

Rest Stop Ministries

6-YEAR IMPACT REPORT

+

VISION STRATEGY

Dear Friends,

Have you ever been too busy living a great story to stop and tell about it?! It is my delight to finally bring you this glimpse into a beautiful 10-year journey called Rest Stop Ministries and Good Hope Farms. As you read this Impact Report and see the significant outcomes data from 6 years serving sex trafficking survivors in our landmark residential restoration program in Tennessee, I know you will rejoice with us. As you see the future vision, I hope you will be compelled to join this journey as we continue to write an amazing story.

THIS IS A STORY ABOUT A FAITHFUL GOD.

The God who called us into existence *ex nihilo*...out of nothing. The Creator God who spoke our name, Rest Stop Ministries, into being while I stared into the agonizing face of God, in Christ Jesus.

In June of 2011, wrestling with new knowledge about the horrific oppression of human trafficking, especially burdened by the stories and statistics that 80% of the victims worldwide are female and 50% are children trafficked for the purpose of sexual exploitation, I went on a silent retreat to The Abbey of Gethsemani Monastery in Trappist, Kentucky to seek the heart of God on the matter.



If I've ever heard the voice of God, I heard this message that day:

"IF 'SHE' IS NOT FREE, WHY ARE YOU FREE?"

Do you think I love her any less than I love you? You will not rest; you will not stop until she is free. This oppression must stop. You will provide a rest stop, a resting place of healing on her long, arduous, dangerous journey to freedom. Your mission is to Restore Survivors and Stop this criminal Oppression." Rest Stop Ministries was born in that garden that very day. The rest is history... His Story!

This is also a story about obedient, faithful pilgrims on this journey with us! YOU! Our supporters, donors, volunteers, community partners, board of directors, and staff who have given sacrificially to launch and grow this ministry. I pray you beam with pride as you read this story; it's your story too! No one stands alone. Labors of Love Attract Community. I believe that to my core.

Finally, it is the story of 44 amazing women who made the courageous choice to come to Good Hope Farms and allow us the privilege to facilitate their journey to healing & freedom as we lived in sacred community together.

NO ONE CAN REALLY PUT A PRICE TAG ON THE MIRACLES THAT OCCUR HERE.

We invite you to help us Grow Hope! We need you to invest in our future ability to continue serving these precious souls. We trust our Strategic Vision will inspire you & compel you to join the story!

Once we choose Hope, anything is possible!

In Good Hope,

Rondy Smith

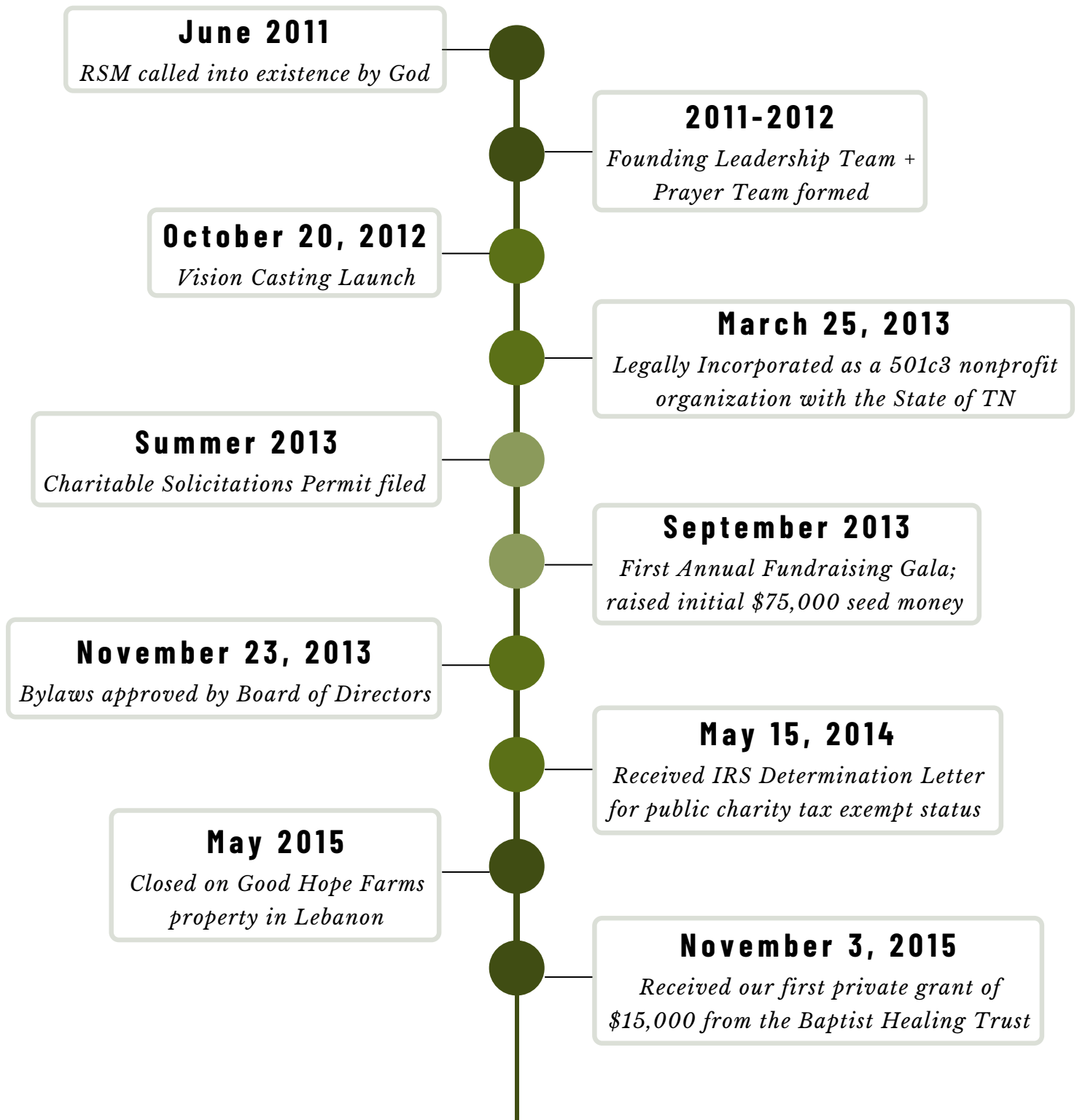
Founder + Executive Director
Rest Stop Ministries



