

# 2009-2010 ANNUAL REPORT





## **Steve Thomas**

## A Message from the President

The annual report provides an opportunity to savor the many blessings that have been bestowed on Habitat for Humanity of Evansville in the past year. The affiliate has just concluded its 26th year and, perhaps coincidentally this year, also completed 23 new homes and welcomed 23 new partner families as homeowners. The Habitat community in Vanderburgh and Posey counties continues to grow and prepares with joyful anticipation for another year.

The enthusiasm and excitement surrounding the Glenwood Neighborhood Initiative and Habitat's homebuilding and collaboration in that neighborhood are now fully underway. Habitat has 13 homes under construction on Shadewood Avenue and plans several more for the coming year. When you have time, please visit the Glenwood neighborhood.

All of you as donors, volunteers, partner families, mentors and spiritual supporters are blessings to this ministry. Habitat has also been gifted with a dedicated staff, whose seemingly tireless efforts render them unheralded heroes in carrying out the day to day tasks of the Habitat mission. This affiliate is blessed with a committed, talented and experienced Board of Directors that gives guidance and counsel in policy and planning.

Among one of the great privileges of my life has been the opportunity to serve as president of Habitat for Humanity of Evansville. As my term concludes, please welcome our new president, John B. Phipps, whose leadership and industry will be a continuing gift to Habitat. In gratitude to all, I look forward to taking a place at the far end of the board table.

As the beat goes on, may we take to heart the words of Mother Teresa: "Help one person at a time, and always start with the person nearest you."

Please continue to support Habitat for Humanity of Evansville in its service to those in need of decent and affordable housing.

Peace and grace to all,

Steve Thomas

President, Board of Directors, Habitat for Humanity of Evansville

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# A Message from the Executive Director

Fiscal year 2009-2010 has been a year of learning, perseverance and collaboration. While we are wrapping up another successful year of serving 23 families, we also have been learning much about building sustainable and healthy communities as we work with collaborative partners in the Glenwood Community Development Initiative. This is an effort to revitalize a community and will provide a template of sustainability for later developments.

We and our partners have accomplished much in Glenwood this year. In addition to the 23 families we've served, Habitat has also secured building sites for next year, and the first Bussing Construction market-rate home is expected to be completed in the spring of 2011. Other improvements include infrastructure work along Sweetser Avenue, demolition work at Caldwell homes and renovations at the Glenwood Leadership Academy.



Lori Reed

In addition to this capital investment, the Welborn Baptist Foundation has secured funding to improve access to healthy foods, the Evansville Vanderburgh School Corporation has created a position to support community engagement and resident leadership development, and the Vanderburgh Community Foundation is funding leadership and community development training for Glenwood residents.

In preparation for 2011, Habitat continues to approve families for homeownership and secure house sponsors for at least 20 new homes. Habitat is also exploring a homeowner-occupied rehabbing ministry to further our mission of eliminating substandard housing and building communities. We've learned from our work in Glenwood that existing homeowners, the most stable population of any neighborhood, need assistance. If we are to fulfill our mission of eliminating poverty housing, Habitat must seize new funding opportunities and embrace existing homeowners.

The Board of Directors and I will work diligently to attract new financial and human resources (donors and volunteers) to implement a homeowner-occupied rehab program in the Glenwood community above and beyond our new construction there. As in all new endeavors, we trust God will be walking before us.

In Christian Partnership,

Lori Reed

Executive Director, Habitat for Humanity of Evansville



# **Building Houses**

Habitat for Humanity of Evansville partners with hardworking families in Vanderburgh and Posey counties who need a hand up to realize their dream of homeownership. It's not a giveaway program; in fact, families purchase their homes through 25-year, no-interest loans and contribute 300 hours in sweat equity.

Kris Kinsey learned early that working for a Habitat home would be tough. She shoveled rocks into the foundation of another family's home

her first day on the job site. But it was a sacrifice she was willing to make after her divorce forced her to stay with a family member for two years. She was ready for her own place.

"I've never lived on my own," the 42-year-old single woman said. "I just want some peace and tranquility, somewhere I can call home."

A study conducted by the University of Southern Indiana in 2008 found that the sweat-equity component of Habitat for Humanity fosters a sense of pride in families and helps them develop practical home maintenance skills. The study, which was conducted to assess the economic and social impact of Habitat, also found that classes families attend to prepare them for homeownership promoted responsibility.

Habitat's economic impact has been great as well. In fact, the study indicated that many families don't need energy and food assistance once they purchase their homes. This comes as no surprise, as many of them cut their housing costs in half.

Kinsey moved into her home in August 2009. She said there are "always things to do around my house, and now they are all my responsibilities." Having her own place allowed her to care for her parents who have been ill. They worked on landscaping and planted a garden together.

