

— 2024

# IMPACT REPORT



**HOPE CENTER**



And He went throughout  
all Galilee, teaching in  
their synagogues and  
*proclaiming the Gospel* of  
the Kingdom and *healing*  
*every disease* and *every*  
*affliction among the people.*

MATTHEW 4:23 (ESV)



\$2.3M\*

RAISED

\*INCLUDES FUNDS RAISED  
FOR ALL DIRECT CARE  
RESIDENTIAL PROGRAMS,  
HUMAN SERVICES, AND  
OPERATIONAL EXPENSES.

11

PROGRAMS  
SUPPORTED

GOD

2

WILL

0

DO

2

MORE

4

41,840

LIVES IMPACTED



PSALM 147:3

*He heals the brokenhearted  
and binds up their wounds.*

For survivors of sex trafficking, freedom is just the first step. Healing takes time—often years—and without long-term care, the cycle of exploitation too often continues. The road to restoration is not short, and without a stable place to heal, survivors are left vulnerable.

And yet, there simply aren't enough places for them to go.

Hope Center Indy exists to bridge this gap, offering short-term, long-term, and transitional housing programs where survivors can rebuild their lives physically, emotionally, and spiritually. With compassionate care, trauma-informed therapy, and life skills training, survivors don't just exit trafficking; they find the hope and healing to truly thrive.

**80% of  
survivors  
without safe  
housing are  
re-victimized.**

SAFE HOUSE PROJECT • 2025



**IN TAKE HEART  
RESIDENTIAL, WE  
CREATED SOMETHING  
NEW: A SHORT-TERM  
SAFE HOUSING PROGRAM**

— OFFERING SAME-DAY REFUGE  
FOR WOMEN SURVIVORS OF  
DOMESTIC SEX TRAFFICKING,  
SEXUAL EXPLOITATION, AND  
SEXUAL TRAUMA

Coming out of a crisis can be deeply overwhelming, and many survivors are not ready to commit to long-term restorative care programs. This often creates an additional barrier to accessing help.

Our team recognized this need and developed a response: safe nights or short-term housing options that provide immediate support without requiring long-term commitments. With increased funding, partnerships, renovations, and new hires, we were able to expand our capacity and open our doors wider than ever before.

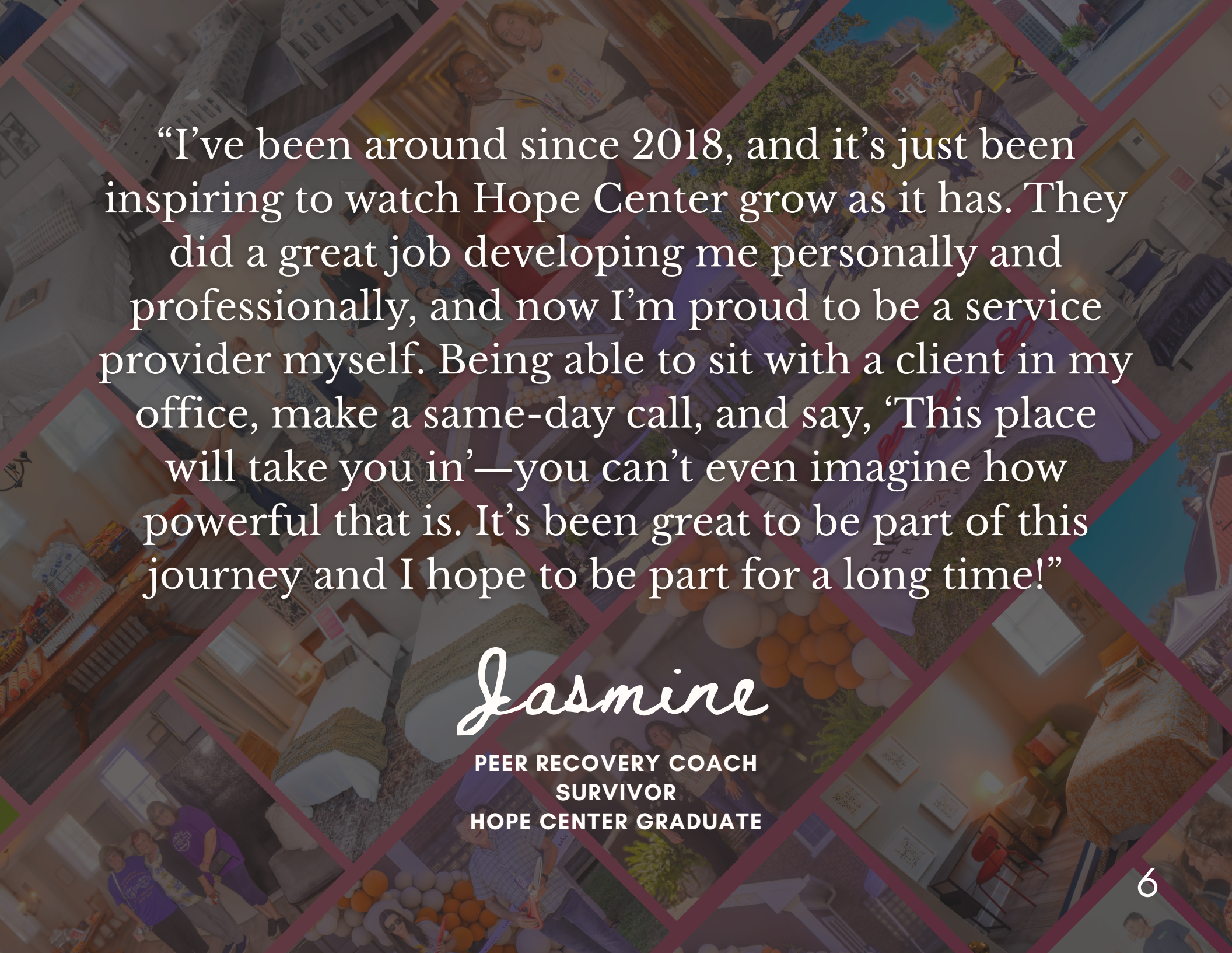
Thanks to our strengthened network, survivors from anywhere in the United States can now call us for access to safe, short-term housing. Our national partnerships enable us to coordinate free, safe travel for survivors, so that they can reach safety on the very same day they reach out for help. We also accept same day referrals from law enforcement to further support survivors at critical moments when immediate action is needed.