YOU WILL NOT REST; YOU WILL NOT STOP UNTIL SHE IS FREE.

Through the Years

From the birth of a sacred calling, to serving 44 precious survivors at Good Hope Farms



November 4, 2015

OPENING DAY!

Opened the doors of TN's first long-term residential restoration program designed solely for adult female sex trafficking survivors; fully licensed by the TN Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse and with a Survivor Leader on Staff!

September 2016

Launched our Good Hope Farms branding for future Social Enterprise

December 2017

First resident to complete our full 2-year program

June 2018

First Graduation Ceremony

October 2019

Awarded first Federal grant; a 3-year capacity building landmark opportunity

March 2020

Opened our Transitional Apartment on-site

April 2020

Served our first non-residential client

May 2020

Partnered in our first Rescue Intervention

September 2021

Launched our Social Enterprise Partnership with Fried Green Tomatoes

2022

Publishing of 10 Year Impact Report, 6 Year Outcomes Report & Future Vision



How it all began...

Before we had our beautiful property at Good Hope Farms with two houses to serve and support resident survivors of sex trafficking, we had a vision and Good Hope. Here are a few of the special announcements and prayers from the very beginning.

The Need

Rest Stop Ministries stood at the edge of an unprecedented opportunity to make one of the most important contributions in the fight against human trafficking, specifically domestic sex trafficking of girls and women. Tennessee had been highly anticipating the opening of the first long-term residential restoration home designed specifically for survivors! We created a program of excellence, meeting best-practice standards in the field and emulated models with verified best results. Our partners on the front lines of rescue and emergent care told us that they could fill our beds immediately!

"IN MY FATHER'S HOUSE ARE MANY ROOMS. IF IT WERE NOT SO, WOULD I HAVE TOLD YOU THAT I GO TO PREPARE A PLACE FOR YOU?"

JOHN 14:2

We seek to push back the kingdoms of darkness with fresh expressions of the Kingdom of Light!

**Thy Kingdom come,
Thy will be done,
on Earth as it is
in Heaven...**

Igniting the imagination of survivors with a glorious vision of the future... by providing foretastes of the coming Kingdom of God:

**Rescue
Safe Shelter
Health + Healing
Restoration to
Wholeness
Equity + Justice
Honorable Work
HOME**

Good Hope Farms

We located the IDEAL property for our vision: 25 acres of serene countryside with two beautiful homes with a combined 8000 square feet near Lebanon, TN. It was the site of a tragedy which killed two beloved people, and the family, a now-single mom with four sons and her siblings, HAD to sell the property or face financial ruin. The family realized that the mission and vision of RSM was the perfect legacy to honor the memory of their parents and grandparents who were killed - wonderful Christian people who had actively offered the gift of loving, grace-filled hospitality to the least, last, and lost their entire lives! This was a match made in heaven!

Our project would redeem this horrific tragedy and reclaim the beautiful land for something good, restoring lives of two sets of survivors: the family who experienced the devastating crime AND the survivors of another crime who would come here to live and heal!

An Invitation

We shared our dream of restoring Good Hope Farms to become the place of redeeming grace for women who needed to be restored after lives of horrific abuse being cruelly trafficked for sexual exploitation. Prayer partners and donors joined us, and the vision became a reality: Rest Stop Ministries is a two-year commitment to provide for our clients' every need while they focus on healing and restoration. We committed to housing them, feeding them, and clothing them, as well as providing for all their medical care, dental, vision, mental health therapy, legal needs, education, life skills, job training, transportation needs, family reconciliation, and more.



Rest Stop Ministries Staff

Dr. Rondy Smith *Founder + Executive Director*

Jill Woicik, LPC-MHSP, NCC *Director of Programs*

Randy Woicik *Director of Operations*

Caitlin Strecker *Community Engagement Manager*

Claire Greene *Program Assistant*

Ashley Smith *Residential Manager*

Heather Edwards, MMFT *Weekend Residential Manager*

Brenda Miller *Residential Coach*

Laurenda Whisenhunt, MMFT *Trauma Therapist*

Stephanie Johnson *Grant Administrator*

Susan Donghia *Bookkeeper*

Rest Stop Ministries Board

PRESIDENT, Matthew Mullins *Owner, Momentum Law, PLLC*

VICE-PRESIDENT, Dr. Corlis McGee *Retired, University President
& Professor of Economics, Trevecca University*

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Tennessee Higher Education Commission*

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Brady Plummer *CIO, Parallon Business Performance Group*

Ken Glaus *Director of Safety & Organizational
Development, Grade A Construction*

Jill Satterlee *Owner/Chef, Cooking Around Town*

Dee Anne Irwin *Community Volunteer*

Lisa Unger *Community Volunteer*

RESTORE

Survivors

Rest Stop Ministries provides a comprehensive array of direct services to victims of sex trafficking through a 24/7 staffed Total Therapeutic Environment (TTE) housing-first program model providing trauma-informed mental and emotional support. The program is free of charge to our residents. We have a current capacity of 8 residents, and since opening our doors on November 4, 2015 we have had the privilege of serving 44 women.

