

Set Free is a 25 year old ministry dedicated to reaching out to the homeless, the addicted, the afflicted, the lost and the hopeless. Many people wonder how they can help the growing number of people who are in these circumstances: we help by teaching them about Jesus. At Set Free these individuals are taught the Word of God and they learn that they no longer have to live negative lifestyles that lead to jail, welfare, destruction, and death. We witness to Gods people everywhere, even in the worst neighborhoods. We feed, clothe, and house them, teaching them the skills they need to be a positive influence in their families and communities.

Set Free Ministries of Riverside opened its doors on January 12, 2007. They currently hold services and Bible studies in the facilities of First Baptist Church of Riverside. They rent a multi-residence building that is divided into the ranch and work home along with a residence for the pastor and his family. The ministry needs to open a women's house. They have to turn away approximately 30-60 women a month from this ministry. However, this is not feasible until the current ministry is self-sufficient.

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PHASES

PHASE 1: THE RANCH

This phase is designed to allow individuals and opportunity to separate themselves from their old lives and begin to focus on God. The duration of this phase is approximately 30 days. During phase 1 residents are on a daily work and Bible study schedule as well as receiving spiritual and biblical counseling.

PHASE II: DISCIPLESHIP/WORK HOME

In this phase the daily work schedule each resident follows allows for an equal balance between spiritual study and development of positive work habits. The resident is encouraged to seek employment. This enables the individual to begin the transition into becoming a viable asset to society and to their family. As the resident gains employment, they begin to pay program fees to offset the cost of the ministry and they are expected to tithe on their income teaching them biblical financial responsibility.

PHASE III: VOCATIONAL/MINISTRY TRAINING

Upon completion of phases I and II, the resident can apply for vocational training to further their ability to gain meaningful employment. For those called into ministry as an Elder at Set Free, training and mentoring is provided.

SUCCESSES IN 2007:

321 homeless individuals processed through the ministry

87 graduates (completed all phases, obtained house, restored family)



MISSION

The Set Free Discipleship Ministry is here to help people distressed through life's crisis of drug addiction, alcoholism, homelessness, and a lack of discipline and purpose in life.

PROCESS

Set Free Ministries teaches a one step program. The way to an abundant life is through accepting Jesus as Savior and living with Him as Lord of your life.

How Can You Help?

Churches:

- Monthly Financial Support
- Periodic Grace offerings
- Contract mowing team or other project labor
- Conduct weekly Bible study
- Food donations
- Thanksgiving meal support
- Toys for twice a year community outreach events

Individuals:

- Monthly support
- Food/toiletries/clothing donations
- Help in Sunday evening worship service
- Hire lawn mowing team

If you are interested in being a partner with this ministry or need more

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