

# NEW LIFE NEWS

"FOR WITH GOD NOTHING WILL BE IMPOSSIBLE." LUKE 1:37

### LIFE HOUSE GRADUATION: KISHA



On Sunday, June 9, New Life Ministries celebrated its third Women's Life House graduation for 2024. Congratulations to Kisha on successfully completing the program and making true life changes!

Kisha came to the Women's Life House from probation, and it is safe to say that the Kisha we know now is different than the Kisha we met eight months ago.

When she first entered the program, Kisha was very quiet and kept to herself – her only goal was to graduate from the Women's Life House and check off that box. But somewhere during her time with us, Kisha

got honest about making changes, and she worked hard on herself, her goals, and restoring relationships with her children. She became more present, shared in class, and would even hang out and crochet in the living room.

While in the Women's Life House, there were conversations about being a mom, and it was clear that the well-being and happiness of her children were immensely important. Kisha started bringing her youngest to church with her every Sunday and her oldest when they were visiting. Kisha was grateful for another chance to get motherhood right and made being a good and present mom one of her most important priorities.

We are proud of Kisha and the growth and changes she accomplished while being with us. Kisha should be extremely proud of herself, too.

Kisha's story is just one of many that show how powerful God is. Her hard work has paid off, and we are proud of all she has accomplished. We pray that Kisha continues to seek the Lord as she begins her journey outside of the Women's Life House and that she continues to restore her relationships with her children.

## ROAD TRIP TO INDY

New Life Ministries took a small road trip to Indianapolis on June 9-12 to share more about New Life Ministries as an exhibit during the Southern Baptist Convention's 2024 Annual Meeting. While in attendance, we shared more about New Life Ministries with individuals and Southern Baptist Churches from across our country and beyond.



Our goal in attending this event was to build awareness for New Life Ministries and share the good work God is doing in our community and state. We connected with many and are hopeful to welcome multiple new mission teams as a result of this event.

## TESTIMONIES COME AT A COST

"The testimonies we share come at a cost."

These are words Jimi Staton, Executive Director of New Life Ministries, has shared with a few individuals recently. Like most, we like sharing the positive testimonies and good news related to our ministry programs, and we often shy away from sharing the challenges. But, if you have spoken with Jimi, you have heard the stories of the challenges we often face when it comes to our finances as a nonprofit.

We know God is faithful and will provide, but testimonies come at a cost. In 2024, New Life Ministries is operating under a budget of \$432.460.52, and it costs \$36,038.38/month to meet the needs of people recovering from homelessness, addiction, hunger, trauma, and mental illness. Our ministry programs are only possible thanks to the support of individuals, businesses, and churches who believe in our mission.

If God has placed it on your heart to support our mission, we pray you may consider giving a gift that will impact those in need of food, shelter, and a purpose-filled life.



## REGISTER YOUR TEAM TODAY



Register your team of four to attend our 12th Annual Four-Man Golf Scramble for New Life Ministries on Saturday, August 17 at Clear Creek Golf Course in Huntington.

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