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"Help for the desperate, those willing to seek Jesus Christ for the answers in their lives"



When we face our battles, sometimes we are tempted to fight with the worldly weapons. God gives us different weapons for our battles. We have an enemy- Satan but we cannot win the battle fighting on his terms. God gives us a different set of weapons. Prayer, Worship, His Word, our Testimony and the Blood of Jesus by which we have already won the victory. "For we are not fighting against flesh-and-blood enemies, but against evil rulers and authorities of the unseen world, against mighty powers in this dark world, and against evil spirits in the heavenly places. Therefore, put on every piece of God's armor so you will be able to resist the enemy in the time of evil. Then after the battle you will still be standing firm" Ephesians 6:12-13

True FREEDOM is found in SURRENDER to God and His plans.



If you are ready to be delivered from your life-controlling problems, if you are ready for **JESUS**, then we believe that our program is for **YOU**. If you are looking for help for yourself or for a loved one, please pick up the phone and call us today... **573-371-2020**. We will be happy to help or direct you to one of our other 20 Mission Teen centers.



My name is **Kerry Maurer**. I am 41 years old and was raised in South St. Louis, MO. My mother was only 16 when she had me and my father abused her. They partied and they fought all the time. They separated when I was 5 years old. When they separated, my mom drug me from boyfriend to boyfriend and husband to husband. When it didn't work out, we would go back to live with relatives. I changed schools more times than I could count and lacked the stability that I needed growing up. I was allowed to go to my dad's house on the weekends and he let me do whatever I wanted to do. He started getting high with me when I was only 10 years sold. By the time I was 13, I was in a gang. I got my first pistol and was getting high, drinking and stealing cars, robbing people and using the money to buy candy and play video games. I fell in love

with the lifestyle...cars, clothes, money, gold, women...all the things of the world. I wanted the life I saw in the rap videos. This desire led me to spend most of my life in prison. I was partying with my dad on his birthday, and he overdosed and died. I believed this was my fault for many years. I carried the guilt and that led me to a darker place. I now know the truth, *"Therefore there is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus, who do not walk according to the flesh, but according to the Spirit." Romans 8:1 I came to Freedom House broken and hopeless and very angry. I was shown love here that I never even knew existed. I started to learn about Jesus and His love for us. The more I read His Word, the more healing I received. The Lord was renewing my mind and changing my heart! For the first time in 14 years, I am at peace with my fathers passing. I received healing so that I can begin to love myself and love others like Jesus loves us. I now have a purpose and the Lord has shown me that He is going to use me to reach others who are bound in gangs and drugs. I am so grateful that I didn't die in my sin and have been given this awesome opportunity. The Lord has filled the void that I tried to fill for so many years with all the wrong things. I can't even explain how my heart feels now. Thank you Jesus for saving and choosing and using me. <i>Revelation 12:11 "And they overcame him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, and they did not love their lives to the death."*

JULY NEEDS

Fresh Produce, Sandwich Bread, Milk, Eggs

Copy Paper, HP 962 Ink, Large and Small Envelopes

Tires - Contact Brad for sizes

Dirt for Garden, Motor Oil, Gas Weed Eaters, Garden Tiller, Freon, Windshield Washer Fluid

Honey Extractor

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