

Haven of Hope, Inc.
Annual Spirit of Giving Celebration



Dear Friends:

With the holidays right around the corner, we at Haven of Hope are once again reaching out to those in our community to ensure this holiday season is a memorable one for our children. As a non-profit organization established in 1998, Haven of Hope provides residential care for foster youth who have entered the Social Service system as a result of abuse or neglect. Our team provides a safe, home-like environment for youth, ages 12 through 17. Haven of Hope also provides transitional support services and affordable housing to former foster youth, ages 18-21. It is our hope that, with your help, we can give our children the Christmas that many of them have only dreamed of.

Please accept our invitation to make a difference this Christmas by participating in our “**Adopt a Child for Christmas**” program. The following pages are the wish lists for our amazing youth. Your help and donations enable us to do so much more for those we serve at Christmas and throughout the year. You can participate simply by purchasing a gift from our wish list, mailing in a tax-deductible donation or using the PayPal feature on our website. We will gladly provide you with a receipt for your records. Any donation is greatly appreciated.

You are also invited to join us on **Tuesday, December 18, 2018, 5:30pm to 7:00pm at 2769 Valencia Road in Aptos**, as we present the children with their gifts from you and thank those who have generously donated.

Happy Holidays,

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Hi, my name is JR and I really love clothes! It would be amazing to receive a gift card to Target, Ross or Kohls! I love to write and I would love to have some creative writing prompts so I can continue to journal my thoughts. It would be amazing if I could get some creative writing journals. I have an essential oil diffuser that helps me sleep at night. It would be cool to get more scents for it. I am also super creative and crafty! I make bracelets for all my friends. If I got a gift card to a craft store to get more supplies that would be amazing! Thank you so much for reading!

Hello, my name is AG and I am 15 years old. My favorite person is Justin Beiber so I would love some posters or things related to him. My favorite color is purple and I like to skateboard. I really like to shop at stores like Ulta, Target, Bath and Body works and Forever 21. I love frozen yogurt, so I would also appreciate a Yogurtland gift card. I really like different fidget toys, as they help calm me down. I also like to go to the movies. Happy Holidays!

Hey, my name is EA. I love music and the beach. One of my major goals here at Haven of Hope is to become more independent. It would be really cool if I could get some things that would allow me to prepare for that transition. I like the store Famous Footwear in the mall. It is one of my favorite stores. I would be grateful for any kinds of gift cards but I would really love to get a Visa gift card for Christmas so I could use it anywhere. Thanks for taking the time to read my letter!

Hi, my name is AH. I would love any gift cards to clothing stores in the Capitola Mall! There is a Target, Ross, Kohls, and other cool stores. It would also be nice to have an Amazon gift card so I can choose something interesting. I also love listening to music, so I would really appreciate some Bluetooth Headphones. I also would like facemasks or nail polish, maybe some make up. It also would be really nice to have art supplies. Anything you give will be so appreciated. Thanks for thinking of me this Holiday season.

Hi, my name is CM and I am 15 years old. I was adopted when I was 4 years old and I have never celebrated Christmas. I would like something to listen to music with during times of stress. I really want to go to college and study Business and Social Work so I can help other children. I would really like a laptop, if possible, to research and write down my ideas. We cannot change the past, we can only control the future and guide it in the right path. I also would like a visa gift card for clothing and treats. I also like cooking and shopping at stores like Target and Ross. Thank you so much for reading this and I hope you have a great Christmas. Love <3 CM

Hi, my name is HH. Thank you for taking the time to read this. I love to be cozy and listen to music, to write poetry and do makeup. Some things I'd really like for Christmas are a gift card to Amazon, Target, Sephora, Claire's, Victoria Secret, or Yogurtland (Yum!). I also love sports and being outdoors. Oh, and I really need a pair or two of earbuds and a new journal. I'd also like fuzzy socks (I can never seem to have enough!), a body pillow, or another cozy blanket. Happy Holidays and thank you for caring about us!



Hi I'm YJ. I'm 13 years old, and here are some things that I've been wanting for Christmas: a gift card for Zumiez, makeup holder, fluffy blankets or pillows (white), Converse high tops black and white / size 5.5 in women's size, Alexa speaker, plushies, Mario badesco cucumber facial spray, clear lipgloss, yellow Adidas sweatshirt, black Nike hoodie, skateboard but with big wheels instead of original ones and with grip tape, air force I's all white or Nike air force's (high tops in 5.5 size). Thank you so much! ☺

Hi, I'm MS and I am 13 years old. Here are some things that I do for fun: drawing, coloring, music, journaling. Here are some things I would love for Christmas: A Pop Socket, a camera, COPIC MARKERS!!, prisma colored pencils, pens for drawing, Vans (Size 7 women), laptop, Gift Cards (Target, palace arts, google play, Zumiez, Hot Topic, Forever 21), a little cooking set, DS games, camo backpack, makeup (mascara, eyeliner), hoodies! Thank you!

Hi, I am MT and I am 16 years old. This year for Christmas I'd like gift cards, (Hot Topic, Michael's, Ulta, Walmart, Amazon), Canvas wall hanging with quotes, James Charles makeup pallets, Converse shoes (Size 8 women's). Thank you for thinking of me and Merry Christmas!!

Hi I'm DL. I'm 12 years old, and this is my Christmas wish list: Amazon gift card, Sephora gift card, makeup palettes like: Ucanbe Professional 18 pigmented eye shadow, Lime Cime eyeshadow palette (Venus the Grunge), Sweet Peach Eye Shadow Collection Palette, Anastasia Beverly Hills Super Glow Kit, Marshall's gift cards, UGG fluff yeah slide women's slippers black (size 6), adidas swift fun athletic shoe pink (size 6). Thank you!

Hello, I am JH and I am a 13-year old boy. This year, I am asking for Jordan's (size 9, gold and black), a football, a camera drone (or a toy helicopter), a cross necklace in gold, an Amazon gift card, size XXL Drake and RMB hoodie. I really like the Raiders and funny movies like the Sandlot and Norbit. Thank you :)



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Adopt a Child for Christmas

Yes, Haven of Hope can count on me!!

I would like to purchase _____ for _____.
Gift Child

I am not able to purchase a gift at this time. Please accept my donation of \$_____. Please make checks payable to Haven of Hope. Haven of Hope is a non-profit 501 (C-3) organization and will provide you with a tax-deductible receipt for your records. You can also donate via PayPal on our website at www.havenofhopehomes.org. Thank you for your generous gift!

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