



American Heart Association.

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HEART
CHALLENGE™**

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HEART HERO

Colton

Survivor, 3rd Grade

Colton was born with a heart defect called Tetralogy of Fallot, which means his heart had three different defects. As a baby, Colton had open-heart surgery where doctors helped repair his heart and made sure that it was working and strong. Now, Colton's health is much better, and he loves to stay active by playing baseball. Eventually, Colton will need another surgery so doctors can make the valve in his heart even stronger. Colton wants to tell kids that participating in the Kids Heart Challenge and American Heart Challenge will help fund research that allows doctors to help kids like him.

THE **KIDS HEART CHALLENGE** AND **AMERICAN HEART CHALLENGE** FUNDS RESEARCH THAT HELPS KIDS, LIKE **COLTON**, HAVE LONGER AND STRONGER LIVES. YOUR SUPPORT HELPS FAMILIES HAVE HOPE AND FOR THAT THEY ARE SO GRATEFUL.

TOGETHER, WE ARE CREATING A WORLD OF LONGER, HEALTHIER LIVES.