The primary goal of our program is to inspire these women to re-imagine their lives and to empower and equip them to live healthy, financially independent, purpose-filled lives.

OUR PROGRAM FOLLOWS 6 PHASES OF RESIDENCY:

PHASE 1 : WELCOME (*first 30 days*) Residents start an Individual Growth Plan; Begin participating in all programming: therapy, case management, classes/ groups/ activities; Comprehensive medical work-up; Establishing health providers.

PHASE 2 : STABILIZING (*months 2-3*) Residents continue participating in all programming; Obtain a 12-Step Sponsor or Mentor; Continue to get personal affairs in order: ID, legal issues, healthcare; Participate in RSM Social Enterprise employment.

PHASE 3 : RESTORING (*months 4-6*) Residents continue participating in all programming & RSM Social Enterprise; Continue working on personal affairs & medical treatment; Begin Workforce Development Plan and/or Education Plan; Job Preparation: interest assessments, resume writing, interviewing; Begin writing autobiography.

PHASE 4 : STRENGTHENING (*months 7-12*) Residents continue participating in all programming, working on personal affairs & medical treatment; Secure part-time employment or student status; Develop financial plan & budget; Complete autobiography.

PHASE 5 : EMPOWERING (*months 13-18*) Residents continue participating in all programming when not at work or school; Work on personal affairs & medical treatment; Secure full-time employment or part-time employment/ part-time student status; Update financial plan & budget; Maintain savings and/or checking account; Create plan for graduation & transition to independence. Eligible for single room or transitional apartment.

PHASE 6 : TRANSITIONING (*months 19-24; optional*) Residents participate in therapy, case management, and other activities as determined in collaboration with staff; Solidify support network & transition plan; Maintain financial accountability; Eligible for transitional apartment.

Her Story

"I was bumped from foster home to foster home for most of my teenage years. What I really wanted was a relationship with my real mom. When I was old enough, I went after her. She took me out drinking and partying. When I passed out, she sold me to a dangerous gang. Eventually, I had to sell my body to pay for drugs and weapons and the gang lifestyle. I was their income. An arrest finally led me to Rest Stop Ministries. They were a great place for me to work on my trauma and get some healing from all the things I'd experienced." - Nikki

Since November 2015...



44 resident survivors
received housing + support



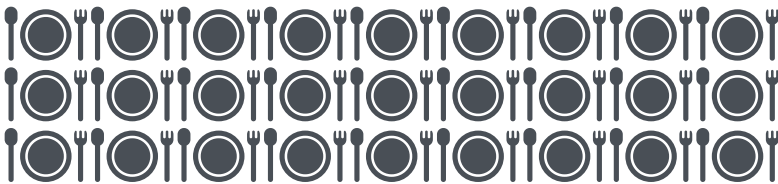
*each head represents 100 hours

2600 hours of individual and
group therapy sessions



*each house represents 1000 nights

9000 nights spent in a safe,
warm bed



*each plate represents 1000 meals

27,000 community meals
provided + shared

*Data through 12/31/2021

"I've never known anything but the streets. It was our way. My grandmother was a prostitute; my mother was a prostitute. They told me it would be my life too. And it was. Until one day my pimp knocked my teeth out. I'd had enough. I was offered a way out and I took it. But I had to fight every single day to stay in this foreign culture called Rest Stop. Before I even realized what happened, this became home... my new family. I'm no longer the barefoot woman walking the streets. I am now clothed in dignity." - Desha

Her Story

MENTAL HEALTH

Outcomes

RSM provides mental health support through a variety of group therapy sessions and group studies, as well as individual weekly therapy. In order to measure the impact after services are received and time has passed, residents are given assessments at intake, then every 6 months after that.

Mental health outcomes for residents are measured using several instruments, including the PTSD PCL-5, the UCLA Loneliness Scale, the Rosenberg Self-Esteem Scale, and the COPE (multidimensional coping) Inventory. Each assessment looks at a different aspect of mental health. Looking at all of the results as a whole helps when residents + staff create action steps and restorative goals.

PTSD

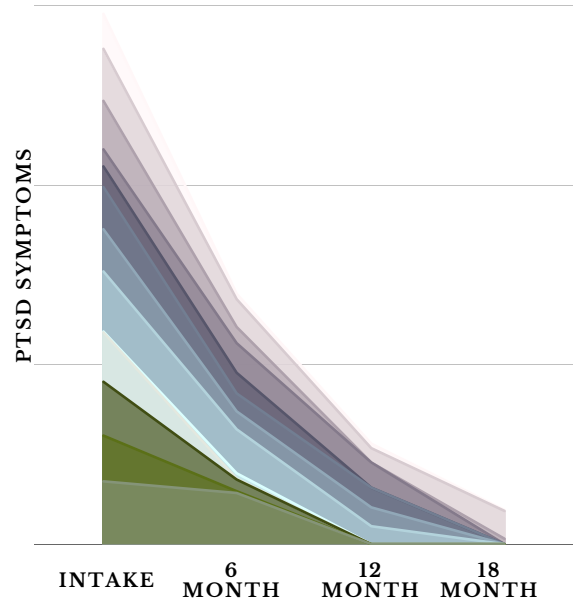
89%

of all residents remaining in the program for at least 6 months + up to 18 months saw a 75% or greater reduction in PTSD.

