

# WHY WE ARE IN THE FIGHT

Nearly six million Americans are living with Alzheimer's disease, and more than 16 million Americans currently provide care for people with Alzheimer's or other dementias. This means nearly every family will face the disease as their loved ones age.

Our Sterling family felt the impact of Alzheimer's disease when our founder, Leonard Astrup, was diagnosed with the disease in 2012. He quickly went from a strong leader, entrepreneur, and patriarch to a completely dependent, frail man in a couple short years. He passed away in 2014, but his legacy lives on through his family, our businesses, and our fundraising efforts.

We now dedicate the month of June to Leonard Astrup and our coworkers and patients struggling with the effects of Alzheimer's in their own families by collecting donations for the Alzheimer's Association. You can make a difference in this fight. Please join us by donating today, and the Astrup Family Foundation will match your donation.

