MY STORY
MY MOUNTAIN
MY TRANSPLANT

Presented by:
Kelly Perkins
1992 – 5 Year Anniversary
Heart Rhythm

Normal Resting
50 BPM

Abnormal “Fast”
200 BPM
Distance from Medical
Half Way There
Tallest Mt. in the Continental U.S.

14,505 feet (4,421 m)
One Mountain Two Hearts
Journey To The Top
Kilimanjaro - 2001
Heart Rate, Oxygen, Blood Pressure…
Wind: 25 – 50 MPH (40.23 – 80.46 km/h)
Temperature: -20°F (-28.89°C)
340 Feet (103 m) from Summit
Groote Schuur Hospital
Cape Town
Transition
Half Dome, Yosemite California
Climbing with Medications
150 Surprise Supporters
Denise Darvall
1st Heart Donor

Louis Washkansky
1st Heart Recipient

Dr. Christiaan Barnard
1st Heart Transplant Surgeon

Kelly Perkins
1st Heart Recipient Standing On the Roof of Africa
THANK YOU