Help Keep The Flame Going: Become A Salt Lake 2002 Olympic Torchbearer

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(NAPSA)—Inspiration is everywhere. I've always believed if you look for it, you'll find it. I have been fortunate over the years to have encountered so many people who embody the true meaning of the word inspiration.

From witnessing my older brother, professional hockey player Tony Granato, rehabilitate after heart wrenching brain surgery as a result of an on-ice accident, to visiting with young children suffering with serious illnesses, I have met countless people who have inspired me.

I have an opportunity to recognize someone in my life who has been an inspiration to me by nominating them as a Chevy torchbearer. Chevrolet, as a sponsor of the Salt Lake 2002 Olympic Torch Relay, is giving every American the opportunity to do the same thing.

The days leading up to the Olympic Games are marked by a remarkable journey taken by the extraordinary people who carry the Olympic torch to the site of the Games. From March 1 through April 30, Chevrolet and its 4,300 dealerships offer every American the chance to honor an inspirational figure in their lives by nominating them to carry the Olympic Flame during its 13,500 mile, 65-day journey across 46 states.

This is your opportunity to recognize someone who has had an impact on, or has made a significant contribution to your life. Think about the people you know who serve their community in an exemplary manner or who have encountered and overcome adversity in the face of overwhelming odds.

Torchbearer nominations are accepted at every Chevrolet dealership across the country and on the



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Internet at *www.chevy.com*. If you're 16-years of age or older, you can be a torchbearer.

Beginning on December 4, 2001, more than 11,500 deserving Americans will represent our country as torchbearers when the flame begins its trip from Atlanta, Georgia, the site of the last U.S. Olympic Games, to Salt Lake City, Utah, site of the XIX Olympic Winter Games.

This is a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to share in the excitement and pride of the Olympic Games by acknowledging someone who has made a difference. Other than actually competing, there is perhaps no better way to capture the spirit of the Olympic dream than to be a torchbearer.

Cammi Granato was captain of the 1998 U.S. Women's Hockey team and is a Chevrolet torchbearer ambassador. Granato's team won the gold medal during the 1998 Olympic Winter Games.