

# Gale's Story

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This is a story about Gale. He is 42 years old, and he was born in Houston, Texas. He went to school his entire life from elementary school to high school. He decided to get a job after high school at Walmart. 4 years later, he found a girl to call his wife. They met at Baybrook Mall, and got married as soon as possible. Since they wanted to get married quickly, they had a small wedding in their backyard. Shortly after, they had a daughter. Now, Gale's daughter is 8 years old. He likes to think back to how cute she was as a baby. She tries to act like a grown up now especially after his wife got stage 4 cancer. Gale's wife was diagnosed when she was 37 years old, and they first noticed when she began to lose her hair. She went through many surgeries in hopes of getting better. Gale has to pay for all her medical bills, the electricity bill, and the water bill. He currently does not have a job, so he does not know how to pay for all of it. He was worrying so much that it was all becoming way too much for him, and he decided he wanted to end everything. He stole a rope which alerted the cops. Quickly, he took his rope home, got a chair, hung the rope up above the chair, and he was about to end it all...until his daughter burst into the door asking him what he was doing? He slowly pulled his head out of the rope and got off of the chair. He sat down with his daughter on the couch bursting into tears. He thought about his family and how much he loved them, and decided that he did not want to end his life. But the cops were already there, and those were the last minutes Gale spent with his daughter.