

## **Messengers of Love's president paid tribute to MoL's member by riding a 60 miles bike ride for fight against cancer**

On behalf of Messengers of Love (MoL), [www.MessengersOfLove.com](http://www.MessengersOfLove.com), and in memory of Nguyen Thanh Toan, a close friend and dedicated MoL member who passed away from pancreatic cancer, Theresa Tran, MoL's president and executive director has joined Livestrong Challenge for a 60 miles bike ride in Austin on October 16th, 2011 to try to make a difference in the fight against cancer.

The LIVESTRONG Challenge was started by Lance Armstrong, an American cyclist from Plano, Texas who was many times Tour de France's champion, is a signature fundraising event inspired by the hope, courage and determination that exist in all of us. The team take to the streets on bikes and on our feet, uniting individuals to stand together to fight cancer. The team may not all live in the same city or participate in the same sport but they're united by hope, courage and determination.

Theresa has joined with other people around the globe and across different events to raise money for LIVESTRONG. The money Theresa raises will go to support LIVESTRONG's programs and services, which inspire and empower people affected by cancer. If you or someone you know is diagnosed, these resources will help face the challenges of cancer, head on, and live life on your own terms.

Please support Theresa as she makes a difference in the cancer fight through her participation in Team LIVESTRONG. To donate, visit Theresa's Livestrong webpage: [http://austin2011.livestrong.org/faf/login/page\\_edit.asp?ievent=442672&lis=0&kntae442672=8053609494F44F5797A17F86753A30C1](http://austin2011.livestrong.org/faf/login/page_edit.asp?ievent=442672&lis=0&kntae442672=8053609494F44F5797A17F86753A30C1)



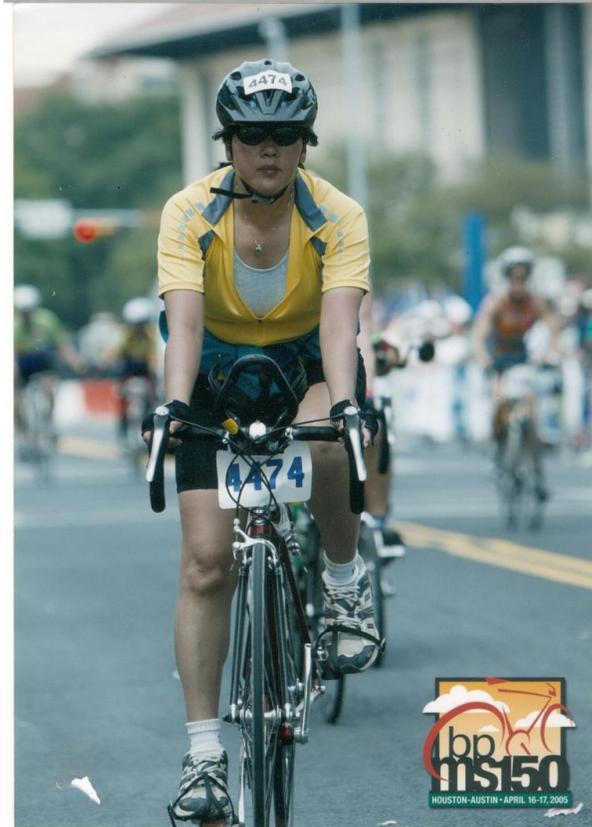
Toan Nguyen, standing at left, holding water glass, met with Fr. Tam and MoL members



Anh Toàn (left) at MoL Xmas dinner - Ban AVT “ba tô phở tái”



Toàn with Messengers of Love at Dr. Tâm & Bích Liên house



Theresa Tran crossing the finishing line at MS150 Houston–Austin bike ride, April 2005  
Note: MS150 is a yearly organized bike ride to help raise fund for Multiple Sclerosis Awareness