

# Why We Walk ~

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We walk for the young girl..  
who's never even thought...  
that she could have such a  
terrible disease where  
no cure can be bought..

We walk for her pretty curls  
that blew in the wind...  
what if her hair all falls out  
what will she do then?

We walk for her friends and family  
they don't know where to start....  
they feel so empty and helpless  
it is breaking their hearts.

We walk so she can feel  
what true love is someday...  
how can we let such a cruel disease  
get in the way.

We walk for the aging woman.  
who found a lump today...  
She doesn't know how to feel or think,  
Much less what to say.

We walk for her husband  
who loves her even more...  
why didn't he stop to think  
that this could happen before..

We walk for her children  
who need her loving touch..  
what if she doesn't get to  
do the things they love so much.

We walk for her grandchildren  
who may never get to know...  
the person that she really was  
and how she loved them so.

We walk because we're women  
who know that it could be...  
"what"... we ask ourselves...  
"would I do if it were me?"

We walk because we are women  
who know how time slips by..  
we know it will do no good  
to sit around and cry.

We walk for our mothers, our sisters,  
all our family and friends...  
we especially walk for our  
baby girls...if it were them...  
what would we do then?

We'd walk and walk a million miles  
alone or in the dark...  
if that would bring a glimpse of hope  
that is where we'd start!