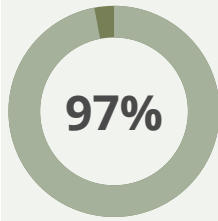
89% of all residents seeing a 75% reduction in symptoms is a strong affirmation for our Total Therapeutic Environment/Program. We found that staying for at least 6 months is key, which affirms our long-term approach.

Transitioning to a new place is hard, and for those with a substance use disorder, it takes 3-4 months for the brain fog to begin to lift. Plus, residents are starting therapy and delving into trauma which is triggering. But, by 6 months, we see true stabilization happening.

We have built in very intentional aspects of our program model that we suspected would be important to create this result: the safety and security of a rural setting, having 24/7 live-in staff, adding external cameras around the property and a security gate, etc.



LONELINESS



of residents saw a decrease in feelings of loneliness after 6 months.



of residents saw a decrease in feelings of loneliness after 12 months.

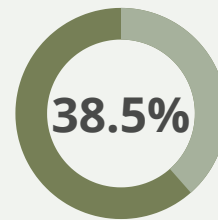
While 100% of residents saw a decrease in feelings of loneliness after 12 months, we saw an increase in those feelings at 18 months, when residents are graduating and moving into their own homes. We know that a healthy, supportive community is vital, so we've started incorporating new aspects to our program.

Residents are encouraged to develop a network of 5 supportive people in the community, we're developing a mentorship program, and we've opened a transitional apartment for graduates to move into to bridge the gap and continue to provide support as they transition to full independence.

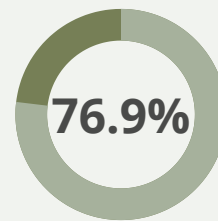
Seeing an increase in feelings of self-esteem by 6 months is worth celebrating! However, similar to our findings in feelings of loneliness, we saw a decrease at the 18-month mark. Transitioning out of RSM and living independently left residents feeling fearful.

We found that finding safe and meaningful work is helpful in this transition, which is one more benefit of our Social Enterprise Partnership! Residents are able to begin working and earning an income even sooner in the program, gaining valuable work experience, which can translate into more job opportunities in the future. We are hopeful that this opportunity will increase and maintain residents' self-esteem and confidence as they take steps toward independence.

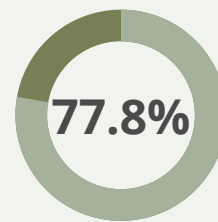
SELF-ESTEEM



of residents presented moderate self-esteem at intake.



of residents showed an increase in self-esteem after 6 months.



of residents showed an increase in self-esteem after 12 months.

ACTIVE COPING



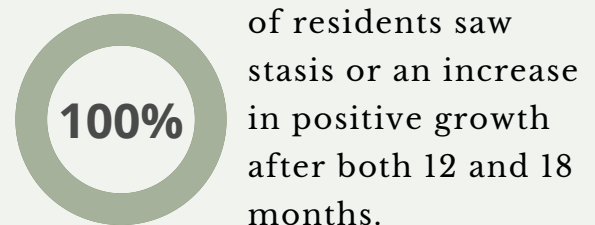
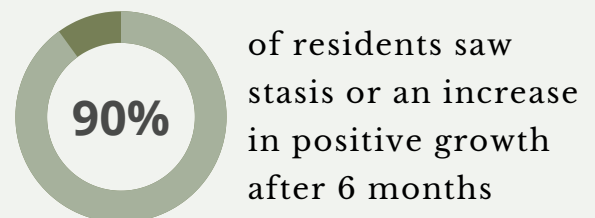
When residents first come to Rest Stop Ministries, many, if not most, of their coping skills are maladaptive - Substance use or dissociation may have given them immediate relief while enduring trauma, but those actions aren't beneficial long-term. Positive active coping skills are a major part of the curriculum and coaching at RSM.

Residents learn new, positive ways to cope during groups and individual therapy including grounding techniques, journaling, mindfulness, and other somatic techniques.

It's common for residents to hear the question, "What coping skills have you tried?" as we continue to empower residents to practice those taught skills during moments of feeling triggered or distressed.

This assessment asks the candidate if they can assess what they have learned, gained, or grown from the experience of being in our restorative residential program at Good Hope Farms. Often times, we hold up the mirror to residents, pointing out where we've seen growth or change in their lives. This practice is encouraging, but the resident must see her own growth, and feel the changes for herself for there to be a lasting impact. They're doing such hard work, so we're thrilled to see so many residents recognizing their own growth!

