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Jomairi Teague



came a Family Foundation Fund son in 2014 and is currently a senior at Lighthouse Christian School (LCS) and has maintained a 3.0+ gpa throughout his high school years. Jomairi has the distinction of being the only Family Foundation Fund son to earn the Excellence In Leadership award for two

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consecutive summers. Additionally, he has been recognized for his outstanding sportsmanship as part of the LCS varsity football team, and will be graduating on May 14, 2021. Upon graduating, Jomairi plans to attend MTSU in the fall.

We are grateful to his mother Angela, for allowing us the opportunity to be a part of Jomairi's passage to manhood, and his father, Fred, for partnering with us in their son's journey of life. Jomairi did not have the opportunity to participate this last year because of COVID restrictions.

Jomairi's Farewell Statement

The Family Foundation Fund has impacted my life by teaching me the biblical principles about becoming a man. It taught me that hard work pays off. They have also taught me how to think critically, how to use my leadership skills, and how to network and meet new people. The bonus to this program is that I was able to travel to places that were unimaginable for me and fun.

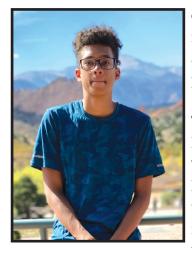
This program has taught me the value of managing my money, however, the most important thing that it taught me is the bond of brotherhood.

Academic Success

"The 2020-2021 Covid-19 academic school year presented monumental challenges to students and teachers alike. However, in the midst of the chaos and faced with enormous obstacles, our long-standing community partner, Lighthouse Christian School (LCS), pivoted, adjusted, and made quality education the priority both in person and virtually. In this environment our sons thrived!

Both Cody & Jamison, maintained a 3.0 over the first 3 quarters of the academic year! Faced with a litany of unexpected challenges, one being a truly unique basketball season, our sons' commitment to educational excellence did not waiver. They embraced adversity grace, confidence, and sought out wisdom when situations seemed daunting. While there is ample room for improvement, where these knowing young men started in their respective academic journeys and seeing the fruit





of their focus and determination, is a blessing to all who are continually praying.

The Family Foundation Fund's mission is to teach "Christ-centered manhood," which we believe takes a village. Hence the immense gratitude for the LCS family, our sons'

mothers, and the surrogate families that walk with our sons. Leaders are made through hard work and this past academic year proved that our guys are leaders! Thank you all for shouldering the weight of change and providing our sons the climate to thrive.



2021 Parent Orientation Meeting

On April 17th we hosted our annual Parent Orientation Meeting at the Upper Room in Hendersonville, Tn. We are grateful for Billy and Tina Davis for sharing this beautiful venue of peace and rest. We were assisted in serving the current mothers by two of our alumni mothers, Mary Smith and Nikki Morgan. Their sons are graduates of the program and are being responsible men who are attentive to the care of their mothers and their families.

We are grateful for our new parents and their sons LaTonya R. and her son Dexter, Shanna M. and her son Elijah and Whit K. and his son Judah.

Son Farm Produce

The summer is rapidly approaching and we have been in preparation mode. We are grateful for all of our volunteers who come out on the third Saturday of each month to assist us in the farming efforts and to participate with our young men and help them develop understanding about the farming processes. There are always plenty of projects at Son Farm and we encourage you to bring your family or men's group and come join us on the third Saturday morning of each month, from 8:00 am – 12:00. The next farm day will be May 15th. Let us know that you are coming, to make sure we have lunch portions for everyone.

We have quite a variety of organic produce for our share partners this season: variety of peppers, tomatoes, potatoes, onions, kale, turnips/green, celery, okra, squash, cucumbers, beets, radishes, berries, melons, celery, garlic and more. All of our produce is grown without pesticides, herbicides and no gmo seeds.

When you purchase a Son Farm share/produce box, you will receive 12-15 pounds of produce, with an additional 5 pounds added during melon season. Your purchase allows us to provide our sons that are 15 and older with meaningful work experiences during the summer months. Please visit our web-site familyfoundationfund.org for more information.



Oneness: The Culture of a Family

Family began with the Most High (God the Father) in the eternal realm. Whether we understand this or not He began to plan for each one of us before we were in our mother's womb. (Jeremiah 29:11)

The culture in the eternal was a culture of oneness; The Most High – God the Father, The Son – who is the Word, and the Holy Spirit. This culture of Oneness spoke and everything that was made came into existence... galaxies, sun, moon, stars and Earth.

In their oneness it was decreed that they would make man who would be their son (Genesis 1:26-27) ..." let us make man in our image and likeness." Man was designed to be the carrier of life, the woman was placed in man (Genesis 2:21-25) the seed/sperm was placed in him; He was the ruler of his Father's kingdom here on Earth, and was commissioned to establish His Father's kingdom family on earth to be as the family was in heaven, one heart.

In Matthew 6:10 Jesus prays "Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth, (in the hearts of each of us that believe in him) as it is in heaven. The first son Adam failed, approximately four thousand years later the only begotten son of God was born on earth (Jesus, the second Adam). He came in the human form born of a woman to save the family and demonstrate how we were to live as sons in relationship to Our Father.

Jesus the second Adam was the way, the truth, and the life that would lead us to the Father, (John 14: 1-6). Once we are abiding in Him, we are able to engage in the divine relationship. What is the evidence we are abiding in Him? We know his voice, his presence, his joy, his peace, his power and authority and we are able to rest.

The Most High's intention for all of us on earth was to be one with the Heavenly Family. That is why there was no fear, pain or shame on earth before Adam ate of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil. We know there was no pain because when God the Father performed the first operation removing the cellular components for the woman out of Adam there was no

pain. There was no fear because Adam named all of what we now refer to as ferocious animals. There was no shame, their birthday suits were the only garments they wore, and they were in total obedience to their Father, so they could live in a culture of peace, joy and rest. The environment of His habitation in heaven is peace, joy, and rest.

If we have been redeemed and are abiding in Him, His presence will accompany us and we will be anxious for nothing,

What is the culture of your household? Is there peace, joy, and rest? If there is not ask him to show you where you have not surrendered all to him. Our Father came in the person of His son to restore the family to the culture of heaven here on earth.

He does not want us to live in the current culture of the age. When we have surrendered all to the Father, we can rest in His divine peace; in the midst of chaos and trauma in the world (just as Jesus had in the boat when the storms were trying to kill him and his disciples, Matthew 8:23-27.) Are you able to rest in the midst of life storms? Do you know assuredly that He will provide and never forsake you?

Is the culture of your heart one of continual praise, thankfulness, gratitude and adoration to the Most High? He comes and inhabits the praise of his children. He loves to be with us and manifest himself. When he manifest himself, he brings salvation, deliverance, healing, understanding, wisdom, counsel and strength for life's journey.

Let's pray that the culture of oneness in Heaven will be the culture of His family here on earth. That oneness on earth as it is in heaven will defeat every device that has been formed against the family. The demonic weapons of racism, greed, pride, abandonment, lust, social chaos, disorder, confusion etc, are all subject to the divine nature ..."Christ In You the Hope of Glory." This type of oneness can only be achieved through a circumcision of the heart, repentance, forgiveness and submission to a life led by the Holy Spirit.



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Mission Statement

The Family Foundation
Fund's mission is to
nurture fatherless
boys into Christcentered manhood

INTENTIONAL FATHERHOOD

May 7-9, 2021

Proverbs 18: 10 & 15

10 The name of the LORD is a strong tower: the righteous runneth into it, and is safe.

15 The heart of the prudent getteth knowledge; and the ear of the wise seeketh knowledge.

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