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I urgently need your help. Today is a great day to make a donation to Restoring H.O.P.E.. Due to unforeseen circumstances and setbacks, we are not where we should be financially. We are in dire straits! However, with your help we can change this and continue to rescue those without hope. We are asking that you give

generously today. Would you do that? Any amount is welcome. The following shows what your donation will go toward as I share what I do at Restoring H.O.P.E.. Thank you in advance,

Matt

First: I do the Administration and get to oversee our Restoring H.O.P.E. Staff

Matt Bohman

Accounting
Human Resources
I.T. Department
Publishing

Executive Director

Jessica Bohman



Executive Assistant & Buckhannon Impact Director

Kristina E. Newland Sammy



Connections Coordinator & Chaplain



Director of Advancement

Second: I get to do Leadership Development and Training

I help leaders across the country develop the Skills, Information, and Attitudes needed to build the Kingdom of God. I also help individuals become the best person they were created to be through workshops, classes, internships, and mentoring.



Third: I get to Equip and Resource other Organizations and Leaders

Working with Cadre Missionaries, I am privileged to be a part of a writing team where their material was used to train over 5,000 people in 2017. I also spend time helping others develop their teaching/training material. Yet the most impactful material in which I get to invest is what I create and use within Restoring HOPE's opportunities.

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Fourth: I get to Oversee, Encourage and Equip our endorsed Community Impact Ambassadors of H.O.P.E. that restore hope to their community.

We are an Equipping and Encouragement ministry. Helping other people in other states gain a passion to reach out and share the love of Jesus with their neighbors is a rush. This effort is very personal and hands on as we give people opportunities to serve their community.

Fifth: I get to encourage and promote our endorsed Global and Regional Ambassadors of H.O.P.E. that are restoring hope across the globe.

Running a non-profit ministry can be extremely rewarding. Yet there are many times that funds do not arrive when expected or the evil we are battling against shows itself in an ugly way and discouragement and frustration sets in. Our desire is to keep this from happening as we promote, encourage, and potentially help fund a limited group of like minded servant leaders.

Lastly: I get to lead by example and live out our 1st and 2nd Step Action Steps and provide Encouragement, Pastoral Care, and Counseling.

I lead by example and SHOW Jesus like compassion to those around me. Our mission to restore hope happens when we place ourselves in the path of those needing rescued.

A KID CALLED BUTTER

My wife came home one day after subbing and shared how a kindergarten boy that was being punished for behavioral outbursts told her that he was hungry. The only food he had to eat over the weekend was a stick of butter. We were both angry and heartbroken at the same time and knew that this is not an isolated case, for we live in a state that leads the country in child poverty. We nicknamed the kid - *Butter* - and she would update how he was doing after she subbed at his school.

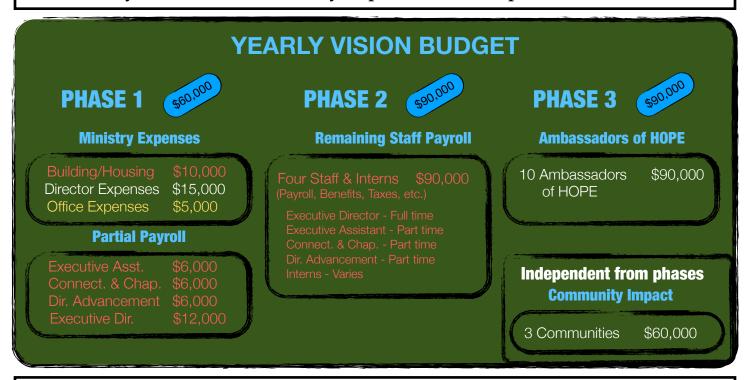
Months later I met a very broken man at Celebrate Recovery that knew his alcohol addiction was destroying the lives of his children and that he needed help. His wife at the time was and still is a drug addict who often left the kids to fend for themselves. As I spoke with him and some of his older children, I learned he was going through a divorce. My wife approached me and whispered in my ear... "that kid over there is Butter." It finally dawned on me that I was talking with Butter's dad. I smiled, shook his hand, and encouraged him to keep coming back to C.R.. I began to intentionally invest my energy into him. Over several months we became friends and Jesus began transforming his life.

It's been two years since Butter entered our lives. We have come alongside his family and provided them food, clothing and even Christmas presents through our Santa Cause event. This past year I facilitated a 12 step program where... Butter's dad completed the program. He has been alcohol free for two years and is a transformed man.

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WHAT WILL YOUR DONATED MONEY DO?

Your tax-deductible donation will go in the General Fund and will help us cover Phase 1: all of our ministry expenses and partial compensation for our staff. All Community Impact funds will be raised independently from our General Budget by each of the Community Impact Directors/Operations staff.



Your partnership allows our Staff to pay our bills and feed our kids. It allows us to be with those that are hurting. It allows all of us to be a part of a bigger team that is feeding children in poverty, rescuing little girls from sex trafficking, rescuing drug addicts, and rescuing adult sex slaves from being trafficked against their will.

Together, we are bringing Heaven's will on Earth!





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