"I feel very blessed that I was able to step up and help my parents by letting them move in with me to help care for them," she said. "The precious time we have spent doing what we love together is priceless."

## Facts About Habitat for Humanity of Evansville

#### Who We Are

Habitat for Humanity of Evansville is a non-profit Christian ministry whose mission is to build and sell simple, decent houses to hard-working families. By partnering with individuals, churches, businesses, and civic organizations who share our vision, we seek to make adequate, affordable housing for all a matter of conscience and action.

#### What We Do

Habitat for Humanity of Evansville works with families whose income is less than 60 per cent of the area's median household income. To qualify for homeownership, a family must demonstrate a need for housing; have the ability to repay a 25-year, zero-interest mortgage; contribute 300 hours of sweat equity to build their own home and help other families build theirs, and attend homeownership classes to learn skills in home maintenance and financial management. No-profit loans and houses built principally by volunteer labor make mortgage payments affordable for low-income families.

#### Where We Work

Founded in 1984, Habitat for Humanity of Evansville currently serves families in Vanderburgh and Posey Counties. A tithing program enables Habitat for Humanity of Evansville to contribute to homebuilding in Jordan and Botswana.

#### **How It Works**

Charitable contributions from individuals, churches, businesses and civic organizations provide the upfront cost of building homes. These contributions — combined with homeowner mortgage payments — create a revenue stream that enables Habitat to build more houses and serve more families.

#### **Our Mission**

The purpose of Habitat for Humanity of Evansville is to help fulfill the greater mission of Habitat for Humanity International to eliminate poverty housing in the world. We seek to witness to and implement the Gospel of Jesus Christ in Evansville, Indiana, and throughout the world by building homes with God's people in need and by working with them to create a better neighborhood and community in which to live and work.

# **Building Hope**

Congratulations to the families whose homes were completed between July 1, 2009 and June 30, 2010.

Sonya Carter Lori Espenlaub Terrelle Garrett **Emily Hopkins** Julia Jarred Terry Joe Jones Angela Judge Kristi Kinsey Craig and Pam Lowery Mykesha Lowry Karnesha March Melinda Marriott David and Sandy McDaniel Cathy Montgomery Felicia Owsley Michelle Roach Kelly Robinson Yolanda Rucker Kevin Storey and Candace Payne April Jackson Wall Dessi Waple

Sybrina Ward Nina Wing



# **Our Volunteers**

In the parable of talents, a master entrusts his property to his workers and left on a long journey. When he returned, those who had taken the money and multiplied it were rewarded for their shrewd behavior, and those who hid their worth were cast out. Jim Bartlett considers those words a call to volunteer, something he's been doing since 2005. He leads the Habitat builds in Mt. Vernon through the Mt. Vernon Ministerial Association and has seen four homes built, three of which he personally

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Photo courtesy of Posey County News

led. He raises the money, recruits volunteers and leads construction, all activities that require skills he learned while working in engineering, maintenance management and manufacturing at General Electric Plastics before retiring.

"I believe that we touch many lives in ways that we don't get to see," he said. "But every once in a while, we are given a gift of seeing how we can make a difference, and that's a powerful reminder."

His wife, Pat, also volunteers for Habitat, serving on the Family Selection Committee. They both are dedicated to improving the lives of families in need. And for that reason, they were awarded the Dee McMillan Volunteer of the Year

award at the annual Volunteer Recognition Dinner in October. The award, named after a person who helped establish Habitat for Humanity of Evansville, is given each year to someone who best exemplifies Habitat's Christian values.

The Bartletts were joined by many other volunteers last year. In fiscal year 2009-2010, more than 2,000 people volunteered 26,415 hours. Some prefer helping on job sites, where they prepare lots, pour concrete foundations, build homes and work beside the partner families. Others prefer to serve on a committee.

We are fortunate to have these dedicated volunteers who work tirelessly to move our organization forward. They are our loyal advocates — continually educating their families, friends and colleagues about what Habitat is, who it serves and how it works.

# Evansville's Habitat For Humanity is Looking for Volunteers

NEWS25 WEHT-TV/Evansville, IN September 13, 2010

Habitat For Humanity of
Evansville is looking for volunteers to help build new
homes near Glenwood School.
Habitat said work has already
begun on eight houses in
Shadewood Place and construction will begin on four
more in October.

The group needs volunteers throughout October, especially on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. No construction experience is needed, and employee groups are encouraged to participate.

To help, go to www.evansvillehabitiat.org and click "Volunteer" in the left column, or call Volunteer Coordinator Alaina Bartley at (812) 423-5623.