POSITIVE GROWTH

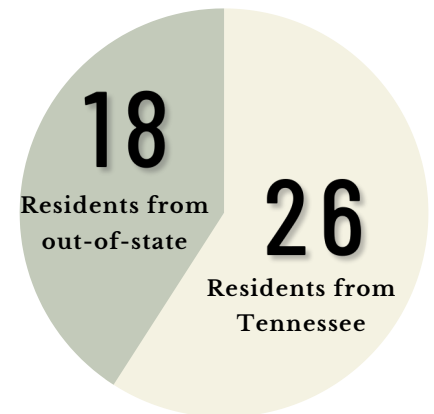


MEANINGFUL LESSONS

from our *Demographics*

INITIAL GOAL :

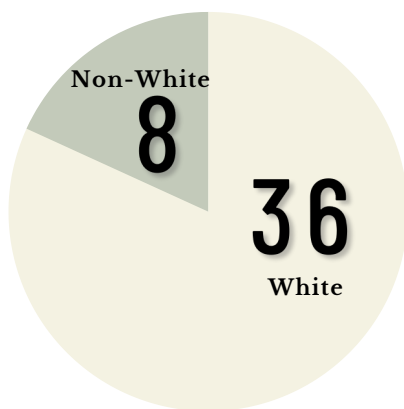
To minister locally and provide a quality solution to a huge trafficking problem in our own backyard. The state of Tennessee was asking for long-term trauma-informed residential care for survivors who were being identified in TN. We stepped up to meet that verified need.



LEARNING :

A healthier healing community can be cultivated with a balance between in-state and out-of-state residents. We found that survivors from the same area often knew one another's trafficker, sex-buyers, drug dealers, etc. causing triggering situations that hindered the healing process.

Once our reputation broadened, we found it difficult not to accept anyone in need regardless of their state of current residency since there are not enough shelter beds nationwide for the number of victims being identified. We joined the National Trafficking Sheltered Alliance (NTSA) and participate in their national Alliance Referral System (ARS).



INITIAL GOAL :

To serve without regard to race.

LEARNING :

The myth of the general public, that most of our clients would be Black, Hispanic, or Asian, was certainly busted. There were many Caucasian victim-survivors to be served. Trafficking crosses all racial and socioeconomic barriers.

However, knowing that data in the field suggests a disproportionate number of victims are people of color, we must be more intentional to identify those who might not readily seek or be offered services. One principle we know intuitively but have had difficulty executing in practice for various reasons, is that our staff must reflect the diversity we wish to serve. We pledge a renewed commitment to intentional hiring practices promoting racial diversity.

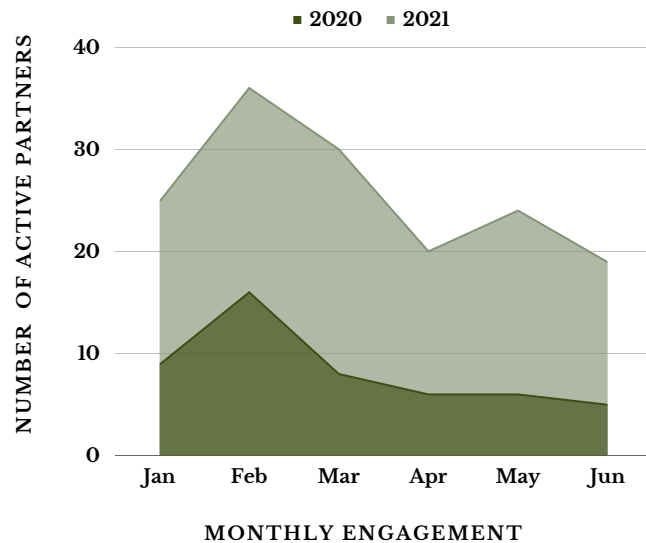
Partnerships

Rest Stop Ministries works collaboratively with medical, mental health, dental, legal, and other community partners to provide services necessary for each resident to pursue restoration in all areas of her life. Below are current examples of agencies and professionals who partner with RSM residents.

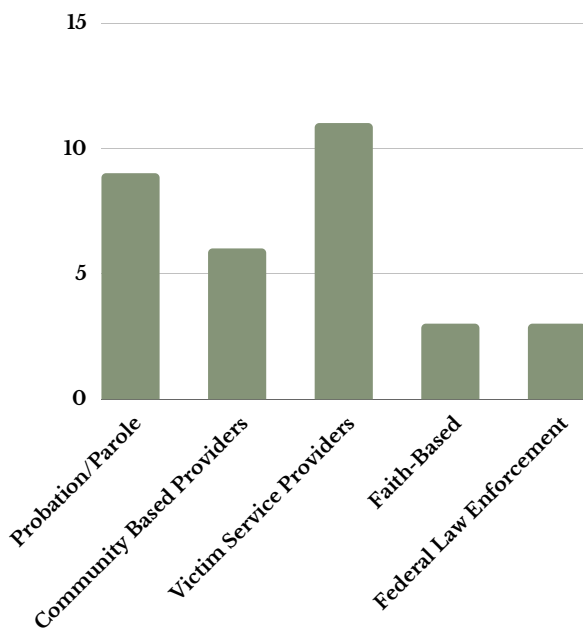
PROGRAM PARTNERS

- Neighborhood Health
- Mental Health Cooperative
- HomeSafe, Inc.
- Family Eye Med
- Hermitage Eye Care
- Kendrick Dental Group
- Patriot Dental
- Interfaith Dental
- TruRoots Chiropractic
- Lantern Lane Farm
- Alice Stricklin Counseling
- Wholehearted Counseling
- Bloom Yoga Studio
- ReleveOne

KEY FORMAL & INFORMAL PARTNERS BI-ANNUAL COMPARISON : 2020-2021



REFERRAL SOURCES 2021:



ANTI-TRAFFICKING

- Cherished HEARTS Court
- End Slavery TN
- Grow Free TN/ CCAHT
- Restore Corps
- Rescue 1 Global
- Free for Life International
- Scarlet Rope Project
- Nashville Anti-Human Trafficking Coalition
- Frontline Response: Out of Darkness, ATL
- National Trafficking Sheltered Alliance (NTSA)
- The Samaritan Women: Institute for Shelter Care
- The WellHouse
- Selah Freedom

