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#### 5,000 Posters. 5 School Districts. 1 Awesome God!

Montgomery County Schools Receive Ten Commandments Posters in Community-Led Effort

Montgomery County, TX – [August 14, 2025] – On Tuesday, Love Heals Youth and an incredible coalition of churches, civic groups, and community leaders delivered nearly 5,000 Ten Commandments posters to five of the six school districts in Montgomery County—lifting a financial burden from local schools and, more importantly, glorifying God by sharing His Word with thousands of students and teachers. (Magnolia ISD, Montgomery ISD, Willis ISD, New Caney ISD, Splendira ISD)

"This is more than a delivery of posters—it's a delivery of hope, truth, and a reminder that God's Word still has a place in our schools and our hearts," said Rebecca Smith, Founder of Love Heals Youth. "We stand in awe of what God has done."

This county-wide effort was made possible through the generosity and teamwork of:

- Love Heals Youth
- Lake Conroe Area Republican Women (LCARW)
- The Church at Montgomery
- East Montgomery County Republican Women
- Liberty Bells
- Liberty Library Project
- ...and countless others who donated their time, resources, and prayers to make this vision a reality.

# **More Than Posters—Planting Seeds**

The Ten Commandments posters serve multiple purposes:

- Reinforcing parental authority
- Encouraging children to talk to their parents
- Inviting meaningful conversations at home
- Strengthening bonds between children and their families
- Empowering parents to shape their child's values

"What if a poster on the wall reminded a child they're not alone, gave them boundaries no one else has taught them, or sparked a conversation that brought a family closer together?" Smith



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asked. "Even if a child only glances at the Ten Commandments once, God's Word promises to accomplish its purpose."

### **Addressing Concerns with Grace**

While there has been some online pushback—including educators creating alternative designs and concerns about explaining certain words to younger students—Smith offers a simple, developmentally appropriate solution:

"That's a great question. I think it would be best for you to ask your parents so you can hear their explanation in their own words. Let's write it down so you can remember to ask them when you get home."

Smith emphasizes that directing students to their parents honors God's design for spiritual instruction and strengthens the family unit.

## **Rooted in History and Faith**

"While America is a melting pot of beliefs, our nation was founded on Christian values," Smith noted. "Our Founding Fathers understood that liberty requires morality, and morality requires faith."

As a Christian-based nonprofit, Love Heals Youth regularly prays with and ministers to older foster youth, sparking hope and igniting faith. The organization believes that same spark can be shared in every classroom where God's Word is displayed.

#### About Love Heals Youth

Love Heals Youth is a nonprofit organization dedicated to providing trauma-informed counseling, mentoring, and tangible support to foster youth and at-risk children. Through love, guidance, and the Word of God, LHY empowers young people to heal from the past and embrace a future filled with hope.