**IN 2024, RATHER THAN EXPANDING  
INTO NEW AREAS OF SERVICE, WE  
CHOSE TO INVEST MORE BOLDLY IN  
OUR EXISTING PROGRAMS,  
STRENGTHENING THEIR REACH AND  
EFFECTIVENESS.**

WE WORKED WITH 58 PARTNERS LOCALLY  
AND NATIONALLY TO ESTABLISH A  
RESIDENTIAL CARE PROVEN PROCESS TO  
MEET SURVIVORS WHERE THEY ARE,  
OFFERING REFUGE AND SHARING THE  
HOPE OF JESUS DURING MOMENTS OF  
DESPERATION.







“I’ve been around since 2018, and it’s just been inspiring to watch Hope Center grow as it has. They did a great job developing me personally and professionally, and now I’m proud to be a service provider myself. Being able to sit with a client in my office, make a same-day call, and say, ‘This place will take you in’—you can’t even imagine how powerful that is. It’s been great to be part of this journey and I hope to be part for a long time!”

*Jasmine*

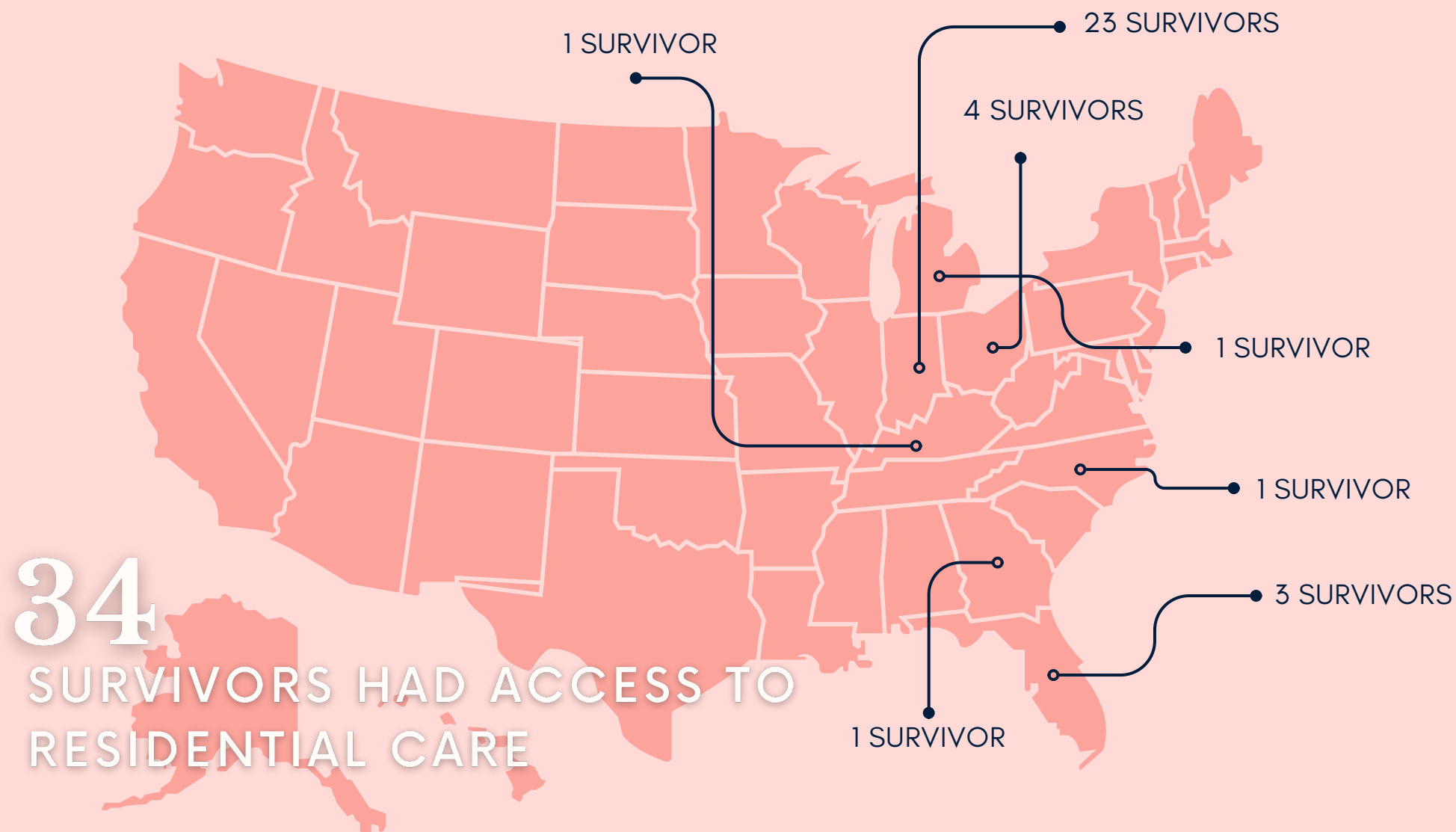
PEER RECOVERY COACH  
SURVIVOR  
HOPE CENTER GRADUATE



RESIDENTIAL PROGRAMS • 2024

## WHERE OUR RESIDENTS CAME FROM\*

\*INCLUDES SHORT-TERM, LONG-TERM,  
AND TRANSITIONAL HOUSING PROGRAMS.





