

Fall 2023

Dear Freedom House Supporters,

Whether you have been with Freedom House since the beginning or are new to the Freedom House Ministry, **YOU are a** vital part of the work God is doing here. Together we have accomplished much through God's provision and your continued generosity, and there is more work to be done!

The mission of Freedom House remains pure – to help restore young ladies who have been affected by human and labor trafficking/exploitation to wholistic healing in Jesus Christ. We serve girls 0-18 years of age, including girls who are pregnant or with a child.

It's important for us all to become educated on trafficking to protect the children in our world. "Children are far more likely to be trafficked by someone the child already knows and trusts than strangers." Polarisproject.org/childtrafficking.

Highlights from the summer: Gardening, putting together shoe boxes for Operation Christmas Child, biking, and focusing on curriculum, time with the counselor, working on goals, and healing.

We continue to thank God for His provision. Donated hours from volunteers include:

Teaching Art Leading Bible Study Going Fishing Playing Games Mowing

Cooking

Snow Removal Accounting Some House Mom Hours

Administrative Work Maintenance Professional Fees

Our team has been enjoying our new donated office space, having a place to meet as a team.

In addition to providing shelter, food, and access to education, it is also part of our program to equip young women with the tools and guidance for healing so that they can reintegrate into the community. Our current monthly budget is approximately \$16,000 and these are just some of the ways that your valued donations are used:

- 24/7 care in the house by the team, including a social worker.
- Opportunity for life skills application and mentor related experiences.
- Utilities, groceries, supplies for the house and participants.
- Licensing, liability insurance and medical coverage for participants when needed.

Monthly supporters provide a foundation for the ministry and one-time donations help meet the total goal.

Donating to this ministry is an opportunity to not only to provide a better future for young women, but also plays a role in leading them to everlasting life!

Would you prayerfully consider how God might be leading you to support our ministry? Single, one-time, or recurring monthly donations can be set up online at www.freedomhouseministry.org/donate, or by check made out to Freedom House Ministries and mailed to PO Box 815 Pella, IA 50219.

Thank you for all you have done and continue to do; may you be blessed!

With sincere gratitude,

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