

2023 Year in Review

9 Strongtower 2023 Residents African American/ Caucasian 4 Trafficking Survivors 5 Foster care/Kinship 1 Infant



When I first came to Kingdom Pillars I was a scared, avoidant person. Isolated myself. I had been so used to moving in fear and seeking outward validation and I was very unstable. I was paralyzed, but since learning about God and reading the Bible, I've began to access peace and am now able to laugh with others, have positive/healing conversations, and my art has radically advanced and became more complex since learning that much more is possible than I previously thought. I even got baptized a few weeks ago! I owe this to the awareness of God and guidance from him as well as all the wonderfully wise people at KP. Thank you.

When I came to KP I was referred by my parole officer the day I graduated off parole, I was then in a sober living and pregnant with my son. I was not happy, struggling financially, mentally physically, and emotionally. I was in a spot of depression, stress & pain. i wanted to learn about myself & heal from past traumas for my future with my son! I left KP



right before my son arrived thinking that I was healed but I wasn't even



close. I felt all the pain & shame & everything. then after having my son 3 months into parenting realized I needed to return to KP. I had a good relationship with the ED and team and was able to return with my son. This time really focusing on myself. I am almost 2 years clean/sober by the grace of God by my side every step of the way! I got baptized a couple weeks ago & decided to raise my son in the Lord, surrounded by Godly people I'm starting to save money for a car & really just building my life, relationships & healing the trauma from the past setting healthy boundaries, building healthy relationships. Thank you

We are celebrating the successes of the Strongtower Women & 1 baby boy:

- 5 gave their lives to Jesus
- 2 rededicated their lives to Jesus
- 5 got baptized at the Strongtower home
- 9 attended weekly sessions in Art Therapy, Choosing Freedom, Cooking Classes
- 4 have held PT jobs
- 1 graduated the KP program
- 1 completed the Phlebotomy Program at CTEC
- 1 delivered a healthy baby boy (he is now crawling and almost walking too)
- 6 have completed Quiet Pastures/ Horse Barn
- 6 have met weekly/ biweekly with Mentors
- 1 was granted her SSI
- 5 have finished the iBright Coursework through Heartbeats
- 1 saved her money and purchased a new to her vehicle
- 2 are enrolled and are working on completing their GED
- 3 registered to vote and voted for the first time
- 3 opened savings/ checking accounts
- 1 held her first Art show
- 2 are ready to take the temporary driving test
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A few things YOU helped make happen this year: (Thank you!)

- Made 9 women feel loved and accepted without judgement
- Took care of an infant while one of our Moms went to various programs/appts
- Helped pay for the safe haven/ utilities where they call home
- Replaced the homes gutter guards
- Replaced the heating and cooling unit on one side of the home that was needed
- Purchased a deep freezer
- Purchased 1 of the whole house generators that was needed
- Replaced the broken well pump
- The education donations paid tuition for "S" to finish the Phlebotomy program
- Put food in the Strongtower lady's belly's

- Ongoing Monthly Kingdom Pillars Strongtower Needs:
- **2** Ply Toilet Tissue
- Paper towels
- Dove shampoo, conditioner, body wash
- O Dove Sensitive Skin body wash
- O Dove deodorant
- **Gain Laundry Pods**
- **Gain Dry Sheets**
- Large black Kitchen Trash Bags
- O Dawn Dish Liquid
- **Dishwasher Pods**
- Feminine Hygiene Products (Pads/ Tampons)
- Paper Products (Plates, Napkins, Cups)
- Size 4 Huggies diapers/ wipes
- Enfamil Gentilesse Formula powered only (Purple can)
- O Lysol
- **Cleaning supplies**
- Adult women's gummy multi vitamins
- \$50 visa gift cards (these pay their cell phone bills)
- Walmart gift cards (used for clothing, food)
- Monthly Mortgage payment \$2500
 - Thank you for your monthly support, we appreciate you!

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