MOBILIZING

the Faith Community

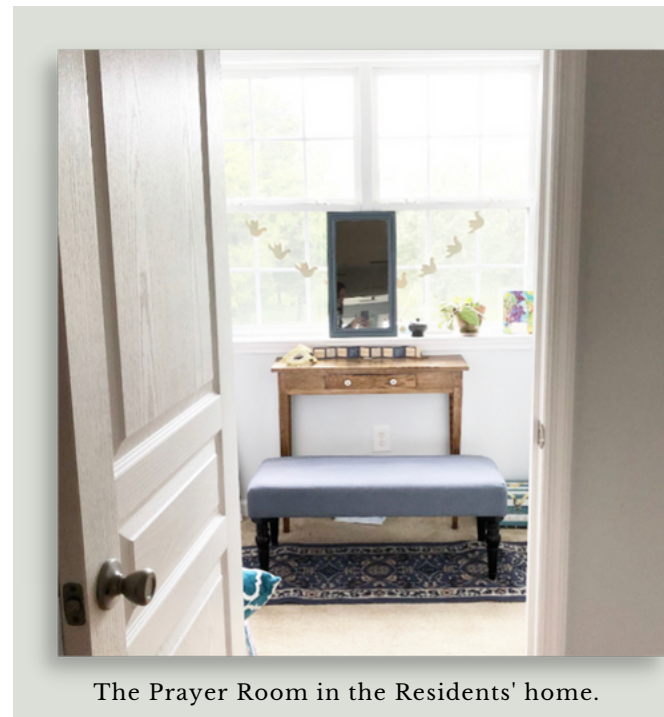
In addition to our many community partners, we have felt the support of faith-based organizations, ministries, and churches from RSM's beginning. Doing this work requires an ecumenical village of support - volunteer groups, monetary and in-kind donations, offering space for meetings and events, and so much more. We are grateful for the generosity poured out from this community.

KEY FAITH-BASED PARTNERS

(include, but are not limited to)

- The Journey Church
- Connect Church
- Springhouse Worship & Arts Center
- Life.Church
- The Bridge Fellowship
- Launchpoint Church
- Generations of Grace
- Crosspoint Church
- Cumberland Presbyterian Church
- Dan Bohi & Becoming Love Ministries
- Hermitage Church of the Nazarene
- Nashville First Church of the Nazarene
- Nashville Grace Church of the Nazarene
- MidSouth District Church of the Nazarene
- Highland Meadows Texas
- Tulip Grove Baptist
- Victory Baptist

Because we are holistic, our spiritual selves need attention in the healing process. Therefore, we want to create and offer a safe space for every individual to explore the sacred and to grow in their spirituality or faith. Our goal is to serve any resident without regard to any faith affiliation. Rest Stop Ministries has a "Freedom to Worship" policy, which is provided for every resident applicant to read through during the application process. RSM understands that some survivors have been subjected to religious abuse. We are highly sensitive to this particular trauma and will be very accommodating.



The Prayer Room in the Residents' home.

Her Story

Growing up, I felt out of place. Not wanted by most of my family. At 16, I learned that sex could fill that void for me. For years, I used sex and drugs to numb my pain. Eventually, the drugs took over and I couldn't hold down a job. I turned to the only other thing I knew to do - sex. After years of spiraling, I was finally arrested and forced into treatment. From there, I found Rest Stop Ministries. I found new healing and wholeness. I found that Christ was meant to fill that void I had. - Hope

STOP *Oppression*

Rest Stop Ministries is committed to walk with any resident through the difficult journey of navigating the criminal justice system if they are part of an active criminal case. Many court appointed victim advocates are grateful that long-term residential programs such as ours can safely house their clients and offer wrap-around healing services that help them cope with the many setbacks and potential triggering aspects of long, drawn-out court cases and sentencing hearings.

THE SERVICES WE OFFER ARE OFTEN KEY IN KEEPING A WITNESS PHYSICALLY SAFE & AVAILABLE AND EMOTIONALLY READY WHEN THE MOMENT TO TESTIFY FINALLY ARRIVES.

We often assist residents with crafting their Victim Impact Statements, and we often accompany them in court.

One resident we were privileged to serve, recently gave her Victim Impact Statement in the sentencing hearing of Ben Biancofiori, "one of the most prolific traffickers ever prosecuted in Chicago's federal court" according to Assistant U.S. Attorney Erika Csicsila. His sentencing happened nearly **four years** after he was found guilty of sex trafficking and other crimes.

Biancofiori spent nine years using money, drugs, manipulation, and horrific physical abuse to control young victims. He was sentenced to 30 years in prison, taking him off the streets for decades.

While we celebrate Biancofiori being held accountable, and countless women who are now protected from his exploitation and abuse, the effects are still alive for his victims. In her statement for the court, our former resident explained:

"This experience has impacted the rest of my existence and has changed me as a person. I am no longer the carefree, soft, trusting soul I once was. [...] The years of extreme alcohol abuse and dependency that I faced as a result of attempting to cope with what happened after, destroyed me as a person and crumbled every single relationship I had, including the one with myself. For a long time, I lost who I was as a person and that never should have happened. Even at four years sober, the pain from 10 years ago still very much lives inside me."

