

How you can help

There are a variety of ways you can help Joy Junction plant hope into the lives of those in need of a fresh start:

Tax deductible donations can be mailed to PO Box 20550, Albuquerque, NM 87154, made online at www.joyjunction.org, or you can call 505-217-9586.

Planned giving options are available for those who would like to ensure that their estate provides for those in need.

Donations of vehicles and new or gently used goods may be made at 4500 2nd Street SW, seven days a week from 8 AM to 8 PM.

Donations of new or gently used, clean clothes/shoes, household goods, furniture, appliances, etc., can be made at the Joy Junction Thrift Shoppe located at 4012 Menaul Blvd NE from 9 AM to 4 PM, Tuesday through Saturday.

- Please pray for our daily guests to complete the life recovery program, gain a strong relationship with God, and receive healing from God.

- Pray for our program graduates to remain strong in their new life choices.

- Pray for God to give wisdom to our staff as they minister to our guests.

- Pray for the protection of the homeless people still on the streets.

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Yes, I want to help!

I've enclosed a gift of: ☐ \$50 ☐ \$100 ☐ \$500 ☐ \$1,000 ☐ Other _____

HOW TO SEND YOUR GIFT:

- ☐ By check made payable to: JOY JUNCTION
- ☐ By donating online: www.joyjunction.org or call: 505.217.9586
- ☐ By texting your donation amount to 505-288-3350
- ☐ By credit card (please fill out info below). Charge my:



CARD#
\$ _____

DONATION AMOUNT 3-4 DIGIT SECURITY CODE EXP DATE

EMAIL _____ PHONE _____

SIGNATURE _____



MONTHLY GIVING OPTIONS:

Please process my monthly gift of \$ _____ on the _____ day of each month or the first banking day thereafter.

- ☐ Credit Card (Fill in your info at left.)
- ☐ ACH (Bank Account. Fill in bank account info below.) ☐ CHECKING ☐ SAVINGS

9-DIGIT ROUTING # (ABA) _____

BANK ACCOUNT # _____

SIGNATURE _____

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Joy Junction

A Call to Prayer

Childlike Faith

The Bible is loaded with examples of ordinary people reaching out to God and being enabled to do the miraculous.



In the Gospel of John, chapter six, the Bible tells of one young boy who offered his lunch of five loaves of bread and two fish when Jesus was faced with the seemingly impossible task of feeding a crowd that numbered 5,000 men, plus women and children.

*What a beautiful picture...
a child, humbly offering what little he had with childlike faith,
while the apostles simply looked at
the lack of food and dire circumstances.*

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One Mighty God

Then, of course, Jesus fed the multitude by multiplying the fish and loaves. After everyone ate all they wanted, twelve baskets of leftovers were collected. This miracle was not accomplished with any major drama or special effects, yet miraculously came about because one person was faithful and offered what he had, and Jesus used it.

While on earth, Jesus ministered to the poor, the outcasts, the sick, and the destitute - the same groups of people who have called on Joy Junction for many years.

One Person at a Time

Presently, we daily shelter and serve up to 350 men, women, children, and families – one day at a time and one person at a time.

We prepare and serve about 16,000 hot meals a month, including 6,000 sent out on our Lifeline of Hope food truck – helping one person at a time with each meal.

By themselves, statistics like these may sound somewhat impressive, but they really come about by a combination of heartfelt labor, effectual prayer, and sacrificial giving by our donors.

Reaching these goals is no small miracle. How can the needs of so many be met? It's not by means of government or major support from foundations or endowments. The

answer is quite simple – Joy Junction has served so many the same way Jesus did, one person at a time.

Throughout the years, humility, prayer, and faith has helped bring in financial support from thousands of people who care, sometimes one dollar at a time.

One Prayer at a Time

Sometimes in our instant society, we expect instant results — from God, at work, or even in our families, marriages, or friendships. It helps, however, to see prayer as a long term investment. How easy it is to give up when we don't see immediate results.

Imagine how the guests of Joy Junction feel, wondering, "How in the world did I ever get to this point in my life? How do I get myself and/or my family back on track?"

Many have either walked away from God, or never knew Him in a personal, intimate way before coming to Joy Junction. Many don't believe God even cares about them, especially when they find themselves homeless, and feeling they are without hope.

This is where you come in, with faith and prayer, on behalf of Joy Junction and its guests, staff, and volunteers. Prayer to change lives, to strengthen guests and staff,



to provide the necessary resources — all of this comes about one prayer at a time!

One Too Many?

Some of you may be thinking "I want to pray, but there are so many demands and countless needy people."

You can make a difference and pray for one homeless person, or one important need, one prayer at a time!

One King-Sized Mission

With the ongoing financial difficulties experienced by most, it may be considered difficult to help us fulfill our mission of caring for homeless people, daily.

Even though we can provide for up to 350 people per night, in our housing complex, dorm, and barracks, there are times when we have to turn away those who are in need of shelter, because the number of homeless people is so great. We do everything legally in our power to fit in as many people as possible. It's our goal to provide a more peaceful environment for those who have been through so much.

But, we need your financial help to meet the needs of so many.

One Big Hand Up

Joy Junction is driven to provide a hand up to those in need.

We offer a nine-month, 12-step life recovery program with spiritual and life skills training. Many previous graduates from our program

have been reintegrated into the work force and assisted with transitional housing. However, some of our graduates will need more than our usual "hand up," as they join a flood of eager job seekers in the employment market.



That's precisely why we train our guests.

We also have a chaplain and case manager to help with individual needs or goals. For us to do our job of helping to break the cycle of homelessness one life at a time, we offer the opportunity to learn new skills.

One Earthly Reality

Virtually everything we do, or want to do, is dependent on donations of financial resources. Please don't consider our plea for prayer to be a replacement for the reality of our pleas for cash or in-kind donations. We need both prayer and donations to serve the hungry and homeless. The back page will outline a few of the ways you can help financially or with in-kind gifts.

One Strong Faith

While we recognize the "earthly" realities of needing your partnership of prayer and financial giving, we stand in faith, trusting God to provide.