



GOOD KARMA CHALLENGE!

A NEW MONTH, A NEW CAUSE, A NEW WAY TO MAKE AN IMPACT

CAUSE OF THE MONTH:



HISTORY:

Hope Haven, a foundation of recovery, provides life skills for homeless, chemically dependent adults and families within a supportive residential environment, leading to independence

Founded in 1976, Hope Haven owes its start to the efforts of people concerned with the lack of services available for alcoholic women in early recovery. Arietta Black and Alice Trotter spearheaded the work. Ms. Black & Ms. Trotter were active lifetime members of Hope Haven's Board of Directors.. These two women walked door-to-door collecting signatures of support for residential women's services, and then asked Lance, Inc. for a seed grant. With those funds Hope Haven leased its first home, and opened its doors to house five women. Since its earliest days, Hope Haven has responded to the needs of the community.

For more info visit www.hopehaveninc.org

FACTS:

- Nationally, approximately 3.5 million people are homeless, of which 1.35 million are children in a given year
- In the 2008 the N.C. Interagency Council for coordinating Homeless Programs reported 12,371 people identified as homeless with 4206 self-identifying themselves having a substance abuse disorder
- The cost of addiction in 2004 in NC was estimated to be \$13,119,222,422 according to the National Office of Drug Control Policy

WHAT WE CAN DO TO COLLECTIVELY MAKE AN IMPACT:

Wish List- Donate an old cookbook, briefcase or other item from the Hope Haven Wish List. For a list of items see:

<http://hopehaveninc.org/get-involved/wish-list/>

Become a Volunteer- Not sure where you fit in? Take a look at the volunteer needs below:

<http://hopehaveninc.org/get-involved/volunteer-opportunities/>

TAKE THE MOAZEN CHALLENGE!

This month our goal is to each donate \$1.00 toward Hope Haven's cause and encourage a friend to do the same. You may use the donation link below. To keep track of Challenge participation please write the letters "GKC" before your first name when you fill in your donation information.

If you want to make your participation public post "I JOINED THE Good Karma CHALLENGE" on our Facebook wall and you will automatically be entered in a drawing to win the pictured SardOnyx bracelet set.
Challenge Valid 12/20/2012-1/20/2013.

DONATION LINK:

<http://hopehaveninc.org/sample-page/donations/>



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WE INVITE YOU JOIN THE INITIATIVE.