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Scan to hear Spoken Words from Bryan Hancock, in honor of the Lee, Girty, & Mullen families.



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STOP THE VIOLENCE

THE EMPATHY PROJECT

Artistic expressions & local stories of those who've suffered loss through violence



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The Empathy Project, founded by a group of like-hearted people, is dedicated to the pursuit of healing through empathy. In the wake of senseless violence, we remember what binds a community together—compassion & taking action.

By documenting & sharing the stories of those who've suffered loss through violence, we remember what love looks like. We remember that as a community, there is power in the collective experiences of mourning, and believe that through empathy, we can begin to heal.

Artists and community activists have joined together to share these stories through art and the spoken word.

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Volunteers
*A special thank you to the families who
shared their stories with us.*

Lamar Outdoors, Promotional Support

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Jane Gabrielle
Painted Doors
On display at the City of Roanoke's
Municipal Building & ongoing tour

Bryan Hancock
Spoken Words
Access QR codes found on the back

Jennifer Hayward
Portrait Photography
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