## GRACE WINS: HOPE'S JOURNEY OF COURAGE AND TRANSFORMATION

*Hope Center Indy has taken careful consideration in the collection and sharing of this story. To preserve her privacy, our graduate has chosen to represent herself as "Hope" throughout this narrative. All content is shared with the explicit, informed consent of its owner.*

An out-of-state flight, her first plane ride, to an unfamiliar place called Indiana marked the start of Hope's journey at Hope Center's Take Heart Residential (THR). "Before I got on the plane to come here, I asked God to give me a sign that this was the right move for me. It was a little over a two-hour flight here. I'd never been on a plane; in fact, I had never been inside an airport before. To say I was anxious is an understatement," said Hope.

From the very beginning, Hope's courage was clearly evident. Despite the challenges looming on the horizon, she bravely navigated her new environment at Hope Center Indy, often relying on non-verbal forms of communication. "She was much quieter; she kept her head down and would not always look at other people. We all became experts in reading Hope's non-verbal communication," Jenn Starr, the Director of Residential Ministries, observed. Hope also shared, "I came here a terrified, mute, and untrusting little girl. A turtle in her shell, safe but alone. In my experience, people who pretended to love and care about me only wanted something in return. But that isn't true here."





Jenn remembers the evenings spent painting Christmas ornaments, making crafts, including lots of diamond art, playing games, and talking. One night, they sat on the couch and talked an hour and a half together. These moments became especially precious as Hope chose to stay behind while other residents participated in different activities, not feeling quite ready to join.

What sets Hope apart is her remarkable perseverance. Due to the severity of the trauma she had endured, she was enrolled in THR's long-term restorative care program for an extended period. Hope faced every obstacle with unwavering resilience. "When she was tired, she kept going. When she wasn't sure, she kept going. When she felt like she didn't deserve it, she kept going. With little or no sleep, she kept going. When she hit a wall, she kept going. She would hit another wall after another, and the staff felt each of them too because we were right there with her; she kept going." Jenn recounts.

"This program is hard; I never thought that I'd make it to graduation. I wanted to leave a few times. There were times when I was so depressed that I became suicidal. But at my lowest, loving people rallied around me, and they never left me. I have the love and support here I've always needed and hoped for." said Hope.

As Jenn learned through playing games like Sequence, Hope's approach to challenges was to maintain steadiness and positivity and, most importantly, never harbor a hint of revenge despite her deep pain.

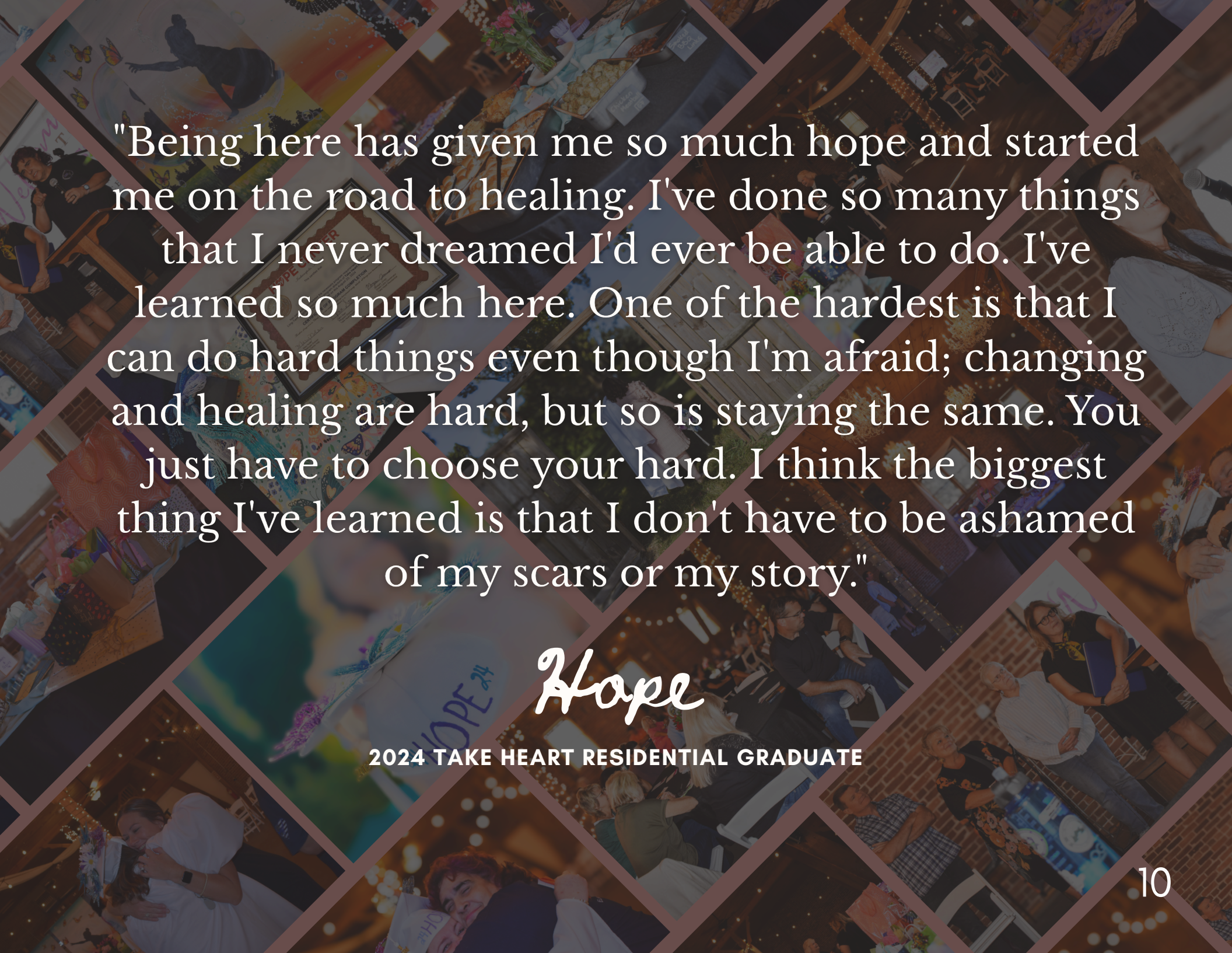
"I learned from Hope when we first played those games together to stay steady, whether winning or losing, and finish the game. That is what she did with THR; she stayed steady. She was always positive even in the depths of pain, with not one ounce of revenge; she kept going! She loved more, believed more, grew closer with the Lord, and finished the race with our program!"

