

BRINGING HOPE HOME PROGRAM

Starting over can be hard for a family or individual experiencing homelessness. Living in an extended stay hotel, a car, or even one of our shelters, they can't keep a lot of belongings with them. Finding stable, affordable housing is just the first step. Sometimes furnishing those basic supplies — like a bed or kitchen table — can be too expensive for a tight budget.

Kendric, a single father, lost his home and had been living in his car with his one-year-old daughter until he signed up for a workforce apprenticeship program through the City of Mesa which qualified him for a housing voucher program. He came to SVdP's Mesa dining room for hot meals and diapers for his daughter, and when our dining room supervisor heard they were sleeping on the floor of their new place she connected him with Bringing Hope Home to help make their new apartment a home.

An important part of SVdP's mission is to provide dignified service to those in need, and to that end guests who are part of Bringing Hope Home are given credit to shop for what they need from our thrift stores. These items are then packed on to our trucks and delivered to their homes thanks to our transportation team giving families and individuals a dignified space to call their own from day one.



Bringing Hope Home's Community Impact:

- 36 household assisted since the program began in 2020 including 12 seniors and 68 children.
- Most families receive a food box, hygiene items, cleaning supplies, toiletries, diapers and wipes if needed when they move in as well.
- Program participants are connected with their local churches for future support.

Bringing Hope Home's Future:

As the program continues to grow, and we help more families and individuals find permanent housing, we need support from the community to keep providing this dignified service.

- Estimated 240 placements per year
- 15% families and 85% single adult placements
- Estimated \$2,500 per family and \$1,000 per individual

Find out how you can support families and individuals finding their way home:

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Scan the QR Code to view stories of families and individuals who have gotten back on their feet thanks to SVdP's Bringing Hope Home program



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