#### **Volunteer Opportunities**

- Board of Directors
- **□** Construction Committee
- **☐** Development Committee
- ☐ Family Selection Committee
- ☐ Interfaith Council
- ☐ Land Acquisition Committee

- ☐ Office Volunteers
- □ Public Relations Committee
- ☐ Pastors Advisory Council
- ☐ Tuesday and Wednesday

  Construction & Concrete Crews



# **Our Tithe Partners**

It is only through the strength that comes through God and the kindness of others that some people survive. Take Kealebale Satlhaga of Botswana, for example. Her husband died many years ago, followed by five of her seven children from AIDS-related illnesses. The remaining two then abandoned the family, leaving the 76-year-old woman to raise 24 grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Habitat for Humanity of Botswana is building Satlhaga two homes, each with two rooms and made from concrete block, to replace the five crumbling mud huts that the family did live in. She says she wants to break the cycle of poverty that has plagued her family for three generations. She wants her grandchildren to receive an education.

"The house is the beginning," she said.

Habitat for Humanity affiliates share core values and resources with their global partners through a tithing program. Tithing is a Habitat for Humanity International program in which affiliates from around the world donate a portion of their unrestricted cash donations to further Habitat's work in other countries.

Every time Habitat for Humanity of Evansville builds a house locally, a tithe contribution is sent to either Jordan, in the Middle East, or Botswana, in southern Africa, to help build homes there.

Since Habitat for Humanity of Evansville began tithing in 1985, we've contributed \$840,833 to help build homes for 317 families overseas.

Tithing follows an ancient Biblical tradition in which God asked Israel to sacrifice the first crops of the harvest, trusting that the remainder would be enough to provide food for the rest of the year.

In exchange for this act of faith was a promise of provision:

"Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house. Test me in this," says the Lord Almighty, "and see if I will not throw open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing that you will not have room enough for it."

- Malachi 3:10

"This house has helped us. What little we have, we can lock up and keep safe."

— Kealebale Satlhaga of Botswana

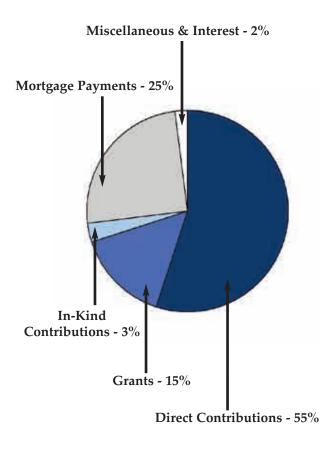


Kealebale Satlhaga stands near one of her mud huts that she and her family of 24 grand-children and great-grandchildren have been living in. Half the floor space in the homes is devoted to cooking, and recently one of the children stumbled into the fire and was burned. "It's not safe for anybody," she said.



Several of Kealebale Satlhaga's grandchildren and great-grandchildren pose in front of one of the two new homes that Habitat for Humanity built for the family. It is made of concrete blocks with a metal roof. Three of her grandchildren are earning sweat equity by building a ventilated pit latrine.

# **Fiscal Highlights**



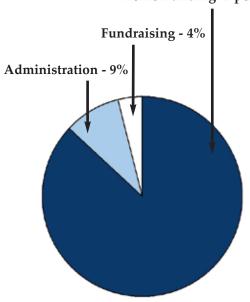


#### **HOW THE MONEY IS SPENT**

Home Building Expenses \$2,105,245 Administration \$205,837 Fundraising \$103,809

TOTAL \$2,414,891

Home Building Expenses - 87%



## **HOW THE MONEY IS EARNED**

| Direct Contributions     | \$1,413,860 |
|--------------------------|-------------|
| Grants                   | \$377,755   |
| In-Kind Contributions    | \$79,547    |
| Mortgage Payments        | \$653,641   |
| Miscellaneous & Interest | \$42,962    |
| Carryover from FY09      | \$289,435   |
|                          |             |

TOTAL \$2,857,200

A copy of the audited financial statement is available upon request or by visiting the Habitat for Humanity of Evansville web site at www.evansvillehabitat.org.

# **2009-2010 Sponsors**

Habitat for Humanity of Evansville provides numerous opportunities and levels of sponsorships for donors and supporters to provide simple, decent and affordable homes to families. Many participants sponsor a house wholly at \$55,000, while others participate at the half-house level, or \$27,500. House sponsors may also provide volunteers to participate in many of the tasks necessary to complete the home, working under the

supervision of our trained regular volunteer crews and Habitat construction managers. Sponsors also have the opportunity to work alongside partner families and establish a lasting relationship that leads to a greater understanding about the need for affordable housing and the ability to transform lives and communities.

Many thanks and congratulations to these supporters who sponsored houses between July 1, 2009 and June 30, 2010.

