



One Mom's Story . . .

I am a young mother with two daughters. Unfortunately, drugs have been part of my story for pretty much my entire life. There are ups and down that come with drugs. There were times in my life that I thought that I had it all. I had my family, my house and my cars.

Before I knew it the dark side of drugs took over and I lost myself for many years. I lost everything except my daughters and one of my cars. I was lost and broken before coming to the Sheepfold. My life has changed so much since being here. I wasn't sure if I wanted to stay when I moved in about a month ago, but I am so glad that I did stay.

I am a Christian now, and my life is so much brighter. I am happy with the few things that I have, and I have been clean and sober for a while now. I am so grateful for that. So my encouragement to you, if you feel like you are going crazy and want to give up, remember—God will never give up on you, so keep going. It will be hard, but in the end it will all be worth it.



– Sheepfold Mom

*Do not be anxious about anything,
but in every situation, by prayer and petition,
with thanksgiving, present your requests to God.*

—Philippians 4:6

Sheepfold Fun!



Would You Like To Adopt A Family for Christmas?



At Christmas we provide a joyous and Christ-filled holiday for the women and children staying at the Sheepfold. We are able to do this with the help of individuals and companies who generously donate gifts or participate in our Adopt A Family (AAF) program.

Adopting a family means providing a portion of the gifts a family receives Christmas morning. When you call or email, you will be provided with information which includes an AAF number (to protect the family's identity), ages, sizes and gift suggestions from a family's Wish List.

The deadline to drop off the unwrapped gifts for the AAF program is Friday, December 8th. This allows us enough time to organize, wrap and transport the gifts to the homes for Christmas morning.

Please call (714) 237-1444 or email kathy@thesheepfold.org to participate in the AAF program or for more information. You may also check our website for our Registry or general Gift List.

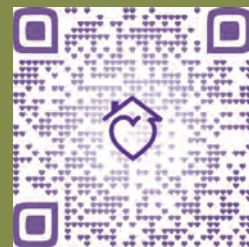
-Kathy Novak, Services Coordinator

Want to Join Us as a Christmas Volunteer?

FOR INFORMATION OR TO SIGN UP TO BECOME A CHRISTMAS VOLUNTEER, SIMPLY EMAIL OUR VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR AT ChristinaCruz@thesheepfold.org. WE CANNOT WAIT TO HEAR FROM YOU. MERRY CHRISTMAS!

Sheepfold Boutique
810 N Tustin Street, Orange CA 92867

For Office Location Call 714-237-1444



SCAN TO GIVE

Give a Christmas Gift

We greatly appreciate all of your expressions of love by donating Christmas gifts for our moms and kids.

Here are a few Gift Suggestions for our
Moms and Children (Ages: infant, toddler, school age 5-12, and teen girls)

- Clothing and accessories for women (all sizes including plus sizes)
- Beauty and hairstyling products and accessories
- Shoes for women (all sizes)
- Clothing for girls and boys (all sizes)
- Clothing and accessories for infants and toddlers
- Shoes for children (all sizes)
- Clothing for teen girls (all sizes)
- Popular children's toys (all ages)
- Outdoor toys
 - Bikes, Scooters, Skateboards (and protective gear)
- Electronics
 - Educational toys, gaming consoles for the shelters, Nintendo Switch Console and Games rated E
- Gift Cards
 - Kohl's, Walmart, Grocery Store, Costco, Gas, or Amazon
- Tickets/Activities
 - Amusement Parks, Sports Events, Movie Tickets
- Shelter Specific Gifts
 - DVDs (G or PG), Children's Books, Bibles, Devotional Books
- Household Items
 - Linens, Bedding (twin size), Home Décor, Kitchen Essentials, Highchairs, Umbrella Strollers



More Specific items can be found at our Amazon Wishlist at www.thesheepfold.org.

Groups or Companies

If you, your church group, or company would like to adopt a family, please call our office for more information 714-237-1444, or email kathy@thesheepfold.org

If you desire to give larger items other than listed above, you may call the office at 714-237-1444 for suggestions.

Please Note:

- We request NEW items because these are gifts.
- Please bring gifts UNWRAPPED. Gift bags OK. We need to see each gift, therefore, we will need to unwrap any wrapped gifts.
- We will receive gifts starting Wednesday, November 29th, Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. (Gifts are also welcome earlier.)
- All gifts will be received at The Sheepfold office. Call 714-237-1444 or email: mail@thesheepfold.org for directions.
- Gift Drop-off DEADLINE: Friday, December 8th (So we have time to sort, wrap and distribute before Christmas.)
- Wrapping supplies, boxes and ribbon are appreciated.

As part of our stewardship accounting we are required to record every new item donated to the Sheepfold. It would be a great help if those who bring gifts would kindly include a list of the items' cost, or a copy of your register receipt.

To make a donation, please use the enclosed envelope or visit thesheepfold.org/donate.

OR, TEXTING (714) 942-5560. Thank You for your generosity!!

The Sheepfold



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ADDRESS SERVICE REQUESTED

“So then, just as you received
Christ Jesus as Lord, continue to
live your lives in him . . .”

—Colossians 2:6-7

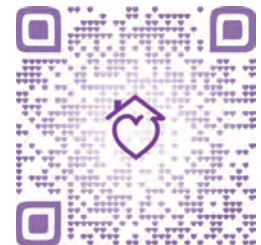
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