The San Diego Brain Tumor Foundation shows just how diverse and giving the Gaslamp Quarter can be. "We contribute by knowing that the Gaslamp isn't just for restaurants or storefronts," said foundation founder and president, Connie Reeves Campbell. "There are organizations that provide services to others in need."

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The foundation, established in 2002, aims to "support the Brain Tumor Community – patients and their families – by providing direct assistance with day-to-day social and medical needs," as declared by their mission statement.

Reeves Campbell, who also runs a meeting planning company out of her Onyx Building office, founded the organization shortly after her husband, Dennis, lost his battle with brain cancer. "He had a great spirit and fought a good fight," explained Reeves Campbell. "After he passed away I continued to meet families that had been impacted by a diagnosis of a brain tumor and they needed someone to talk to, to share their story. The foundation was created to help those in need – to support them with day-to-day needs."