



# Fair Haven

Children's Home

*A neighborhood of homes for children*

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# FROM THE ADMINISTRATOR



*Barney Crawford,  
Executive Director*

As we close out 2024, we look back over a year where God has blessed us immensely. We celebrated 60 Years of service, we had a successful auction, and we are finally fully staffed again. All of these were positive answers to our fervent prayers.

2024 marked 60 years of serving the children of Missouri. Our work started back in 1964 with a focus on children in need. That same work continues today with a goal of providing a loving, godly, family environment for those children who need us the most. It is because of you that we have been allowed to help hundreds of young people for the last 60 years and it will be you that helps us continue for another 60.

Our annual auction experienced a good turnout as far as supporters/buyers and our total was \$13,581. This total was slightly lower than some previous auctions total but was still a good amount considering we did not have any big-ticket items such as cars, boats, or trailers. Historically, we have used the proceeds from this event to purchase our heating fuel for the coming Winter. Generally, we use between 20,000-24,000 gallons of propane and so while this amount will fall slightly short of our needs, we had some carryover credits in our account from last year's milder Winter.

Over the last two years we have lost several sets of houseparents because of retirement or job transitions and have struggled to replace those workers. Thankfully, God has blessed us again and over the last couple of months we have welcomed 4 new sets of houseparents to our campus. Please continue praying for all our staff here at Fair Haven as we continue this work and join us in welcoming those who have chosen to serve God in this manner.

Finally, we thank you all for your years as donors and supporters as take in these children in need. Without you, we just could not continue. We pray that God keeps blessing our endeavors and we can continue for another 60 years.

God bless,

Barney Crawford



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# BIBLICAL EXAMPLES OF GRIEF by Brad Fox

This is the third article in a series of four about Grief. We have looked at Understanding Grief and Biblical Examples of Grief, so let's turn to **What Does the Bible Teach About Dealing with Grief**. All the Bible quotes are from ESV.



A good place to start considering what the Bible says about grief, is to recognize that grief is a natural part of life. Ecclesiastes 3 reads in part, "*(vs 1) For everything there is a season, and a time for every matter under heaven: ... (vs 4) a time to weep, and a time to laugh; a time to mourn, and a time*

*to dance...*" Since "the fall" of mankind back in the garden of Eden we have experienced grief as a part of our lives.

When Jesus lost his friend Lazarus to death, he wept (John 11:35). He had to allow Lazarus' sisters to experience the loss of their beloved brother. If Jesus grieved, it set the example for us to grieve our sorrows as well. Look at the description of Jesus from **Isaiah 53:3-5**:

*"He was despised and rejected by men, a man of sorrows and acquainted with grief; and as one from whom men hide their faces he was despised, and we esteemed him not. Surely he has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows; yet we esteemed him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted. But he was pierced for our transgressions; he was crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the chastisement that brought us peace, and with his wounds we are healed."*

Hebrews 4 lets us know that Jesus went through all the struggles that humans do. Jesus not only gives us the example of our grieving, HE is the one we can give our griefs and sorrows to. Look at what Christ tells us:

**Matthew 11:28-30** *"Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light."*

**John 14:27** *"Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid."*

**John 16:22** *"So also you have sorrow now, but I will see you again, and your hearts will rejoice, and no one will take your joy from you."*

**Matthew 5:4** *"Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted."*

There are many passages in the book of Psalms that share with us God's concern for His people who are hurting. Here are a few:

**Psalms 34:18** *"The Lord is near to the brokenhearted and saves the crushed in spirit."*

**Psalms 73:26** *"My flesh and my heart may fail, but God is the strength of my heart and my portion forever."*

**Psalms 147:3** *"He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds."*

Sometimes our sorrows are brief in nature, and sometimes the grief seems to just keep going and going. As we mentioned earlier, from Ecclesiastes, there is a time for everything. Time and holding to God's purpose will help in the healing process, even with the deepest of our grief.

God's word tells us that we are not to grieve like people who don't believe in Him. Death is one of the primary causes of grief, but because Christians have hope (which is defined as a desire WITH expectation) in a resurrection, we know that death does not have the final say. God's people have a hope that the world does not, a hope for eternal life.

**1 Thessalonians 4:13** *"But we do not want you to be uninformed, brothers, about those who are asleep, that you may not grieve as others do who have no hope."*

**Romans 8:18** *"For I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing with the glory that is to be revealed to us."*

Our grief may last a season or the rest of our lives, but it is not without hope because of who God is. We can grieve with hope, knowing that [grief is temporary](#). Our losses and grief will be resolved in the end.

