WAYS TO GIVE

Consider a gift to this ministry in memory of a departed friend or loved one.

An honorarium is a wonderful way to celebrate a variety of occasions. You may honor a client or family member by making a donation in his/her name. These will be acknowledged in our newsletter.

Consider including the Mission of Hope in your will. You may also give a gift of property, stocks, bonds, boats or vehicles.

“But lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven...”

Enclosed is my gift of $ ________

☐ In Memory Of  ☐ In Honor Of

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Please send an acknowledgement to the following:

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Date:_________

Thanksgiving For Victory

As we approach the holiday season, our hearts are turned toward thanksgiving to God for His many blessings. Would you join those of us at Mission of Hope as we thank God for the victory we have in Christ and the victory we are able to share with our clients on a regular basis.

“But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.” I Cor. 15:57

Notice the word “GIVETH” in this text. God so wants us to experience victory that He has turned it into a gift of His grace. Notice the word “THROUGH.” Jesus is the means by which this gift of victory is extended to us as Christians. Therefore, without Jesus there is no victory. This grace gift permeates three areas of our Christian experience:

VICTORY OVER LIFE

“But thanks be unto God, which always causes us to triumph in Christ…” II Cor. 2:14

Someone once said “Thanksgiving is Thanksliving.” Thanksliving is living daily in thankfulness to God for the victory only He can give us. Thank God that we can walk in victory daily because what Jesus did on the cross in the past extends into the present by faith in God’s supernatural power. Jesus conquers life.

VICTORY OVER DEATH

“...Death is swallowed up in victory. O death, where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory?” I Cor. 15:54-55

What a tremendous blessing it is to be at peace about what will happen to us as Christians when we die. Because of Jesus and His cross we can be assured that when we close our eyes in death there will be victory if we are His. Jesus conquered death.

VICTORY OVER THERE

“Thanks be unto God for his unspeakable gift.” II Cor. 9:15

Isn’t it wonderful to realize that because of Jesus our victory will extend into eternity after death. Heaven is victory. Jesus is victory. Jesus conquered eternity at Calvary.

Thank you so much!

You may ask, “How can I participate?” You can purchase a $50 gift card from WAL-MART or if you would prefer sending a $50 check or cash, you may do that as well to the address below. Just make sure that your donation is well marked – CHILDREN OF HOPE TREE. We can also charge your credit card, but you’ll need to contact Susan at 251-533-0246. Your sponsorship is tax-deductable, so make sure we have all your personal contact information if you want tax credit.

Mission of Hope Ministries
Children of Hope Tree
14970 Mission Rd.
Mobile, AL  36608

Allow me to tell you what makes the Children of Hope Tree unique from every other “angel tree” you know about. The majority of our clients come to the mission with their family relationships extremely strained, broken, or non-existent. When you send your $50 contribution to sponsor a child on our tree, our “elves” take our list and shop for all the children. The toys are then organized by age category, and placed on tables. Our clients come in and “shop” (at no cost, of course) for the perfect toys for their child(ren). Our clients wrap the gifts, write their own card and present the gifts to their child(ren) on Christmas visitation day. This goes a long way in restoring broken relationships.

When moms and dads come to our program at Christmas time, it is so hard for them to be away from their families, and the concern of not being able to work to buy their children gifts is a very real burden for them. Once they hear about our Children of Hope Tree, their concerns go away, and they are able to focus on getting the help they need and finishing their program here. It really is a win-win for everyone. YOUR sponsorship does that. Please help. And if you can’t contribute, please help us spread the word. Thank you so much!
Logan’s Testimony

Thank you Jesus! That’s the phrase that keeps running through my head as I think about my testimony.

My name is Logan Chambers, and if you ask me, I don’t deserve to be where I am today. I hurt a lot of people... my family, my friends. The devil will use the things you’ve done to make you feel like you’ve gone too far. He will make you feel like there is no hope. It seems so cliche, “Just trust God,” “Give it to God.” Those words mean nothing until you’ve been truly set free. It was at my lowest point, when I had given up that I came to The Mission. Little did I know, my new life was only beginning.

This month completes my year long step up program after the initial 90 days. The Lord has blessed me with the opportunity to be one of two men in a new program as a Ministry Intern at the Mission of Hope. After giving my life to the Lord I feel there is little else worth doing than serve God and share His love and truth. In Him is all. What a blessing to see whole families changed!!

Susan Floyd @ 251-533-0246

End Of The Year Donation Drive

For a donation of $10 or more you can receive our 2020 Mission of Hope wall calendar, featuring monthly scripture prayers for loved ones lost in addiction. This is also a competition between our campuses. The campus that raises the most money by December 31st, 2019 will receive a top-of-the-line ice cream fellowship with all the toppings for their clients. They can purchase to the campus that is closest to your heart. Last year was lots of fun and Fruitdale was our big campus winner. To purchase a calendar by mail, the minimum donation is $15. To purchase online or by mail please contact Susan Floyd @ 251-533-0246, or if you are led to help the WOMEN, please call Dacia at the Taylor House campus at 251-829-5108, Bobbi at Moffett Road campus at 251-649-5108, or Rebecca at Fruitdale campus at 251-827-6333.

Thank you for all your help.

Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God; Philippians 4:6

Look up to see Nathan in the teal “Iron sharpens iron” Proverbs 27:17, and look down to see the shirt Emily has on. His eye is on the sparrow.

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Lillian Brinkman
by Friendship Baptist Church

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Joseph “Don” Graham
by Warren & Cecil Guidry

Don Graham
by Diane Enriquez

Pictured above Sarah is wearing the peach shirt saying “Redeemed”.

Who doesn’t like t shirts? Wearing ones that represent scripture promotes conversation with others. We have four different designs that you can purchase for a donation of $20.00. If you are interested in helping us in this way please contact Stephanie Hepburn @ 251-459-9606 or Stephanie.hepburn@missionofhopeministries.net

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Matt Finley
by S.L. Williamson

Pictured to the left: The last 5th Sunday Family Service at Wilmer 1st Baptist was amazing as everyone was moved to worship our loving and wonderful God Almighty!!

Pictured Below, Stephanie is wearing “If the stars we made to worship so will I.”

The Annual Jars of Hope will kick off in January 2020. If you or your church is interested in participating please contact Susan Floyd @ 251-533-0246

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Pictured Above: Every Tuesday @ 2:30, the campus that raises the most money for clients rolled in our program. This year we ask you to consider helping with Christmas for our clients. Talk to your Church, small group and/or Sunday school class and plan to make this Christmas special for our men and women. If you would like to help the MEN contact Susan 251-533-0246, or if you are led to help the WOMEN, please call Dacia at the Taylor House campus at 251-829-5108, Bobbi at Moffett Road campus at 251-649-5108, or Rebecca at Fruitdale campus at 251-827-6333.

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Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths. Proverbs 3:5-6