Hope's graduation was a recognition of both her completion of the program and her incredible transformation. By opting for a purple butterfly theme, she chose to beautifully symbolize the profound change she had experienced in every detail of her celebration. Hope Center's Associate Director, Mary Nolen, highlighted the significant milestones in Hope's journey and emphasized the power of God's love and compassion in facilitating healing and renewal.

"We're so thankful tonight that we have an incredible reason to rejoice. Satan tries to knock all of us down, but he is not the victor. Jesus Christ gives victory. Tonight, we celebrate the victory that Jesus has given to Hope. We're celebrating what our God can do," Mary proclaimed during the ceremony.

Hope's transformation was undeniable. "From walking with your head down, to smiling and greeting people in the hallways, to talking with customers in the boutique, and even last December, speaking in front of a room of over 100 people. I was amazed to see you use your voice in a bold way, and it was one of the most beautiful things I had ever witnessed," said Mary, as Hope smiled brightly from the table across the stage.





"Being here has given me so much hope and started me on the road to healing. I've done so many things that I never dreamed I'd ever be able to do. I've learned so much here. One of the hardest is that I can do hard things even though I'm afraid; changing and healing are hard, but so is staying the same. You just have to choose your hard. I think the biggest thing I've learned is that I don't have to be ashamed of my scars or my story."

*Hope*

2024 TAKE HEART RESIDENTIAL GRADUATE

"What an honor it has been to see from week to week, month to month, and even year to year, the transforming work God has done in you. Hope, you have persevered, and you have fought the fight. Tonight, we commend you for your courage, and we thank you for allowing us to be part of your journey. We thank you for allowing us to see God's power at work in you."

Beyond her perseverance and transformation, Hope's capacity for love and compassion was ever-flowing. It was apparent in how deeply she connected with everyone. On numerous occasions, Mary remembers how Hope embraced others in the Prayer Center, comforted those shedding tears, and congratulated peers for their courage in sharing with the group. Her warm hugs and bright smiles are now treasured gifts to all at the center. Without a doubt, many in the room on any given day find delight in hearing Hope's laughter.

"God has done many amazing things in my life since I've been here. The most important is proving that I am, in fact, loveable. I look around the room and see the faces of people who care about and love me unconditionally. Mere words can't express my gratitude," said Hope. "Being here has given me so much hope and started me on the road to healing. I've done so many things that I never dreamed I'd ever be able to do. I've learned so much here. One of the hardest is that I can do hard things even though I'm afraid; changing and healing are hard, but so is staying the same. You just have to choose your hard. I think the biggest thing I've learned is that I don't have to be ashamed of my scars or my story."

Just days before her graduation, Hope took a bold step toward her future by enrolling in college to study for a nursing degree. She embraced the opportunity to learn how to drive through lessons provided by a board member of the Hope Center and decided to enroll in Hope Community, the center's transitional housing program for graduates.

During her speech at her graduation, Hope encouraged her fellow residents, "To my sisters in the program, I want to encourage you not to give up. If I can do this, I really believe you can too."

"You might have been struck down," said Mary, "but you are not destroyed. Jesus has more to say."

*We are hard pressed on every side, but not crushed; perplexed, but not in despair; persecuted, but not abandoned; struck down, but not destroyed.*

*2 Corinthians 4:8-9*



**OUR HOPE COMMUNITY TRANSITIONAL HOUSING PROGRAM SERVES AS A CRUCIAL BRIDGE FOR WOMEN TRANSITIONING FROM RESTORATIVE CARE PROGRAMS, OFFERING VITAL SUPPORT AS THEY REINTEGRATE INTO THE COMMUNITY.**

Survivors of trauma can face significant challenges if they lack stable support systems or resources after completing restorative care programs. Research shows that without adequate post-program support, individuals exposed to trauma may experience prolonged hardships, heightening their risk of distress and a potential relapse into previous harmful patterns. Providing stable housing, ongoing access to care, and community-based resources is vital to supporting lasting recovery and long-term healing.

## 11 WOMEN SERVED IN 2024



*As a transitional housing program, Hope Community provides residents with freedom and high accountability, naturally resulting in lower turnover compared to programs serving individuals earlier in their healing journey. The residents of Hope Community are focused on reintegration and independent living.*


“Hope Community has helped me grow in new ways, encouraging accountability and independence at the same time. Learning how to love others better and keep a well balanced life.”

*Anonymous*

“Hope Community has been my safe haven! God has covered this place with safety, peace, and a calmness you can only receive from the Lord ♥ All the staff and residents help make this place feel like home and I am thankful to the Lord each and everyday I am part of this community. Recovery and healing are not things that are cured overnight, this community shines the light on the darkness and shows that they are with you every step of the way. I truly love being a part of this community in any way and this place is home for me!”

*Kaylie*





“As the season I’ve spent as a Hope Community resident comes to a close, I’ve been blessed in numerous ways. I’m grateful the Lord placed me there.

I’ve been able to build a firm foundation in our Lord & Savior Jesus Christ; to heal from deep trauma caused by addiction & homelessness; and to establish profoundly important relationships with many Godly people, along the way.