**Revelation 21:1-4** *"Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth, for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. And I saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "Behold, the dwelling place of God is with man. He will dwell with them, and they will be his people, and God himself will be with them as their God. He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore, for the former things have passed away."*

Please pray for our work here at Fair Haven. Our children have had so many losses and struggles in their lives and Jesus is the answer. It is sometimes difficult for some of us who have had years and decades of spiritual growth to understand these principles. Imagine what it must be like to be a child who may not have been in a Godly environment. Thank you for supporting our work! Next time we will look at our final topic: "How Do I Help Others In Their Time of Grief."

Brad Fox  
Director of Children's Services

# HOUSEPARENT SPOTLIGHT By Brian York

We are pleased to announce that, as of September, we are fully staffed for our work with the children at Fair Haven. Through life changes, retirements, and other events, we have lost 3 different sets of houseparents over the last 2 years. Our faithful donors and our dedicated houseparents are the greatest factors in keeping this work going and they are both the most difficult to replace. This quarter we would like to highlight those who are on the front lines and deal with the day-to-day issues faced by our young people on campus. We would also like for you to take a moment to pray for these folks and the work they do every day.



**Bryan & Laura VanWinkle** – Cottage 1

**Jesse & Shelby Menendez** – Cottage 2

**Fred & Kelly Jordan** – Cottage 3

**Todd & Brandy Kraus** – Cottage 4

**Jeff & Elaina Treat** – Cottage 5

**Brian & Samantha York** – Relief Cottage

## A Houseparent's Work

Our houseparents are the lifblood of what we do here at Fair Haven. The children that come to us and their experiences are as varied as you can imagine. Nearly every child that comes to us has a parent who has made errors in judgment in raising that child. While some of these are more minor than others, some of these errors can be quite extreme.



**When children come to campus – the child's perspective** – Imagine being taken from your parents and placed with a new set overnight. You don't have your favorite blanket, stuffed animal, or even access to your best friend. You are mad, scared, and hurting. This family you have been placed with doesn't know who you are and are asking you all these questions about what foods you like, how old you are, and if you are allergic to anything. Don't they understand that you just want to go home? It's a confusing and frustrating experience.

The feelings are different when children have been placed in care previously. In this case, they know the drill and take it a little more in stride. Some of them have been removed from the home a multitude of times, so this becomes their standard operating procedure of life. It is not unusual for them to just consider this to be normal.

**When children come to campus – the houseparent perspective** – Receiving children would seem like an easy experience, but these children are hurting in many ways. Typically, they just want to go home. You try to calm their fears and reassure them you aren't trying to replace their parents; you are just going to take care of them until their parents can correct their mistakes. Feeding, clothing, shelter, and schooling are some of the essentials of day-to-day parenting in any household, but our work goes beyond those basics. Some children have been abused and are hurting on different levels. We wish we could take all the pain away, but it really isn't that easy.

These young people often act out in a variety of ways, and you must remember that, although you are on the receiving end of their anger, you really aren't what they are angry about. It is difficult to not take these things personally, but you remind yourself the reason for this aggression and work to redirect it as best you can.

Being a houseparent is rewarding, but challenging work. You do your best to provide for these young people's physical, emotional, and spiritual needs and still wonder if you've done enough. They may never thank you, but they will remember that you cared.

**When children leave campus – our hopes for them and their future** – It is our hope that these young people will know that we tried our best. Our greatest hope, however, is that we have demonstrated God in our lives and shown them a model of a Christian family that they can later emulate in their own lives.



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## What CAN I Do?

**I can't be a houseparent – what CAN I do?** – Not everyone is geared for this type of work, but many are and do a fabulous job with these children. There are many factors in life which would make it difficult for a person to take on this role, but there are still so many ways to help.



**I CAN pray for the folks that do this work** – Never discount the power of prayer! Just knowing that people are praying for us is encouraging.

**I CAN send a note of encouragement to the houseparents** – Keep it simple. Just an encouraging word or two goes a long way.

**I CAN send a birthday card to a child** – Our kiddos love getting mail.

**I CAN become a monthly donor** – Even a little bit makes a difference.

**I CAN donate to Thrift Haven** – If it's time to clean the garage or attic, bring it to us.

**I CAN volunteer at Thrift Haven** – Even a couple hours a week, helps our children.

I CAN accomplish so much more than I CAN'T! Some of our houseparents have been with us for only a couple months and others have been here nearly 17 years. Of course, some of them questioned whether they could make a difference or not, but they decided to say I CAN... try!

Years ago, a young lady (a teenager at the time) decided to start coming to Fair Haven every month and spending time with the kiddos here. Since that time, she has married and has several children of her own. Now she brings her family out every month to spend time with our young people.

What CAN you do? Probably more than you think!

