

Happy Summer from Hope's Path!

Along with the summer sun come the warm waves of joy, gratitude, and possibility. While we spend time outside with loved ones, enjoy afternoons cooling off with a swim, and salute our freedom, we have much to celebrate at Hope's Path. Although we are currently experiencing an abundance beyond our imagination, God continues to be on the move, and we are dreaming even more extensive and brighter dreams for the future of our young men!

This past season has proved to be one of incredible excitement and growth at Hope's Path, and we could not have achieved so many milestones without your prayers, time, and support. They include:

- **Raising** a record-breaking \$90,000 at our largest Annual Golf Tournament Fundraiser, 30% more than last year's \$60,000;
- **Partnering** with ten organizations in the community, including churches, youth outreach programs, alternative high schools, and social service agencies;
- **Receiving** 39 applications in the last six months alone; for perspective, we received 38 applications for the entirety of 2022; and
- **Enrolling** four new interns (from the 39 applications) and looking forward to being at total capacity by the end of 2023. The increase in our numbers demonstrates the urgent need in the community for Hope's Path that our community awareness and recruiting efforts are working.
- **Participating** in the Houston Philanthropy Circle. We survived a competitive application process and were one of only 16 chosen to present to a group of Greater Houston area philanthropists and foundations seeking to invest in essential causes in our city.
- **Graduating!** Since January, three interns have graduated from Hope's Path. Most notably, "David" received his Medical Assistant Certification from The College of Healthcare Professionals in Houston. David shared the following:

*"Hope's Path gave me the opportunity to get closer to God and showed me many teachable moments in life when no one else would show me any better opportunities. Hope's Path showed me that everyone may have different backgrounds, but we all serve one truly good God."*

Our dreams are more significant than ever as we continue to support, equip, and empower these young men to lead successful and independent lives. Of course, with substantial growth comes greater need. Considering our recent success and forward momentum, I invite you to pour into our ministry by helping us meet these increasing needs. Every dollar contributed directly supports the young men we serve and our program's outreach, advocacy, and other essential components. Your continued and enhanced investment will generate a significant rate of return. Our numbers and metrics tell the story. Hope's Path is succeeding in bettering the lives of these young men who have "aged out" of foster care. As David said, our God is truly good, and we are hopeful for the future. So, enjoy the rest of your summer: soak up the sun, make memories, laugh with those you love, and please consider investing in Hope's Path. We welcome you to celebrate and dream with us as we continue this joyous journey. We are deeply grateful to you!

God Bless,

Brandon Anderchuk



Executive Director



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