

# Haven of Hope, Inc.

## *Annual Spirit of Giving Celebration*



Dear Friends:

With the holidays quickly approaching, we at Haven of Hope are once again reaching out to those in our community to help us ensure this holiday season is a memorable one for those we serve.

Since 1998, our non-profit organization, Haven of Hope, has provided residential care for foster youth who have entered the Social Service system as a result of abuse or neglect. Our team of dedicated workers provide a safe, home-like environment for (12) youth, ages 12 through 17. Haven of Hope also provides transitional support services and affordable housing to (12) former foster youth, ages 18-21. It is our hope that, with your help, we can provide our children and former foster youth the Christmas that many of them have only dreamed of.

Please accept our invitation to make a difference this holiday season by participating in our annual "Adopt a Child for Christmas" program. The following pages are the wish lists for our amazing youth. Your contribution enables us to do so much more for our youth during the holidays 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.

Happy Holidays,

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Hello, I'm SS. I'm 14 years old. I love going clothing shopping/ thrifting/ antique shopping. My favorite places are the Closet Shopper in Capitola and Target. Maybe a gift card to those places? I like frogs. I would like to one day own my own bakery... maybe some baking stuff like a New York style baking cookbook. Thank you!!

Hi, I'm TO. I'm 16 years old. My favorite color is teal. I would love some Bluetooth headphones, sweet perfumes, or lotions. I like Bath and Body works. I am vegan and love animals. I love taking pictures and would like more Instax Mini film. I would appreciate gift cards to Ross, a Canon Ivy mini printer, or vegan cowgirl boots and a cowboy hat. My shoe size is 8. I'd also love some Pokemon cards and a binder for them or some Vans shoes. Thank you VERY much!

Hi, my name is KV and I am 14 years old. I love dogs and cats and my favorite bands are Slipknot and Korn. I would love nice smelling perfumes for Christmas - my favorite smells are vanilla and sugar cookie please. I would also like an Amazon gift card or gift cards for Pho Kitchen in Watsonville because I love boba or Starbucks because I love green tea matcha! I am so grateful for anything that you would like to get me. Thank you and Merry Christmas!

Hi, my name is ML. I use he/him/they pronouns. I'm 15 years old and I love anything cute. I have a lot of stuffed animals of all shapes and sizes. I have names for all of them and treat them like my children. I would be happy to have more...any color or cute animals. Maybe a big fluffy cute pillow. My favorite color is purple but I also love rainbow. My favorite store is Hot Topic. I am a size medium in shirts. I love anime. My favorite character is from Hello Kitty. It's Kuromi!! I would also love a good pair of Bluetooth headphones. I love making bracelets with polymer clay beads. Thank you so much!

Hi, I'm AS and I am 15. I care a lot about the environment, composting, feminism, and equal rights. I would like a few live indoor plants for my room. I could use some fuzzy house slippers or sandals and a warm cute pajama set. I am a size large and my shoe size is 10. I also really like makeup, long fake eyelashes, and gift cards to Bath and Body Works, Starbucks and Amazon. My favorite color is pink. Thank you and happy holidays! ☺

Hello, my name is MS and I am 18 years old. I would like a Spotify gift card or gift cards to Starbucks, Zumiez, Target, or Amazon. I really like Stitch from Lilo and Stitch. I really like to be in my pjs, so I would appreciate another fuzzy onesie... fleece or cotton. My favorite color is blue and purple. An electric skateboard would be so fun! A gift card to Ulta or Shein? Thank youuuu!

Hi, I'm NP. I am 16 years old. My favorite color is lime green. I would like mint green chunky cotton blanket yarn to make a blanket. I would like to decorate my room to be cozy. I could use some cute decorative pillows or animal plushies. I think an essential oil diffuser for my room would be nice. Bath and Body Works body spray: Pretty as peach, into the night, dream bright, strawberry pound cake, butterfly, warm vanilla. A Bath and Body Works gift card or Eau de perfume body spray by Billie Eilish perfume. Fuzzy slippers and a big fuzzy lime green blanket. Pink Stitch onesie with no tail. Thank you. I appreciate your donations.



Hello, my name is LM and I'm 16 years old. I'm into old school hip hop and rap - 80's/90's. I love sports like football and basketball. I also use perfume every day and I like to smell like Hawaiian tropical or vanilla. For Christmas, I would love Nike's, fluffy and soft PJ's, Pokémon cards, black large t-shirt with designs on it. I need some new headphones (any kind), cat or dog blanket (fluffy). I would also like new room decor such as a Lowrider (car) portrait and/or a Graffito (cool portrait). I really like gold jewelry and any Chicana style clothing. ☺ I am not picky with clothes. What I really want is a #21 Jersey to remind me of my brother (who recently passed away). He liked the Lakers. Thank you and have a Very Merry Christmas!

Hello, my name is AH. I would love an Amazon gift card or gift card to target. But anything you get me will be appreciated. Happy Holidays!

Hi, my name is HK and I'm 17 years old. I read a lot and had a super fun time at the Renaissance Faire for the first time this year. My favorite musician is Melanie Martinez and I love Criminal Minds, studio ghibli, and sanrio. I also love art. For Christmas, I would really love to get an Amazon gift card. I am also really into this one book series and really want the next couple ones called, "A Game of Retribution" (paperback) and "A Game of Gods" (paperback). Also Starbucks gift cards and Hot topic gift cards could never go wrong! Thank you and Happy Holidays!

Hello, my name is HH and I enjoy going shopping and spending time with my friends. I would appreciate gift cards so I can buy some new clothes and art supplies. I would appreciate anything that is given to me. Have a Merry Christmas!

Heyyy, My name is MT and I'm 14. I play roller derby and I like cats, monkeys, and chickens. Music makes me happy. I love the bands Acid Souljah, Black Kray, Kraanium, and DYSTOPIA!!!! I really want DC shoes (the pink ones) and I want more fluffy leg warmers please! They are SO CYUTE!! I would also really like more cute thigh high socks!! And I also would love any gift cards. I am kinda goth/alternative so places like hot topic are cool but I usually shop at the Goodwill. MERRY CHRISTMAS Y'ALL!





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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 \$\_\_\_\_\_ toward Haven of Hope's youth's needs. 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](http://www.havenofhopehomes.org). Thank you for your generous gift!

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