Legal Services

Rest Stop Ministries maintains collaborative partnerships with a variety of individual lawyers, state and federal law enforcement, and legal organizations who help RSM residents with legal name changes, birth certificates, divorce proceedings, probationary issues, navigating family reunification and preservation efforts through the Department of Social Services, and trafficking cases.

LEGAL SERVICES PARTNERS

- The Department of Homeland Security
- The Tennessee Bureau of Investigation
- 731 Investigations
- Legal Aid Society of Middle Tennessee
- The Law Offices of Fibich, Leeland, Copeland, & Briggs
- The Joseph Project
- Jack Dennis, Knox County Probation Department, Programs Coordinator
- Knox County Corrections
- Advocating Opportunity

TRAFFICKING HOTLINES

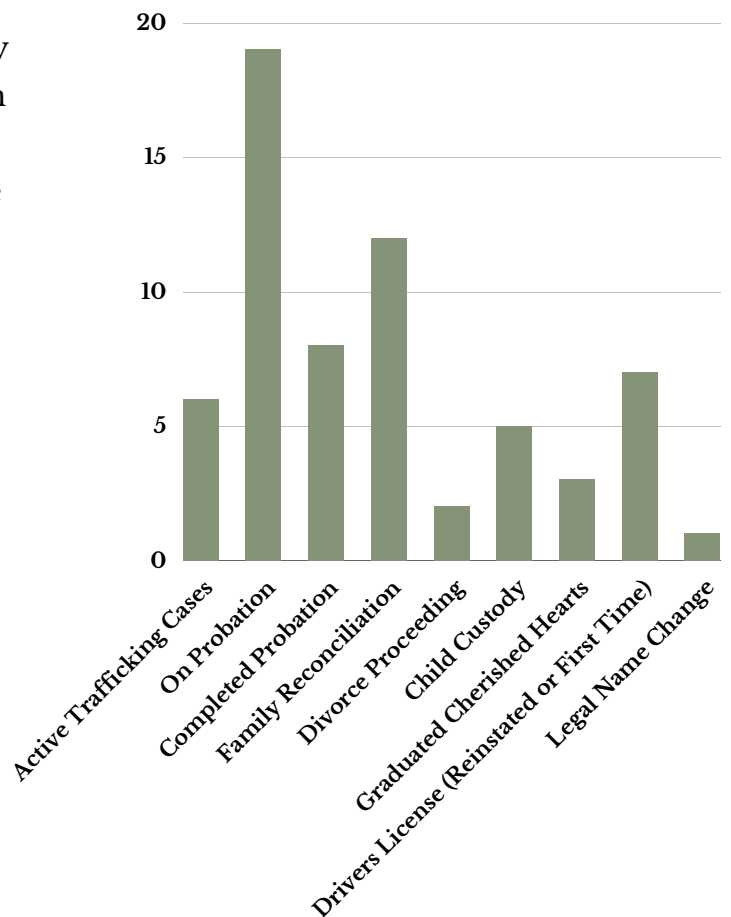
If you suspect a case of human trafficking, call to make an anonymous report.

Tennessee Human Trafficking Hotline:

1-855-558-6484

National Human Trafficking Hotline:

1-888-373-7888



Her Story

"I was a single mom with a professional career when I got addicted to prescription drugs. Who knew I would begin dating a guy who would end up holding me hostage in a hotel room for months, selling my body while using the drugs to control me. I lost everything dear to me. But I got the last word. My testimony helped send him to prison for his crime of sex trafficking. Rest Stop helped me get my life back! My CHILD back! I am forever grateful!" - Julie

Volunteers

At Rest Stop Ministries, we highly value our dedicated, loving, and supportive volunteers! These women and men generously give their time and talents, easing the extra burdens staff carry, as well as fostering healthy and supportive relationships with residents. We truly could not do this work without our volunteers!

Volunteers contribute to RSM through a wide variety of ways:

- Transporting residents to medical appointments, meetings, and other outings
- Leading a variety of life-skills groups and activities
 - Cooking, Nutrition
 - Creative Expression: art, crafts, poetry
 - Physical activities: yoga, dance, hiking
 - Interview skills & Resume preparation
 - Financial planning
- Administrative assistance
- Grounds & house maintenance
- Events preparation
- Social Enterprise production
- Decorating, cleaning, organizing

995 number of hours
volunteers served
in 2021

143 number of
volunteers who
served in 2021

364 community
outreach &
awareness activities
in 2021

879 number of service
professionals
trained 2020-21

\$33,750 amount donated
through volunteer
hours and in-kind
services in 2021



OUTREACH *Activities*



Raising Awareness about RSM at a Partner's Benefit Event



First-Ever Volunteer Orientation



Sharing the Story Behind our Social Enterprise Partnership with Fried Green Tomatoes on News Channel 5



