LB was an aspiring artist and mechanic, funny, handsome and full of life. He was also autistic and epileptic. He was 18. One day he died in the bath at an NHS assessment facility.

His family brought him to hospital because he had become very anxious and aggressive over a few months. *What if he came to harm and they could not help?* They made visits everyday, this was a close caring family, not a family who walked away leaving a loved one in the hands of the state.

**Shattered Trust and Broken Dreams**

Then the unthinkable happened LB died in the bath while in the care of the NHS. In a moment of time the family was hurled from relationship and trust into the land of grief, emptiness, and betrayal. Nothing can bring LB back.

**LB dies in the bath in a NHS facility but his Art speaks**
powerfully for him and for others.

LB’s life is a light that shines through the dark places of grief, blame and neglect to bring understanding and real solutions for the care of others who like him are dependent on others for safety and life. LB’s life can be celebrated through his art which will be used to support legal representation for the family at his inquest.

Will the Inquest Be Just?

When something of this magnitude, human life, is needlessly lost there are questions that need answers. To get these answers requires a full investigation where all sides are heard. This takes money. The state takes care of its own but the family is left without representation. LB’s mom explains below:

You can help the family speak for LB and others in NHS Care

“One of the things we discovered soon after LB died was that a) it’s hugely important to have legal representation at the inquest when someone dies unexpectedly in state care and b) this representation costs a fortune. [I know. We could not believe this. Our dude died in state care and yet, it will cost us literally £1000s to make sure there is a transparent process examining what went so catastrophically wrong and to make sure there is effective change. Enragingly unfair]."

See the Art that is destined to frame the future for the disabled
in NHS Care

LB’s story and to see his art. For news like LB’s art on the cover of a text book click here.