GIVING BACK

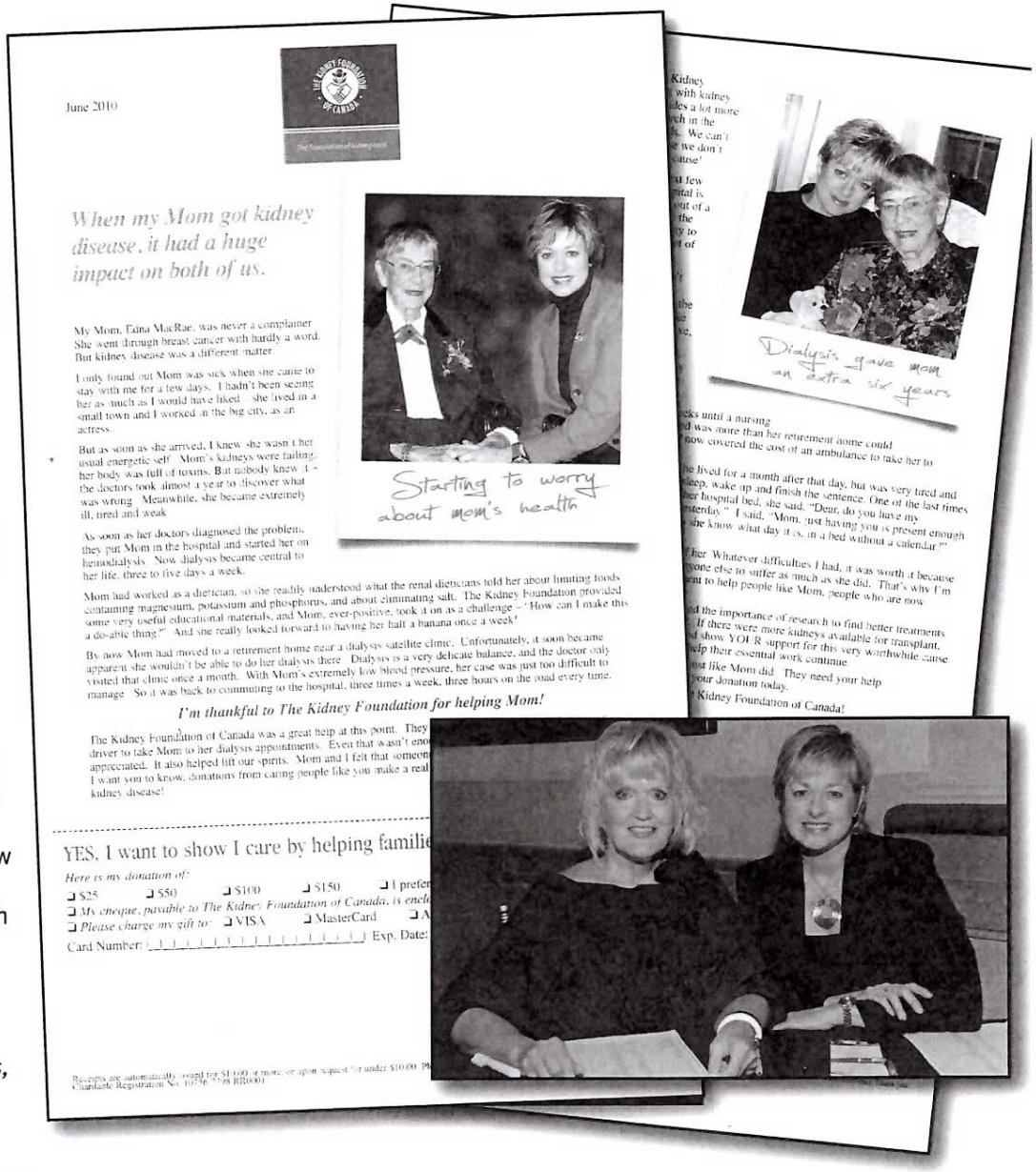
When ACTRA Montreal member Liz MacRae's mother, Edna, was diagnosed with kidney disease, The Kidney Foundation of Canada was there to support her – whether it was with educational material or even financial contributions to the cost of a driver to take Edna to dialysis treatment three to five days a week. To show her appreciation, Liz decided to give back.

Liz submitted her experience to the Kidney Stories of Hope Campaign, designed to help educate Canadians about kidney disease, its modifiable risk factors, and the importance of financial support for programs and services to help improve the quality of life for current and future patients. Her story was chosen to represent the Quebec region and Liz was awarded a $500 prize – which she generously donated back to The Kidney Foundation.

But Liz's cooperation with The Kidney Foundation did not end there. Her story was also used in a national fundraising letter which raised an astounding $167, 000. Liz also volunteered at The Foundation's annual Founder's Award Campaign Gala, which celebrated transplant athletes.

We applaud Liz in her earnest efforts to support this important cause. If you are interested in donating to The Kidney Foundation of Canada or finding out how you can lend your support - or if you want more information on Kidney Health Month (March in Canada) please visit their website at kidney.ca.

In addition to her incredible body of voice work in TV and radio commercials, animation, documentary films and corporate videos, Liz MacRae has enjoyed on-camera roles in numerous films, TV series and television commercials.



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When my Mom got kidney disease, it had a huge impact on both of us.

Starting to worry about mom's health

Dialysis gave mom an extra six years

I'm thankful to The Kidney Foundation for helping Mom!

YES, I want to show I care by helping familie

Liz MacRae (right) with Violet Prevost, a volunteer with The Kidney Foundation of Canada.