Sex Trafficking Awareness Training at UPS



7th Annual Gala

Social Enterprise Partnership with Fried Green Tomatoes at Local Events



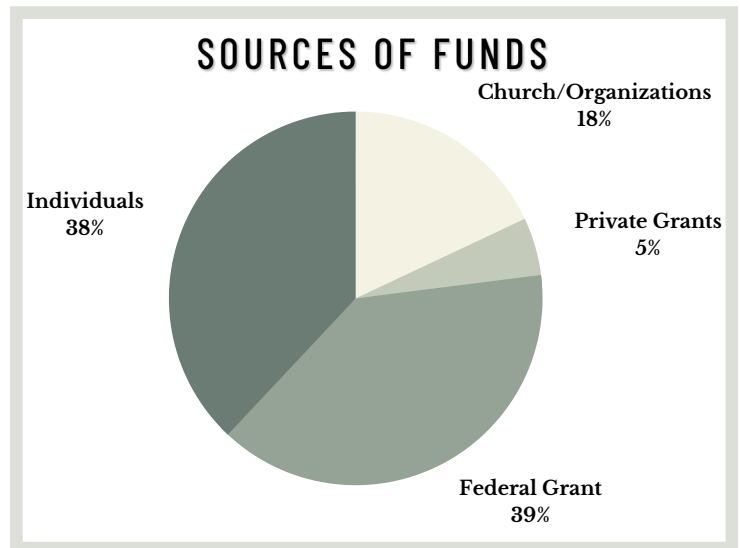
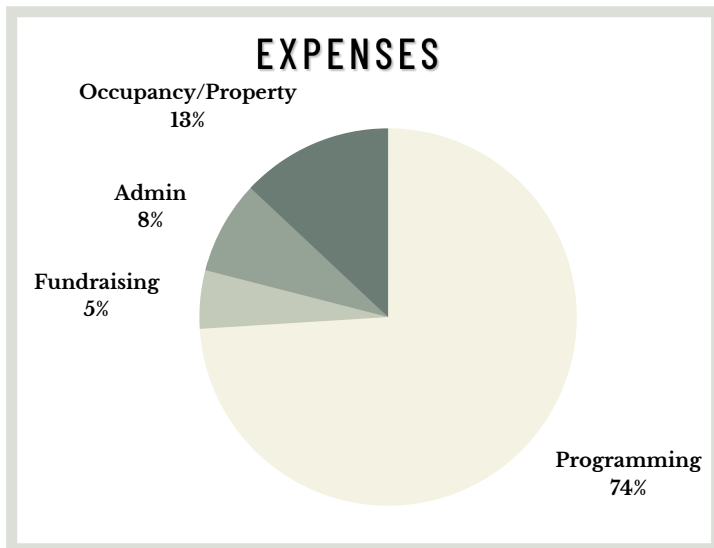
The Big Payback



SUSTAINING

our Future

Rest Stop Ministries strives for Excellence, Integrity, and Transparency in all areas, including our finances. We are strengthening our fiscal position for future sustainability and preparing for upcoming opportunities for growth. We ended 2021 with \$135,662.43 in surplus revenue beyond our balanced budget, and a strong cash position of \$385,053.84. Our 2022 operational budget, and therefore annual fund need, is \$660,000.



Disrupting the Crime of Sex Trafficking

While we focus on providing comprehensive long-term restorative care to the survivors, we are simultaneously disrupting the crime of sex trafficking by removing them from the control of the traffickers profiting from their repeated commercial sexual exploitation. Through our 8-bed program, we are keeping roughly **\$1,752,000** annually out of the hands of those running the criminal enterprise of sex trafficking. We like that return on investment!

It costs taxpayers roughly **\$35,000** annually to incarcerate **1 woman**. We save taxpayers that amount by diverting these women, often charged with prostitution rather than arresting the traffickers and sex buyers who are the real criminals, into our program which has much higher rates of successful rehabilitation outcomes and less recidivism. We like that return on investment as well!

INVESTING TODAY & Saving for Tomorrow

We plan to launch a Capacity Building Capital Campaign in 2022 to fund the following projects for future growth:

SCALE OUR SOCIAL ENTERPRISE to profitability including both gateway & career living wage jobs for our residents in our trauma-informed work environment, improving our Economic Empowerment component with a true Workforce Development program. This initiative requires dedicated space and staffing.

LAUNCH AN ALUMNI AFTERCARE PROGRAM including subsidized housing in the geographic location of client choice/need, an additional transitional apartment on-site and transitional housing off-site. Locating safe, affordable permanent housing is a challenge.

ALUMNI AFTERCARE also requires funding for ongoing therapy resources, case management, and other support for the transitional year (3rd program year).

CREATE A DEDICATED EMERGENT CARE SPACE for short-term emergencies such as sick-bay, relapse support, intake issues, alumni emergencies, or other situations that arise necessitating separation from the residential community for health & safety reasons.

STRENGTHEN AND RESOURCE our Prevention, Training, and Advocacy arm.

GLOBAL PARTNERSHIPS added to our community of collaborative partners.

Partner with Rest Stop Ministries

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GIVE ONLINE:

<https://reststop.kindful.com/>

TEXT-TO-GIVE:

Text "GIVE" to
(615) 527-8525

MISSION & Vision

Our Mission and Vision are in our name!

Rest Stop Ministries = Restore Survivors, Stop Oppression

Mission:

To comprehensively restore female survivors of sex trafficking and sexual exploitation.

Vision:

To stop the criminal oppression of sex trafficking and sexual exploitation.

Core Values:




Generous Hospitality
A Theology of Hope
Anti-Exploitation & Oppression
Equity for all Persons
Community Healing in Safety
Excellence, Integrity, & Transparency
Global Compassion
Equipping & Empowering the Next Generation

JOIN THE RSM COMMUNITY

WEBSITE

 www.reststopministries.org

SOCIAL MEDIA

 @reststopministries
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VOLUNTEER

- Go to: www.reststopministries.org/volunteer
- Fill out our Volunteer Application.
- Our Community Engagement Manager will reach out about the next steps!

SPEAKING / TRAINING

Email info@RestStopMinistries.org about speaking engagements and/or awareness trainings!





*"Let us hold unswervingly to the hope we profess,
for He who promised is Faithful!"*

Hebrews 10:23