special brand of extraordinary patient- and family-centered care.

Joni and her Memorial healthcare team refused to accept defeat. With an innovative, aggressive treatment, the cancer went into remission.

Thanks to Memorial Cancer Institute, Joni has a second chance at life and a message for other cancer patients: “Stage IV doesn’t have to be a death sentence – I’m living proof.”

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