

Safe Haven LOVE  
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PROTECTION



ADULLAM HOUSE IS A SAFE HAVEN FOR THE CHILDREN OF INCARCERATED PARENTS.

*You are not  
judged by the  
height you have  
risen, but  
from the depth  
you have climbed.*  
*Frederick Douglas*

**WOW!**  
In 2009  
they were  
graduating  
from  
Kindergarten.  
Now take a  
look...



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I remember when we purchased the first unit for our school. It was a second-hand mobile building in very poor condition. It felt like great faith! I remember a group of men coming from Askewville, N. Carolina to work on it and build a ramp for handicap access. We all worked together scrubbing and painting, to turn the shabby rooms into bright, sunny classrooms. Gaily colored desks and posters lit up the rooms.

*But most of all it was the teachers who transformed everything.* Ladies like Miss Rachel and Miss Allie (right) who have been there from the very start.



Above: Miss Allie with her preschool class over 12 years ago!

**They worked for little or no wages.  
They poured their hearts into the children. They did it because they loved them and for no other reason.  
They were creative, inspired and excited to be teaching, and**

***...they still are!***

**We are so excited to share this news with you!**

As we have grown, we have gone from using mobile units to having school in our Chapel (and various other areas), to renting a facility in town and finally, to seeing God do wonders! **Six years ago, He provided us with a beautiful school and gymnasium—'fit for a king'!**

Five years ago we opened our school to the local community. This provided two needs: 1), finances to pay teachers, and 2), sweet friends for our Adullam House children. It has been wonderfully successful, and *this coming year we have 150 children en-rolled!* **Now we need a new miracle—the second wing of the school!**

Over the past 3 years our annual golf tournament has helped us to raise/put aside, almost \$100k towards the extension. Last year a donation of land near the beach in Florida was made to the ministry. We determined the proceeds should go to help the school building project.

*The great news is—this month it sold!*

And so with bated breath we await the closing of the sale and anticipate the great news that we can make a start on our new school wing! The proceeds of the sale won't cover the whole cost of the building, but we will go as far as we can and leave the rest to the Lord. He never fails and His love for the children of Adullam House has been evidenced by that faithfulness!

**Who but God could do such things as these?**



Above (2004): 3 Adullam students in a mobile unit.

Below (2018): School picture in the Gym.

***My, how we have grown!***





# So if I give to help the work of Adullam House where does my money go?

(Just a little overview of what you have made possible by your giving.)



She came to Adullam House at the age of 2. Had been living with a grandmother with Alzheimer's while mom was in prison. Graduated this year and plans to go to college to become a teacher!



Not quite ready to graduate yet but all very handsome and full of fun! They were all under 6 years old when they came to us, and all born to mothers in prison...Now they are getting permits, starting summer jobs, and dreaming big!

Mothers in prison, who would otherwise never see their children, receive visits from their little ones, and are given the chance to keep their families intact through times of trauma and despair. Many babies get to go home with mommy and families are reunited!



Just arrived at Adullam house this week weighing in at just over 4 lbs. Mommy gave birth while in prison. Miss Traci visited her in faithfully in the NICU and brought her home to a "family" of sweet, caring young ladies.



Wow! What an opportunity! This year our AHCA seniors fund-raised to go to Ireland on a missions trip. Here they are on the streets of Derry telling young people about Jesus, and inviting them into the 'Hope Bus'. Great opportunities for both sides!



This year I watched with tears as one of our 'little' girls, now 21, joined our staff and went back into the same prison where she used to visit her mommy, to take one of our Nursery babies for a visit. The mother wrote to say how much she had enjoyed talking to the sweet girl who brought her baby in.

**Because you gave** this beautiful 13 y.o. girl in an orphanage in Kenya was able to have surgery to remove a huge tumor from her face. Before her surgery she never raised her face to look at anyone. Now she thanks God for sending Adullam House **'just in time'**.



In Moldova, Eastern Europe, we are partnering with a ministry caring for girls & boys in danger of sex trafficking. Without help most of these children would be left to the ravages of the street and unspeakable dangers. The Gospel of Jesus Christ brings abundant life to children wherever it goes.



The homes in Moldova house approximately 30 girls & 12 boys. This month we had a request to take another 10 boys. A 14 y.o. girl has arrived this week whose mother "chose her boyfriend over her daughter". Rejected, broken and empty, this little girl has found her new home.



In the same orphanage where we found Queenter (above-left), the children **continue to live without a well, or any running water**. Queenter has returned there after her surgery. We have raised \$3,000 for this well, but we need another **\$14k to install!**

## How you can help the work of Adullam House this month?

“What the best and wisest parent wants for his own child, that must the community want for all its children.” John Dewey

We canceled youth camp, thinking that a visiting youth group were going to be able to do that for us on-site. It didn't work out. The beach house we have previously rented for a week in the summer has been sold and anything of comparable size is too expensive. It is not looking like the Adullam House kids will be able to go to the beach this year, short of a miracle! We have some disappointed little ones. We bought a couple of older campers (one that needed major repairs) in the hope that we could use them to take children to the beach. The repair shop has not been able to work on them as yet. In addition this is the time of year when we begin to think about back to school needs. From uniforms to large amounts of curriculum for our Adullam House children who have no income, the needs go on and on. **Even more pressing than all this is the well that we have determined to put in the orphanage in Kenya. This is a matter of life or death for these beautiful children. We have to help!**

### Supplies List for June 2018

- ◆ Paper Products (plates, cups, paper towels, napkins & toilet tissue)
- ◆ Cleaning supplies, brooms and dustpans
- ◆ Clorox wipes
- ◆ Baby Tylenol and Children's Tylenol
- ◆ Baby Wipes
- ◆ Size 3-6 diapers
- ◆ Bottled water
- ◆ School lunch snacks (Chips, etc.)
- ◆ **Prayer for protection and provision**



*Above: When you give to Adullam House you are helping to care for little beauties like Paxton, Gracen and Genesis. Aren't they gorgeous!*



Our Nursery is buzzing with infants, as you can see above. That means more staff, almost daily doctor visits, formula, baby wipes and diapers galore. **Thank you for being the hands of feet of Jesus to provide for our children.**

*"For I was a stranger and you took me in: naked and you clothed me: I was sick and you visited me...I was in prison, and you came unto me...Inasmuch as you have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, you have done it unto me". Matthew 25:35-40*

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