I found my true identity in Jesus Christ there! All the glory, honor and praise goes to the Lord for birthing the idea of the Hope Center, the Hope Community and for allowing me the freedom to grow spiritually while there!”

*Anne*

**2024 HOPE COMMUNITY RESIDENT**



*"The reason our Faith Builders core value resonates in my heart greatly is because I have personally received the power of healing and transformation from trauma in my life. I love to share my personal testimony with hurting and broken women through jail ministry and small group settings. One of my spiritual gifts is prayer and intercession, it is an honor to come onto Hope Center's campus praying and declaring freedom over the residents and His will on earth as in Heaven for all our staff/volunteer teams on a regular basis!"*

*Marte McCloud*  
VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR



## OUR CORE VALUES

### RELENTLESS COMMITMENT JOYFUL SERVANTS

- To Christ
- To the world around us
- To personal growth
- Courageous perseverance
- Humble, kind, and considerate

### KINGDOM MINDED

- One Vision
- United in Purpose
- Building God's kingdom in our community

### QUALITY THAT INSPIRES HOPE

- Excellence and integrity in all that we do
- Good stewards of time, talents, and treasures

### FAITH BUILDERS

- Through prayer
- Through healing and transformation
- Through the power of our testimonies





## OUR LEADERSHIP

### BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Our Board is made up of diverse professionals with expertise in leadership and training, medicine, finance, law, pastoral care, mental health, and business management. Together, they offer valuable oversight, accountability, and guidance to our leadership team.

- Michael Boring, Atty.
- Brad Davis, Chairman
- Dr. Teresa Jones, M.D.
- Angela King
- Margo Ward
- Mark Wright

### EXECUTIVE TEAM

Our Executive Team provides vision, strategic, and operational leadership to our organization. They set goals, solve issues, develop strategies, and ensure the strategies are executed effectively.

- Sara Feasel, Development
- Rachel Kleine, Business Development
- Hubert Nolen, Visionary (Executive Director)
- Mary Nolen, Integrator (Associate Director)
- Jennifer Starr, Residential



# Dan and Kendra Leary

## VOLUNTEERS OF HOPE

Dan and Kendra Leary met in chorus class their freshman year at Greenfield Central High School.

"We both were in the drama club and spent a lot of time together as friends," said Dan. "As sophomores, we were sitting in the school auditorium during a rehearsal, just talking as usual, and I asked her if she wanted to get dinner and catch a movie." Kendra said "yes," and 46 years of marriage later, they're still together.

The Learys first heard about Hope Center Indy after participating in a day of service organized by their church. After this, they wanted to learn more about Hope Center Indy's mission and returned to take one of the Saturday morning tours led by Pastor Nolen. They were amazed at the work being done to help survivors of sex trafficking. With retirement on the horizon for both Dan and Kendra, they felt God calling them to volunteer.

Having now both retired, Kendra helps serve lunch on Thursdays to the residents while Dan assists with food pick ups for the David Nolen Pantry of Hope and general maintenance on campus.

"I have met some strong, amazing women here," said Kendra, of the residents. "Just talking with them weekly and seeing how God is walking with them through their trials is truly amazing." Dan agrees, noting even the smallest of tasks can have an impact.



"I'm energized knowing that I'm not just picking up food or turning a wrench or mowing the grass or moving office furniture. I am helping to provide a safe place for women in dire circumstances beyond their control."

Along with helping women in need, volunteering at Hope Center Indy has allowed Dan and Kendra to grow as a couple. From their high school chorus class to volunteering, the Learys continue to strengthen their relationship and support each other by sharing common causes.

"We feel like Hope Center Indy is a wonderful place and is doing amazing things in women's lives," said Kendra. "We are very thankful for the opportunity to serve here."

# 2024

## VOLUNTEER IMPACT

18,625 HOURS SERVED



\$372,500 SAVED



343 ACTIVE  
VOLUNTEERS



913 GROUP  
VOLUNTEERS



THANK YOU

## ADOPT-A-ROOM DONORS

- Sequoyah Bible Tribe
- Harvest Bible Church
- Grace Assembly of God/SEWN
- New Hope Community Church
- Anonymous Donor
- Indiana FCCLA
- Delta Theta Tau Sorority, Franklin, IN
- Seguros Y Mas Para Todos
- The Chosen Small Group, 2024
- Mission Uprising
- The Girls of 1105

“My sister lived the life that a lot of these girls live. Unfortunately she didn't make it out, I wish she could have been nurtured at Hope Center and healed. She never had a place to rest here on earth. So this space is in memory of her. When I heard how much the girls loved the space it really blessed my heart.”

*Jessica Daeger*



“I’m extremely grateful for our adopt-a-room donors. On the car ride here, I had so much anxiety. What is this place like? Will people like me? Are they kind? Finally, I arrived. The huge building was so intimidating. Mrs. Deb led me in and showed me my room. It was so nice and beautiful and peaceful. There was a note left on my dresser. It said you are loved, and we’ve been praying for you. I can’t even begin to tell you how much it meant to me. I came from pretty much nothing. Neglect. A house that was infested with mice, a room that had nothing in it, only a bed. I kept my clothes in a suitcase. It was really bad, and no one cared. But to see my room filled with very nice furniture and decorations and a nice bed and comforter set, it brought tears to my eyes. I felt loved and wanted and cared for. And strangers did all this for me. Thank you for your kindness and everything you do.”

*Anonymous*

## THE HOPE CENTER CAMPUS

Our 25-acre campus serves as a refuge for healing, restoration, and transformation. Behind the scenes, our facilities team continues to do an outstanding job keeping our campus safe, functional, and beautiful for residents, staff, volunteers, and guests alike. We're deeply grateful to everyone who contributes to the stewardship of this special place!



