

SUMMER 2021



Hannah's Haven

TRANSFORMING THE LIVES OF WOMEN

Our Stories: Rhasheena Gussom

So let's not get tired of doing what is good. At just the right time, we will reap a harvest of blessing if we don't give up. Galatians 6:9

I believe that God designed the opportunity for me at Hannah's Haven long before I would ever take the journey. Yes, my bad choices and decisions brought me here, but what the devil would try to use for my demise, God has turned for my good in many ways.

In January 2019, I made a decision to leave drug addiction, people pleasing, and idolatry to my self image, and step into true freedom in Christ. I remember laying in my room saying, "God help me." My life had

been reduced to waking up everyday wondering where my next pill would come from and how to keep myself from becoming sick. What started out as pain prevention turned into recreational use, selling, and then rock bottom. My pride-filled mind kept telling me - you can handle it,

you've got this, you don't need help! I knew I needed God and could no longer live this way.

When I cried out to the Lord, He heard me, and He rescued me.

I began to call rehab centers and no one had availability. I know now that God was shutting all the doors and directing me to Hannah's Haven, where I was meant to be. Since coming to the program, I have been through processes that I would have otherwise skipped over, tried to manipulate, or simply refused to do. I remember thinking, after being here for a couple of months, that I just want to be free from addiction. I don't need all of the other stuff, I already know the bible. Then the Lord said, "But do you know me? Do you really have a relationship with me?" That is when I decided to stop fighting God and Hannah's

Haven staff and allow them to truly help me!

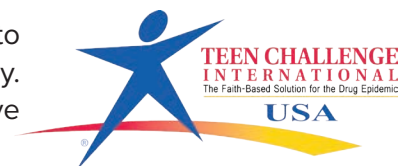
When I learned to take responsibility for my actions, stopped being the victim, and learned to receive God's love - then and only then - did my heart begin to change. I began to look at Hannah's Haven as more than just a rehab. I feel like I have been divinely enrolled in the school of the Holy Spirit.

Now I can smile! I am not afraid to love and my walls are coming down a little more everyday! I take comfort in knowing that I am seated with Christ in heavenly places and understanding that this journey is not an accident, but it was predestined by God to get me to His expected end.

I am so grateful that Miss Bonnie and the staff at Hannah's Haven took the necessary time with me. They endured patiently with me because they chose to see me as God sees me, valuable to the Kingdom.

Now I can breathe because everything I took for granted, all the things I viewed through entitlement, God has restored to me as privileges. I have been blessed with a job and that has allowed me to pay off \$22,000 in debit making me debit free. I was able to get my drivers license and pay cash for my own car. I live in the Hannah's Haven transition house with two of my sisters who have also endured this journey with me and I love them for that.

I am grateful and excited to continue on my journey. I never thought I could live this blessed life!





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Please sign below to participate as a sponsor/player and return this form and check to Hannah's Haven, PO Box 14724, Greensboro, NC 27415. ***Team spot is held once money is received. Thank you for your support!**

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On June 19, 2021, six women **graduated** from

Hannah's Haven! In order to graduate these ladies had to complete a **residential phase** of a minimum of 12 months, then be outside of Hannah's Haven for an **additional 12 months**.

These women have jobs, are debt free, have a mentor, are involved in a church, and have continued to communicate with the Hannah's Haven staff on a regular basis. We are so proud of them and can't wait to see what the Lord does next in their lives!

Graduates names/photos in order of participants who entered the Program first.

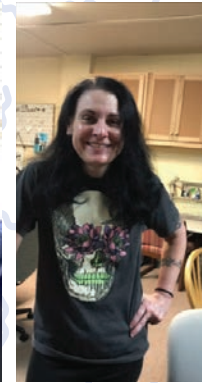
Congrats to Our Graduates!



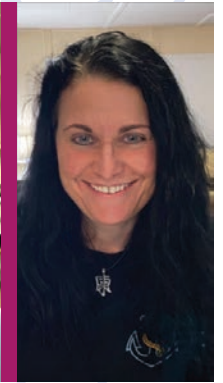
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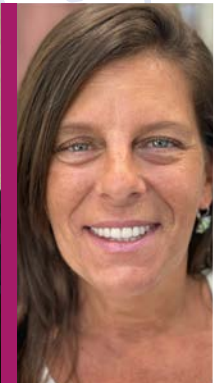
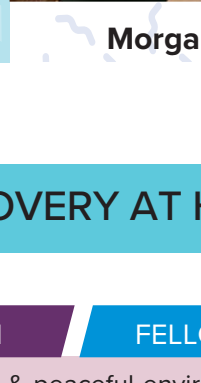
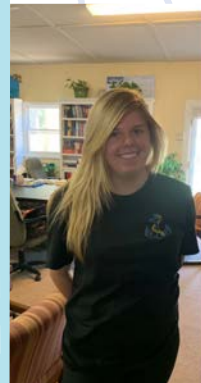
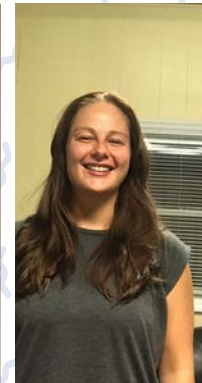
Yvonne Craven



Kathy Bateman



Hannah Grimesey



If you were unable to attend the graduation, you can watch it on YouTube. Search: **Hannah's Haven Graduation 2021**



PATHWAY TO RECOVERY AT HANNAH'S HAVEN

SPIRITUAL GROWTH

AFFIRMATION

FELLOWSHIP

EDUCATION

Hannah's Haven seeks to provide a **S.A.F.E.**, stable, & peaceful environment for women to establish a lifestyle free of drugs & alcohol. The ministry serves women age 18 & older, who have undergone medically supervised detoxification if needed. The program consists of: Residential Phase—a minimum of 12 months, and Non-Residential Phase—from 6-12 months. All of Hannah's Haven residents must have a commitment to their own recovery.



Bonnie Harris

Founder and Director 

Psalms 27:14 (TPT) Here's what I've learned through it all: Don't give up; don't be impatient; be entwined as one with the Lord. Be brave and courageous, and never lose hope. Yes, keep on waiting—for he will never disappoint you!

Sometimes the Lord allows us to go through seasons of waiting. It is not always easy and it can be frustrating. Others may not understand your season of waiting. They may ask questions like; what are you waiting on? Why are you not moving forward? They may question your faith or your vision. You may not understand your season of waiting. You know that God has made promises and that he is faithful to keep those promises but His timing may not line up with your expectations. I have learned in my times of waiting to TRUST Him. I trust His plans for me. I trust His heart towards me. I trust that He sees my past, present and future and works ALL things for my good. So I will be "brave and courageous, and never lose hope." I will keep on waiting because He will never disappoint me!



Thank You to Pilot Mechanical!

They installed the **HVAC system** in our new house! We can't wait for the rest of the house to be finished so we can serve more women.



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Online — HannahsHaven.NET, FB, & Instagram



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Volunteer with Us at Hannah's Bridge, contact Carina Cole: (336) 579-8322
Mentor a lady in our Phase 2 program, email for more info: info@hannahshaven.net



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Pray the women will hear God's voice and obey willingly.
Pray God will continue to send laborers to Hannah's Haven
Pray For the builder of our Phase 2 House and that God provides resources and finances for the house.

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