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- Whole or 1% Milk
- Fresh Fruit



Merry Christmas!

This month we experienced a beautiful "Winter Wonderland" in Jasper, GA. Ms. Ali, Ms. Jane and Ms. Robin were able to trek out in the snow and take some gorgeous photos of our campus. You can view some of their photos in our Facebook album by clicking [here](#). Many of them truly look like Christmas card pictures. These pictures remind us of how God has truly blessed us with a beautiful campus as He is continuing to grow our ministry.

- Fresh Vegetables
- Eggs
- Ground meat
- Cheese
- Whole Grain Snacks
- Individual Snacks
- Low Sugar Cereal
- Canned Milk
- Facial Tissues
- Ritz Crackers
- Wheat Thins
- Gummies Fruit Snacks

Complete Needs List



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JOY HOUSE PROGRAM GRADUATE SHARES TESTIMONY ONLINE

An Unexpected Blessing...Former Resident Shares Testimony

Tyler, a September 2017 graduate of The Joy House program, took it upon himself to give a "shout out" to how God has changed his life on Facebook. He began with "...I thought I could use my story as a way to help..." and we are certain that his willingness to be bold about his faith and speak truth to others who are going through life experiences he is familiar with has done just that. We have copied some of his post below. Thank you, Tyler. We love you and are proud of you.

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HELP US REACH OUR GOAL OF \$50,000 BY YEAR END

Matching Campaign Update

We are excited to share that we have raised \$33,000 towards our \$50,000 goal for the “Second Home for Second Chances” Matching Campaign! We have 11 days to raise \$17,000 to meet our goal. If we meet our goal, a total of \$100,000 will be added to our capital campaign, a huge boost towards making this project a reality! Please share this opportunity to double the impact of funds given with your friends, family and business colleagues. We are so very grateful for everyone that has contributed thus far. Every dollar makes a difference!

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Christmas Wish Lists

Each year individuals come forward at the holidays to see if there are any “out of the ordinary” needs for our boy’s and girl’s homes. Each home has comprised a special “2017 Christmas Wish List.” Please contact Steve Lowe, our Executive Director, at steve@thejoyhouse.org if you would like to fulfill one of these wishes for our homes or if you had another gift in mind that we may have not thought of. Thank you for your support in making the holidays special for our teens.

[Click Here to View Both Wish Lists](#)



EDUCATION EXPENSE TAX CREDIT IS A WIN WIN!

Too Good to be True???

Too Good to Be True? - Receive Georgia Tax Credit to Help our Teens What if you could make a difference in the education of a teen at The Joy House through dollars you are already going to spend? What if you could receive a dollar-for-dollar tax credit by helping a Joy House teen with their education? The good news is you can through the Georgia Private School Tax Credit Program.

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IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO MAKE A CONTRIBUTION FOR 2017

Year-end Giving

If you are mailing a gift it must be postmarked no later than December 31, 2017. If you want to donate online, you may do so by going to thejoyhouse.org and clicking on "Give." You can make donations online until midnight on December 31, 2017. If you want to give the donation to us personally, it must be in hand by midnight on December 31, 2017.

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