## ELI LILLY & COMPANY

Last summer, **Eli Lilly and Company** brought **400 volunteers** to serve across our campus with energy and purpose! In addition to the hands-on help, they generously donated \$21,000 to replace the flooring throughout three floors in one of our residential buildings, which directly improved the living areas for our residents.

## ROOF REPLACEMENT

We also continue to be overwhelmed with gratitude for the generosity of our corporate partners who came together last year to bless us with a brand-new roof! **Owens Corning Roofing, Beacon Building Products, Peaked Pallets, Bone Dry, and the Indiana Chapter of National Women in Roofing** came together as an industry to supply every piece of material, manage logistics, and provide the labor needed to complete this project. We also thank **Beth Kegley**, our amazing groups volunteer coordinator, whose work and leadership make partnerships like these possible!





## THE DAVID NOLEN PANTRY OF HOPE

“Working at the Hope Center has allowed me to see things from a different perspective and has helped me grow as a person and in my relationship with God. I’ve been able to build great relationships with a lot more people. I’ve gotten to see the bigger picture of the Hope Center and how family-oriented it is, including the strength it’s taken and how God has worked to make it what it is today. The flexibility of the work schedule has also helped me maintain a better balance between work and family, allowing me to be there for my kids. I’m proud to be part of a center that helps people in need. I’m proud to be part of something special.”

*Colleen Kimberlin*

FOOD SERVICES TEAM MEMBER

“The food pantry impacts me personally by allowing me to provide meals and food for my family and help provide for other families. I take food from the pantry to one family that is currently leveraging food stamps and the parent shared with me it is impactful and so touching the various food that is being provided each week. Another family that the pantry helps lives in another state. The food is taken and delivered and this person too is very grateful. The pantry impacts so many people near and far.”

*Anonymous*

PANTRY CLIENT

## DAVID NOLEN PANTRY OF HOPE • 2024

### IMPACT

Our kitchen and pantry staff and volunteers are vital to fulfilling our mission at Hope Center Indy. Being a 24/7 care facility, we must provide nutritious meals for our residents, and we are honored to be able to offer them to our volunteers and staff as well.

This outreach is at the core of Hope Center's mission in imparting hope and healing to every heart. We pray our neighbors who visit the food pantry receive not only food, but more importantly hope and healing.

