

HOMELESS FOR THE HOLIDAYS



This holiday season Mary and her family are experiencing homelessness and are fighting to find stable housing and basic resources. After being laid off and an eviction the family is struggling to stay positive and find hope. Most shelters in the greater Modesto Area are not equipped to serve two parent families like Mary's, and families with teenaged children are often told their kids are too old to qualify for shelter services. For many families in our community, finding help seems impossible.

Healing

Working with families to minimize the impacts of homelessness on their children is key to reducing trauma and the likelihood that these kids will also experience homelessness as adults. Family Promise of Greater Modesto works with community partners to provide wrap around services for families.

A promise to families...

Family Promise of Greater Modesto is committed to creating safe spaces for children and their guardians, just like Mary and her family. We provide safe shelter, hot and delicious meals, case management, homework help and lots of other services to help families stabilize and find hope. Family Promise knows that helping families overcome homelessness as quickly as possible and doing all it can to minimize the impact of homelessness on children is critical for a healthy community.



A WORD FROM OUR DIRECTOR



My name is Miriah Brazil and I am the new Director of Family Promise in Modesto. I want to introduce myself to you here until we are able to meet in person. Just like you, I believe we can live in a community where kids never have to sleep outside. I have taken on the role of leading Family Promise here in Modesto because of my passion for serving families and my vision for a child first service approach. However I know the crisis of child and family homelessness in Modesto is big and I am going to need your help. This holiday season as you celebrate with your loved ones, will you consider partnering with me to ensure that kids in Modesto do not have to worry about their safety, or where they will sleep? Family Promise of Greater Modesto is doing exciting work, we have expanded shelter and transitional living options to serve more families. Additionally we are partnering with other community service organizations to facilitate a more effective use of resources by families just like Mary’s and to speed their journey out of homelessness. If you can help please send back the response card below and let me know you are in!

Thank you,

Miriah Brazil

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Miriah Count Me In!!

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Please find my enclosed check!

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