



EMPOWERING
PEOPLE GOD'S
WAY



ROOTED CREATIONS
BUTTERFLY PROJECT INC.

Together We Build Hope!

MISSION

OUR MISSION IS TO EMPOWER HOMELESS
INDIVIDUALS TO
REBUILD, REFOCUS, AND RENEW
THEMSELVES THROUGH
THE AVENUES OF
MINISTERING, MENTORSHIP, AND
MENTAL WELLNESS!

VISION

HELPING HOMELESS

INDIVIDUALS

HELP THEMSELVES

THROUGH

HOPE AND HEALING!

VALUES



ROOTED IN LOVE

COMPASSION

HONESTY

ADVOCACY

TEAMWORK



MY MOTIVATION
MY PASSION
MY WHY

MY STORY FOR HIS GLORY

2017 NEW HOPE NEW BEGINNINGS

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2017 EASTER AT STAR OF HOPE



"I Have Something to Live For"

Ten years ago, Candice and her husband lost two sons. One was a year old and the other just a few months. Both had serious mental and physical challenges and were unable to eat or move. They lost both boys in one year.

Divorce came soon after.

Candice had gone to college to become a surgical tech and had a good job, but losing her sons and her marriage drew her to drugs and alcohol. "I was addicted to meth for about 4 years ... I lost everything due to drugs and alcohol," she said.

When she got pregnant a third time, she was scared.

"But God gave me a healthy baby boy," she said. "That made me realize I needed to get help. I have something to live for. So I decided to enter myself into treatment. While in treatment I learned about Star of Hope." She thought it sounded like a good program and decided it would be the place for her.

In March of 2017, Candice took that leap. And she is happy she did.

"Each level of compassion from the counselors and staff has been awesome in this journey to recovery. I've grown closer to God and now God is number one in my life. I don't go a day without talking to Him. They have helped me here with my journey with God."

Candice has graduated and is now back in the workforce. She has new goals for her career too ... she would like to take steps toward becoming a surgeon.



Candice has a message for anyone who is struggling with addiction or despair. "Star of Hope helped me out of the black hole I was in, and they can help you too."

2018 SPARK FOR HOPE GALA



I Have Something to Live For

Hank Rush | May 23, 2018

I'm truly inspired by how God touches lives. The story shared by one Star of Hope resident continues to dwell in my heart because it is a **strong testament to how God can take a life ... broken from a series of tragic events... and transform it through the power of His love.**

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Candice had gone to college to become a surgical tech, but the depression of not being able to find a job, losing her sons and her marriage drew her to drugs and alcohol. "I was addicted to meth for about 4 years ... I lost everything due to drugs and alcohol," she said.

She was later blessed with a healthy baby boy. Candice realized then that she needed to get help ... she had something to live for. She later ended up at the front doors of Star of Hope.

Candice's story is a testament to how God can renew and restore a life of despair, depression, and addiction. A promise of hope and a bright future is now possible for Candice thanks to God and Star of Hope supporters, like you.

[Click here to listen to Candice's Story.](#)

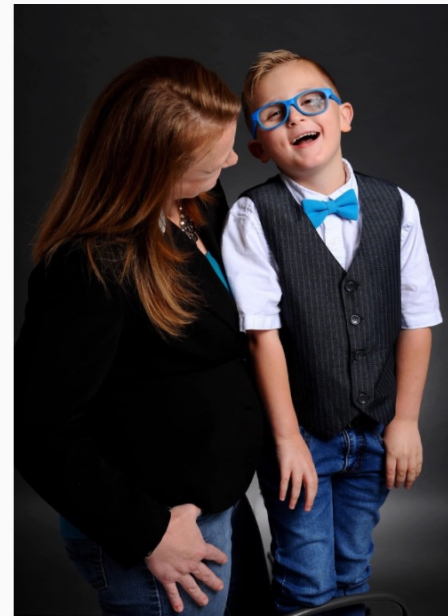
I hope you are inspired by how the love and support shared with Candice can have a positive ripple effect for many years to come. The essential message of change is what we share every day with all who come to the Star of Hope in need.



2020 MOTHERS DAY INSPIRATION



2021 GIVING BACK HOPE



REBUILD

"MY CITY, ENEMIES ATTACKED YOU, LIKE A STRONG STORM. NOBODY WAS THERE TO HELP YOU. LOOK! NOW I WILL USE BEAUTIFUL JEWELS TO BUILD YOU AGAIN. I WILL BUILD YOUR FOUNDATION WITH BLUE SAPPHIRES."