# 41,607

## NEIGHBORS HAD ACCESS TO FOOD AND ESSENTIAL SUPPLIES

# 20,350

### MEALS SERVED

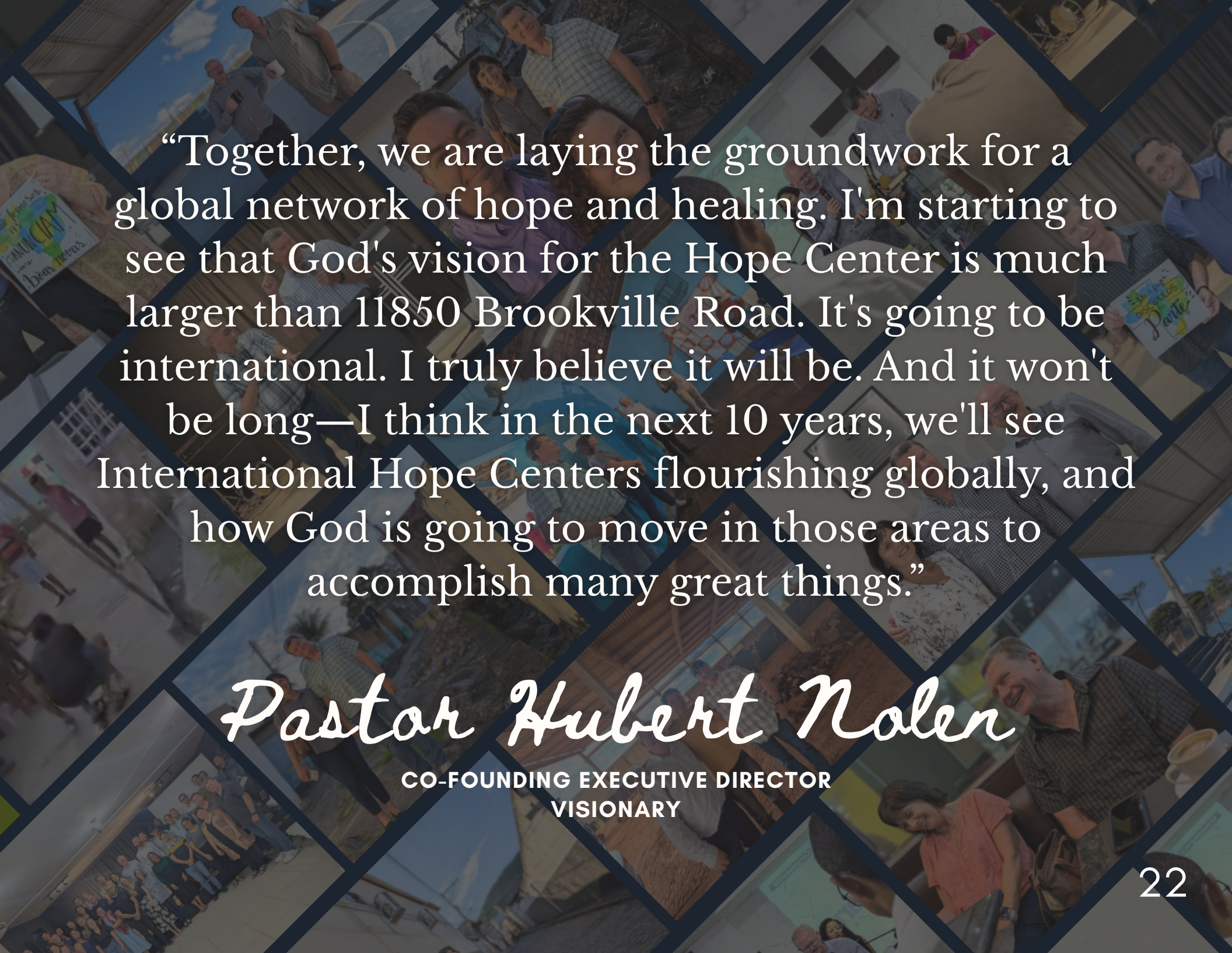
# 10,034

### FAMILIES SERVED

# 773,327

### POUNDS OF FOOD DONATED TO THE HOPE CENTER





“Together, we are laying the groundwork for a global network of hope and healing. I'm starting to see that God's vision for the Hope Center is much larger than 11850 Brookville Road. It's going to be international. I truly believe it will be. And it won't be long—I think in the next 10 years, we'll see International Hope Centers flourishing globally, and how God is going to move in those areas to accomplish many great things.”

*Pastor Hubert Nolen*

CO-FOUNDING EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR  
VISIONARY





## KINGDOM BUILDERS

One of the most exciting developments at Hope Center Indy in 2024 has been the launch of our new division, Kingdom Builders. Kingdom Builders seeks to multiply our impact by developing Christian leaders who can impart hope and healing to vulnerable populations and build God's kingdom around the world.

Thanks to the generosity of individuals who are passionate about spreading the Gospel across borders, the resources and funds allocated to this division come specifically from supporters who have designated their gifts for this purpose. No funding or resources were diverted from our other ministries or residential operations.

### Developing Christian Leaders



### Church and Ministry Planting



### Mission Trips



This vision is being realized through three key avenues:



In 2024, we took an important step forward in aligning our giving engines under a shared, unified purpose. As part of this vision, we began developing a new child brand of Hope Center Indy, called “Redefined.”

Although the official launch of the new logos was planned for 2025, 2024 was a pivotal year for laying the foundation for this meaningful project.

# Redefined

A new creation in Christ.  
2 Corinthians 5:17



## GIVING ENGINES

Reports show that few survivors exiting trafficking have access to services that would allow them to truly thrive. Opportunities and services such as accessible therapy and gainful employment are few and far between for survivors, delaying their healing (Polaris, 2023).

The Redefined businesses at Hope Center Indy exist to bridge this gap and not only provide gainful employment to residents living at Hope Center Indy but also help to equip them with the skills to make sure they are work-ready when they graduate from our programs. Once a resident reaches phase four in the Take Heart Program, she is able to begin working at Redefined. Many of our residents will work up to and after her graduation.

*Redefined is one of those places that most of the time doesn't seem real.*

*From the friendships and inside jokes to the heartfelt prayers or support. Of course mixed in with the regular work stuff. It's a place built on passion for Christ. Every time I walk through the doors I'm welcomed by a community of incredible women who God is doing so much through. Each shift Im blessed with grace upon grace and lesson upon lesson. God has blessed me more than words could express through this job. Redefined, specifically the people I get the privilege of working alongside, show me Gods love and who he calls his children to be. It's shown me more of who Christ is and how He loves.*

*abby*

REDEFINED EMPLOYEE

# 4,891

## HOURS PAID TO RESIDENT EMPLOYEES IN 2024





## FUTURE

### INNOVATION CENTER

A few years ago, Jake Flagle relocated his office and engineering lab to the Hope Center campus in an effort to explore ways to create long-term employment opportunities for residents of the Hope Center. What started as a small operation quickly turned into something beyond his imagination.

Jake's vision has now flourished into partnerships with multiple companies through 316 Contract Manufacturing.



One of the most exciting collaborations is with Compact Medical to produce the Butterfly Bag Valve Mask (ButterflyBVM). This innovative medical device, designed to revolutionize CPR practices and save countless lives, embodies the Hope Center's mission to impart hope and healing to every heart.

For Jake, the work at the Hope Center is about creating lasting change in the lives of the women the ministry serves. He describes the four pillars that guide his vision for contract manufacturing at the Hope Center: **World-Class Products, Work as Worship, Creating Pathways for Upward Mobility, and Financial Support for the Ministry.**



The future is exciting and filled with potential. Jake and the team envision scaling operations through vertical integration and the creation of **an innovation center**. But always, staying open to God's plans and following wherever He leads.

*"Never in a million years would I have dreamed we'd be building medical devices here. I could have seen us assembling consumer electronics or goods, but to become an FDA-registered facility producing life-saving devices? That's something only God could orchestrate.*

*It's not just about the work we do here; it's about the lives being changed. It's about seeing the women grow, heal, and discover their God-given purpose. That's why we do what we do. I'm continually amazed at what happens here. God's fingerprints are all over this place, and I'm just thankful to be along for the journey." -Jake*

When we first partnered with **Jordan Detection K-9** to house an electronic storage detection training facility on our campus, we couldn't have fully imagined the profound impact it would have in the fight to end human trafficking.

The K-9s are trained in electronic storage detection, which enables them to identify a specific chemical commonly used in electronic devices such as phones and laptops. The dogs' training in electronic storage detection begins with their handler associating food rewards with the successful storage detection. Through this process, basic cues and advanced commands are instilled. This skill makes them a valuable asset to law enforcement during search warrants. Their dedication and hard work have led to numerous arrests in human trafficking, child pornography, and other crimes.

- **1,412 Search warrants**
- **1,214 Search warrants resulting in the location of electronic evidence**
- **962 Suspects arrested**
- **199 Survivors recovered**

*These statistics only represent the work of K-9 teams under the sponsorship of our partners at Our Rescue. We estimate that the cumulative figures, including teams that trained on our campus but work with other organizations, are much higher. Our collaboration with Jordan Detection K-9 and law enforcement vastly extends our impact, enabling us to impart hope and help to an increasing number of people worldwide.*

## K-9 TRAINING PROGRAM





We're on a mission to impart the hope and healing of Jesus to every heart by providing resources and programs that address both physical and spiritual needs.