Brian York  
Director of Development



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# VOLUNTEERS NEEDED



It seems like we are always needing more help at Thrift Haven and we do! Our thrift store helps generate a lot of help to our bottom line financially and it is our volunteers who make it happen. Our wonderful helpers work to sort, price, and stock our donations and we are thankful for every moment they contribute. We have folks who volunteer several hours each week and others who only have a couple of hours each month to help. Regardless of how much time you have available, it all adds up to help keep the donations sorted, priced, and to the sales floor.

For more information contact Dan Pfaff

Thrift Haven  
1312 S Glenstone Ave, Springfield, MO 65804  
(417) 882-3392

## 2025 VISIT SCHEDULING



Reviewing my 2025 calendar, I currently have many open slots to fill. I would love the opportunity to visit with your congregation about the work we do here at Fair Haven and give you an update on our new houseparents as well as other changes on campus. Most often I am asked to take the Sunday morning bible class time for an update on the home and then deliver a sermon during worship, however, I am also available at other times as needed (Sunday evening, Wednesday night, etc.). I know many congregations take this time of year to start working on next year's calendar and I would love the opportunity to visit with you. Additionally, if you have a special interest group that would enjoy more information on what we do, I'm available for those as well. Just let me know and I'll work to get you on my schedule.

Brian York  
Director of Development  
(417) 862-6675



# WAYS TO DONATE

## Cash or Check

- Mail to Fair Haven Children's Home | 3132 N. Fair Haven Loop | Strafford, MO 65757

## Time

- Donate your time by becoming a Volunteer at Thrift Haven
- Volunteers are needed for all days, but especially Saturday.
- Call 417-882-3392 and ask for Dan

## Credit Card / Paypal Donations through our website

- <https://www.fairhavenchildrenshome.com/donate>

## Change for Children

- Contact us at 417-862-6675 to have cans sent to you, then drop in your extra change.
- Return cans to Fair Haven or put them with your Grocery Run donations at your local congregation to have them picked up.

# CLOTHING AND OTHER NEEDS

- Bath Towels
- Brushes
- Combs
- Feminine hygiene products

- Hair Accessories
- Nail clippers
- Qtips
- Washclothes

## Boys and Girls clothes size 5T and up:

- Pajamas
- T-shirts
- Sweat Pants
- Sweat Shirts

# GROCERY LIST

Thank you to all who have helped by donating groceries and money, and have participated in the Grocery pickups. We can't stress enough how important your donations are to keep our pantry fully supplied. See below for a list of current needs:

## DRY GOODS / COOKING

- Baking Soda
- Baking Powder
- Brownie Mix
- Cake icing
- Cake Mix
- Dry Pinto Beans
- Dry Navy Beans
- Dry Northern Beans
- Egg Noodles
- Macaroni
- Macaroni and Cheese
- Rice (White and Brown)
- Rice a Roni
- Self Rising Flour
- Snacks
- Spaghetti

## CANNED GOODS

- Beef Broth
- Canned Chicken
- Chicken Broth
- Chili Beans
- Canned Chili
- Canned Stew
- Enchilada Sauce (Mild)
- Kidney Beans
- Pinto Beans
- Pork N Beans
- Soups (Creamed/Regular)
- Spaghetti Sauce
- Spam
- Tuna in Water
- Tomato Sauce/Paste

## FRUITS/VEGGIES (CANNED)

- Black eyed Peas
- Carrots
- Green Beans
- Hominy
- Mixed Vegetables
- Pineapple
- Peaches
- Ro Tel Tomatoes

## JUICE/BEVERAGES

- Tea Bags
- Bottled Juice
- Individual Juice Boxes
- Kool Aid

## CONDIMENTS

- Catsup
- BBQ Sauce
- Honey
- Jellies
- Mayo
- Miracle Whip
- Mustard
- Pancake Syrup
- Taco Sauce, Salsa
- Vinegar

## MISCELLANEOUS

- Aluminum Foil
- Cascade
- Cleaning Supplies
- Cupcake liners
- Dish Washing Liquid
- Fabric Softener
- Microwavable Paper Plates
- Paper Cups
- Trash Bags (13 & 30 gal)
- Wax Paper
- Zip Lock Bags

## PERSONAL ITEMS

- Body Wash
- Deoderant
- Hand Soap
- Shampoo (kids/adults)
- Toothpaste

Sometimes items are listed by brand name so our donors will understand exactly what we need. However, store and generic brands are always welcomed with great appreciation.