ISAIAH 54:11 EASY

RENEW

"TO BE MADE NEW IN THE ATTITUDE OF YOUR MINDS; AND TO PUT ON THE NEW SELF, CREATED TO BE LIKE GOD IN TRUE RIGHTEOUSNESS AND HOLINESS."

EPHESIANS 4:23-24 NIV

THEN AND NOW



2018

EMERGING FROM THE SHELTER,
I PURCHASED MY FIRST VEHICLE.



2026

FOLLOWING SEVERAL UPGRADES
THROUGHOUT THE YEARS

I HAVE CONTINUALLY PROGRESSED
MY LIFE IN A POSITIVE DIRECTION
REACHING MY GOALS AND ACHIEVING
SUSTAINABILITY!

"DO NOTHING OUT OF SELFISH
AMBITION OR VAIN CONCEIT. RATHER,
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OWN INTERESTS BUT EACH OF YOU TO
THE INTERESTS OF THE OTHERS."

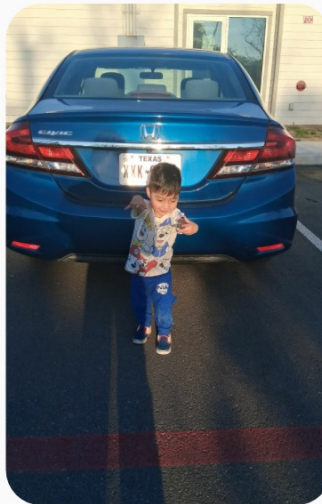
PHILIPPIANS 2:3-4 NIV

Dazline's Story



DAZLINE COVERED THE
COST OF HER CAR ON
HER OWN, YET SHE
NEEDED SUPPORT TO
SECURE A SAFE CAR SEAT.

Through empowerment and mentoring all Dazline needed was to be taught how to drive, help picking out a good vehicle, and the proper car seat for her son!



"CARRY EACH OTHER'S
BURDENS, AND IN THIS WAY
YOU WILL FULFILL THE LAW OF
CHRIST."

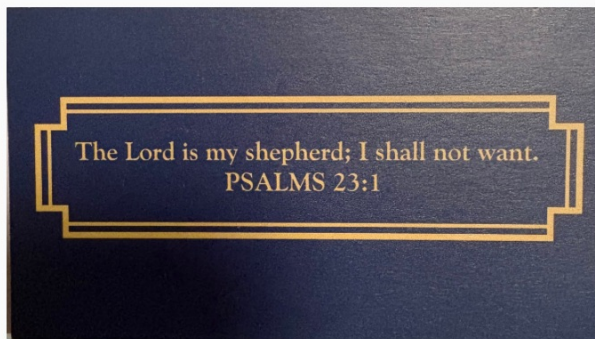
GALATIANS 6:2 NIV

Darie's Story



A SINGLE BREAKDOWN
CREATED BIG SETBACKS FOR
DARIE — NO WORK, NO
INCOME, FEAR OF LOSING HER
BELONGINGS, AND A MISSED
CHANCE TO SEE HER CHILDREN
WHO ARE IN FOSTER CARE.

THROUGH ENCOURAGEMENT AND
EMPOWERMENT, DARIE WAS ABLE
TO CLEAR HER MIND, FIND NEW
DIRECTION, AND GET HER
CONFIDENCE BACK.



With support from Kingdom Auto, Darie's vehicle was repaired enough for her to get to and from work. We're still working on securing the last bit of funding needed for the remaining repairs. Help also made it possible for her to recover her storage unit and all her belongings. She was even able to use her car to visit her children.



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Funding this

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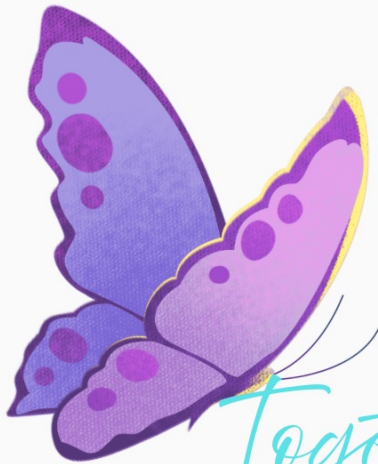
helps support individuals like

Dazline and Darie access the

assistance they need to move in a

positive direction and helping

them achieve sustainability.



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