We believe the past does not define you, and that through Christ, a new life is always within reach.

## FINANCIALS

IN 2024, WE RAISED

# \$2.3M

AND INVESTED

\$1M in our services to survivors of sex trafficking and related trauma, including launching our short-term emergency housing program.

WE ALSO RECEIVED  
\$1.7M IN GIFTS-IN-KIND

- \$1.45M in food for internal use and pantry distribution
- \$19K in facility renovations + upgrades
- \$67K in clothing donations
- \$122K in roof replacement

## PRIMARY SOURCES OF INCOME:

- Individuals
- Churches + ministries
- Corporations + small businesses
- Grants (non-government)
- Giving engines (businesses)



In 2024, our ministry earned accreditation from the Evangelical Council for Financial Accountability (ECFA), an organization that sets the standard for responsible stewardship among churches and ministries.

We are committed to upholding ECFA's Seven Standards of Responsible Stewardship™, which include financial accountability, organizational transparency, effective governance, and ethical fundraising practices.

*"Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for He who promised is faithful."* HEBREWS 10:23





## THE 2024 FOUNDER'S AWARD WAS PRESENTED TO

*Larry & Judy Summers*

"I would like to share briefly how the Spirit of the Lord led my wife and me to become supporters of Hope Center Indy.

It was in the Spring of 2018, and we had the radio on in our home, west of Zionsville.

It wasn't like we were sitting and listening to the radio, but suddenly it became apparent that the radio host was interviewing a young man who was reporting on a Christian ministry for young women located on the East side of Indianapolis. That young man, as it turned out, was David Nolen.

David's comments about Hope Center Indy were inspirational and, maybe inspired. That said, together with his enthusiasm and the content, I was prompted to check out the Hope Center website. In several email exchanges with David, I posed a sequence of questions, and David promptly and quite sufficiently answered them.



David's responses were so timely and transparent that I finally felt bold enough to ask for financial statements, which he promptly provided. Needless to say, I was impressed.

Then, to get more background, I searched the Brookville Road Community Church website, wanting to make sure the church founded by Pastor Hubert had sound theology.

Next came a Saturday morning tour. I met David in person and his humility was evident. The tour was impressive. I had visited this facility owned by another ministry back in the mid-1990s, and the facilities at that time were in deplorable condition. So I was impressed with the care and improvements made by the Hope Center since the mid-'90s.

I wanted my wife, Judy, to meet David and Pastor Hubert, and due to her health, they were willing to visit us at our home, where we asked more questions. Their answers resonated with us, and we prayed together.

In May 2018, we became financial supporters of Hope Center Indy, all because the Lord saw fit to introduce David and this ministry to us a couple of months earlier. And little did we know, of course, that we would learn so much more about David Nolen and his family at the Celebration of David's Life a year later. What a Godly young man and Godly family, including his young bride, Stephanie.

So thanks be to God, David (along with all our family members and friends who have made that great confession that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the Living God, and received Him as their Lord and Savior and who have departed this earthly realm) will be waiting for us in Heaven, maybe at the East gate of the New Jerusalem.

To God be the Glory for the great things He has done and is doing! Amen!"



"Every once in a while, you meet a Christian whose life challenges you. You want to be like the Jesus in them. For me, Larry's heart to give sacrificially challenged me. His goal has been to give away all the Lord has entrusted to Him before his departure to heaven, except a total he has decided on for his family. In all my years of ministry I have not witnessed such generosity. And little did I know at the time we met the Lord's blessings that would come through Larry and Judy. I am not sure the odds of David sharing on the radio about the Hope Center ministry and Larry tuning in that day but I would say very unlikely. But when God is at work the timing is always perfect and God has just the right person listening."

*Divine appointments are arranged by God.  
May Jesus, our Lord and Savior, be praised for all  
that will be accomplished through the Hope  
Center and the Summers Family for all eternity!*



## THE STORY

# *Continues*

When we launched Hope Center Indy, we set out with the vision to provide comprehensive programs and services that address immediate needs while creating long-term solutions for survivors of human trafficking.

Since then, thanks to our staff, volunteers, and the generous support of our donors, we've been able to impact the lives of thousands of people through residential care options, outreach initiatives, and life-changing resources, including our food pantry, residential programs, and work programs.

This mission is far too critical to approach with anything less than our full commitment—and we know we can't do it alone. Thank you for standing with us, for empowering us to expand our programs, and for helping us reach even more survivors and those most vulnerable in our communities.

We believe that through Jesus Christ:  
Healing is possible.  
Change is inevitable.  
And hope is always within reach.

# TAKE ACTION

## Quick steps

Sign up to receive a monthly prayer guide and other updates

Explore our beautiful campus during tours available on Saturdays at 10:30 a.m., or request a private tour at [info@hopecenterindy.org](mailto:info@hopecenterindy.org)

Join us for events throughout the year that create awareness and raise funds to support our mission!

Donate women's clothing year-round

Shopping is serving! Come to one of our giving engines and shop!

You can conveniently donate our most needed items right from your home through Amazon!

## Inspire Others

Invite a Hope Center representative to speak at your event or host an information table to share our mission and resources.

## Deepen your footprints

Join Hope Center Indy's volunteer team

Join our Adopt a Space Program and renovate various areas on campus. This is great for companies, church groups, families, and friends!

Join our team as an intern to learn new skills and obtain hands-on experience working at a nonprofit while giving back to our community and causes you care about!

Work with us as a staff member! Check out our most up-to-date employment opportunities on our website



Champion our mission by providing financial gifts that enable us to continue our vital work and expand our programs to reach even more people in need!

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