# MEMORIAL & HONOR GIVING

You can also make Memorial/Honor Gifts Online at: [www.fairhavenchildrenshome.org](http://www.fairhavenchildrenshome.org)

Honor the life and/or memory of a loved one by giving to Fair Haven Children's Homes in the form of a Memorial gift or Honor gift. Gifts will be used in specific areas of service at Fair Haven Children's Home (ie. school supplies, needs for the houses, etc.) upon request.

PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION!

- In Memory Of:     In Honor Of:

Send Acknowledgement To:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Address  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City/State/ZIP

Your Information:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Address  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City/State/ZIP  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Daytime Phone (in case we have questions about the gift)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Congregation (if applicable)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
E-Mail Address

# MEMORIALS / SPECIAL OCCASIONS

## MAY, JUNE, JULY 2024

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In honor of her for being a good  
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Nadean L Davis

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DON EWING  
BILL JOHNMEYER  
STAN GILLHAM  
VENTON HASKINS  
JUDY JEWELL  
JORDAN DRAKE  
KEN STEWART  
SHERRY AUSTIN  
LYNETTE GIBBY  
ARLENE BLAKEY  
TED & GEORGIA HUNT  
CAROLYN COLLINS  
BERT BLAKEY  
In lieu of flowers while in the  
hospital  
Sunset Church of Christ

GROUND CREW THAT WORKS SO  
HARD AT CHURCH  
AND FOR THE HELP THEY  
PROVIDED ME  
Sheryl Low

JOEL JORDAN  
PAUL JORDAN  
In honor of Father's Day  
Karen Short

AMANDA SAMUEL & FRIEND  
For my guardian angels  
Nadean L Davis

ROBIN V WILKERSON  
In honor of him  
Maxie Keith Collier

BUD WRANOSKY  
In honor of him for always shining  
the light of Jesus wherever he goes  
Lisa Guerrero

# MEMORIALS / SPECIAL OCCASIONS

## AUGUST, SEPTEMBER, OCTOBER 2024

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Donald Amyx

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Gen Severson

SUE BOND  
William Totty

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David Losa

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MARGARET KELLEHER  
MAY ANN MCFALL  
JANICE ELAINE HAY  
Kim & Gary Crockett

MIKE BOZICH  
Joe & June Campbell  
Shirley Jenkins  
Janet Van Zandt

DANNY LEE BROWN  
Larry & Betty Brown

LOUISE BROWN  
Leo & Sharon Martin

STEVE BUCKLINGER  
Lincoln Church of Christ

ANNIE CARLSON  
Hart family, Mary, Millie, Betty, Vic

BECKY CAYLOR  
Magical Customized Travel

O.D. CHANEY  
Omaha Church of Christ

FLOYD "BUD" CLARK  
Energry ANO

Erma Walther  
Leo & Sharon Martin  
Vaughn & Shirley Whiting  
Jim Rodelander  
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# MEMORIALS / SPECIAL OCCASIONS

## AUGUST, SEPTEMBER, OCTOBER 2024

### VENTON HERALD HASKINS

Ron Penney & Team  
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Amy VanGorden  
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Peggy Dunlap  
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Tim & Cindy Wolters  
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Minnie Jo Lorette Henson

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David & Donna Galloway

### RICHARD HERMAN HOLLOWAY

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Virginia Ahrens  
Deboran Owen  
Dee Coyle  
Pam Cantrell  
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Steven & Kim Shelton  
Mike nook  
Mike & Amy Gregoire

### JOAN JONES

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Raymond & Ritha Towe  
Estel & Vickie Becker

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Sue Christie

### DEWEY LASSLEY

Louise Hillhouse

### JIMMIE LEATHERMAN

Charles Letterman

### BETTY LOVELAND

Allen & Sue Iorg & families  
Donna Loveland

### JOHN & LEAH LUALLIN

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Claudine Kakac & family  
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Leah Beth Keppen  
Mary Jane Hinkle  
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Scott & Carion Rumans

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#### COMPASSUS HOSPICE

In honor of them  
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MONIKA EASTERLY

KAREN SCOTT

ALLAN SEYMOUR

DALE WAGNER

MICHELLE MCGEE

SHERRY AUSTIN

LARRY ELCHNER

In lieu of flowers while in the hospital

Sunset Church of Christ

#### CAROL INGLE

In honor of her birthday  
Gene Ingle

#### VALERIE KEHR

In honor of her  
Omaha Church of Christ

#### STEVE SAMUEL

In lieu of flowers while in the hospital

Branson Church of Christ

#### KEELA TAYLOR

In honor of her  
Kim Rusell

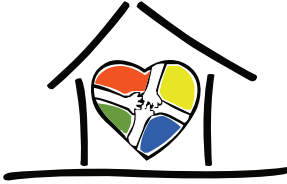
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**Brandon 3-24-09**

**Isaac 11-8-18**