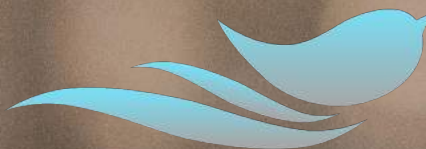
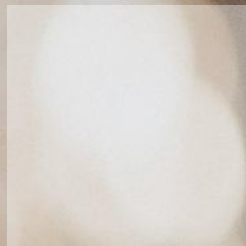
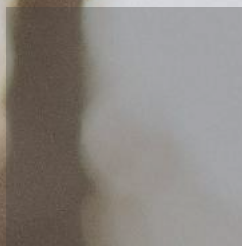
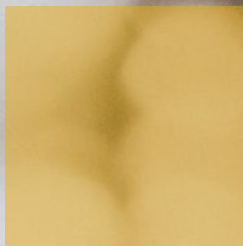
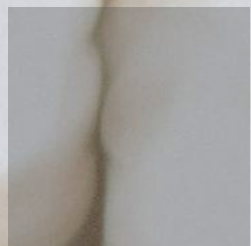


OUR IMPACT 2016



EDEN'S GLORY

A HOME WHERE HEARTS ARE **TRANSFORMED.**

LOOKING BACK ON 2017

Eden's Glory is an act of courage and obedience. **Every. Single. Day.**

In 2010, I was completely unaware that slavery still existed. When I did find out, I devoured whatever information about it that I could. I was heartbroken. I was angered by the injustice, and I was CALLED to *do something about it*.

A five year journey to opening a home started with saying yes to God and inviting others along. **Eden's Glory has invited 7 women to journey toward healing since September 2015.**

I write this on a momentous day for one of our residents, who has reached her **one year anniversary** of moving to Eden's Glory! As I dropped her off at the end of our celebration today, she said, "I had in my mind how today would go, but I never imagined it would be *this great*." She passed her driver's

license test, and we celebrated together as a whole staff and community.

The spectrum from beauty to ashes and vice versa is a rhythm we see in the journey of healing. We've faced stormy seasons at Eden's Glory that remind us of what the disciples faced in Mark 4 and 5, where it was **only by Jesus's command and help** that we made it through and experienced miracles on the other side.

Even in those dark times, we've seen the sick healed, the demons cast out, and the Word proclaimed. While we haven't seen a physical life restored from the literal dead as the disciples did, we are seeing lives that once held no dream or hopes being inflated back to **abundant life**.

It is a privilege to have front row seats to witnessing God's transforming power and grace.

For Freedom,

GINGER COAKLEY

Rev. Ginger Coakley,
CEO of Eden's Glory



ABOUT US

WHO WE ARE: Eden's Glory is a home where survivors of human trafficking are restored to thrive for the praise and glory of God.

HOW OUR PROGRAM WORKS: We offer a two-year residential program for up to four women at a time.

WHAT OUR DAYS LOOK LIKE: In the mornings, residents engage in different therapeutic activities. They learn life and job skills in classes led by staff and community members in the afternoons. In the evening, they practice healthy ways to relax and develop hobbies while living in community with each other.

OVERVIEW OF 2016

We worked intensively with 5 women over the course of the year, supporting them holistically to help meet their physical, spiritual, emotional, and mental needs. Here is a brief overview of how we served our residents:



SERVICES WE PROVIDED (IN HOURS)



**“WHAT YOU OFFER
IS MORE THAN A
PROGRAM.
IT’S A NEW WAY
OF LIFE.”**

– Reflections from one of our residents

HIGHLIGHTS



OUR FIRST YEAR

In September, we gathered 50 of our closest friends to celebrate our first full year of Eden's Glory being open! During the celebration, we raised nearly \$3,000 - plus, two people committed to being monthly donors.



CELEBRATING SOBRIETY

One of our residents reached 5 months of sobriety (the longest period of time she'd been clean since childhood) from an addiction that had been motivated by thrill-seeking. We celebrated with her by going rock climbing to give her a healthier thrill-seeking outlet.



NEW BEGINNINGS

One of our residents had several tattoos referencing drugs and demons, which our partner INK 180 beautifully covered for her for free. It was profound for her because it mirrored the process of her old life disappearing while a new life was starting.



SERVING THE COMMUNITY

The ladies spend every Friday afternoon volunteering: visiting at nursing homes, singing in choirs, and working with at-risk youth. They enjoy giving back to the community, meeting people, and exploring potential jobs.



HEALING ACTIVITIES

Our residents have been exposed to a range of activities that help in their healing, such as art therapy, daily fitness, horse therapy, bike riding, swimming, piano lessons, and more.



HITTING THE PAVEMENT

In September, a church donated four bicycles to us. Biking as a group or long distance road biking has been an entirely new experience for all of our residents, and has been a great new skill for them to learn!

SET FREE

OUR COMMUNITY WORK

The vision of Eden's Glory came out of our work as a Set Free Movement team. We work through community-based action in partnership with others to address human trafficking at a local, regional, and national level.

Below are some of the ways we invested in our community in 2016:



HOURS
of investing in
our community



VOLUNTEER SLOTS
filled by our team and
community members



**COMMUNITY
MEMBERS**
reached and engaged



STUDENTS & YOUTH
educated, trained,
and mobilized



LOOKING AHEAD



On New Year's Day, we had a party with our dear friends to celebrate the birthday and 6 months of sobriety mark for one of our residents.

At one point during the party, the resident surveyed the room, with friends of every generation represented, and said to a staff member, "**Look at this. I am loved.**"

That is what we hope to see more of in 2017: our residents believing they are loved and cherished daughters of the King. We are honored to be part of their journey in helping them see their true worth and potential.

YOU CAN HELP US GET THERE. HERE ARE SOME WAYS YOU CAN GET INVOLVED WITH US IN 2017:

- **Prayer** for the women we work with: for their emotional healing, physical health, spiritual growth, and mental development. Please also pray for our staff, volunteers, and funding.
- **Monthly donors** for consistent financial support to maintain our daily expenses and staff the program. Consider giving today at edensglory.cloverdonations.com/donate-now/.
- **Relationships with influencers** who can connect us to new donors and partners.
- **Opportunities to speak** at churches, organizations, other communities

GIVE

One-time or recurring donations can be given at edensglory.cloverdonations.com/donate-now/. You can also write us a check and send it to Eden's Glory PO BOX 164, Maryville, IL 62062.

Shop through www.smile.amazon.com, select Eden's Glory as your charity, and we will receive a portion of your purchase from AmazonSmile.

Buy survivor-made products from our online store: squareup.com/market/edens-glory

Donate items for which we have an ongoing need, such as: new women's underwear and socks; gift cards for restaurants, gas, clothing, outings, online stores; books and curriculum; new toiletries; groceries; house cleaning items; office and craft supplies

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