## **Full House Sponsors**

Benefactors Build (2)
Catholics for Habitat
Evansville Area Association of Realtors
The Greater Evansville Chapter of the
Indiana University Alumni Association
Ben Greiner Build
Habitat for Humanity Regular Volunteer Crews
Habitat for Humanity Board of Directors

Habitat for Humanity of Evansville, Fund for Humanity (3) Integra/Vectren/Toyota Motor Manufaturing,

Indiana/Alcoa/Green Build

Lutherans for Habitat/Thrivent Financial for Lutherans (2)

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St. John's United Church of Christ, Downtown

Mike and Hope Staubitz/Staubitz Charitable Trust

Mt. Vernon Ministerial Association

United Church of Christ/Disciples of Christ Build

Unity Build

Young Leadership Build

Anonymous/Pay It Forward Build



# Thrivent Builds grant puts build on Habitat's 2011 schedule

Evansville Courier-Press By Tom Lovett Nov. 19, 2010

Habitat for Humanity of Evansville has been awarded a Thrivent Builds grant to build a home in 2011. The grant, in the amount of \$45,172, will help Lutherans for Habitat build a simple, decent affordable house in partnership with a family in need. The grant will help provide funding for the seventh Thrivent Builds/Lutherans for Habitat house, the 21st house built by Lutherans for Habitat. Twenty area families have already become homeowners through the efforts of Lutherans for Habitat, and because of Habitat's tithing program, that same number of homes has been built overseas.

Since 2005, the Thrivent Builds program has been responsible for over 2,500 homes in the United States and around the world. This year, Thrivent Financial announced a commitment of \$10.4 million to Thrivent Builds with Habitat for Humanity, continuing its support of Habitat's mission for a sixth year. This funding will make the construction of 164 homes in 33 states possible.

# Glenwood Community Development Initiative

Two years ago, Steve Moore considered leaving his childhood home on Shadewood Avenue. The 50-year-old had lived in the area all his life and has seen it decline from a once vibrant neighborhood to one dotted with abandoned properties and homes in need of repair. In the mid-1970s, a person could buy fresh produce and shop for shoes and clothing at shops on Riverside Drive. Retail options are very limited now.

"You could get the majority of the goods and services you needed right here in the neighborhood," Moore said. "You didn't have to travel to the east side."

After hearing about an initiative to revitalize the Glenwood neighborhood, however, he and his wife, Kathy, decided to stay. Now when he walks down the street, he is greeted by neighbors he barely knew before. He waves to them as they drive by, goes to car shows with them and even had several over to celebrate his birthday.

"I've gotten to know more of my neighbors now than I

have hauled off trash and picked weeds. And in June Habitat broke ground on Shadewood Place, a mixed-income housing development with 19 Habitat homes and up to four market-rate homes built by Bussing Construction. The idea is to build a progressive and sustainable community where residents will want to stay.

None of these efforts were done without first consulting with neighbors. All partners realized early on that for this initiative to succeed, residents needed to drive the process. Five community discussions have taken place, and the University of Southern Indiana conducted focus groups to determine needs and aspirations. From these efforts, six priority areas were created – housing and infrastructure, education, health and well-being, safety, clean and green, and business and commerce.

"All these are very important to see this initiative succeed," Moore said. "This initiative is right on target." Habitat for Humanity International thought the

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— Steve Moore, Glenwood Resident

ever have before," Moore said. "It just shows the power of getting out and talking with people."

The Glenwood Community Development Initiative is an effort among many partners, including Habitat for Humanity of Evansville and the Glenwood Neighborhood Association, to revitalize the Glenwood neighborhood, bordered by Veterans Memorial Parkway, U.S. 41 and Riverside Drive. Partners have been working for three years mapping strategies to improve the area and are beginning to see their fruits. Glenwood Middle School opened in August as a K-8 Glenwood Leadership Academy, a \$9 million investment. A community garden was planted in front of the school. Hundreds of volunteers



**Steve and Kathy Moore** 

initiative was right on target, too, when it selected the Evansville affiliate, along with 160 other affiliates in the United States, to participate in a Neighborhood Revitalization Initiative. It calls for affiliates to expand their product line to serve more families and to collaborate with partners in their community revitalization efforts.

Habitat of Evansville has been doing just that. The Federal Home Loan Bank of Indianapolis (FHLBI) provided funding to jumpstart a rehab pilot program for existing Habitat homeowners in the Glenwood area. The Vanderburgh Community Foundation provided \$20,000 for community engagement training for Glenwood residents. And Habitat for Humanity of Evansville and its partners received \$100,000 from the Indiana Office of Energy Development for a weatherization program.

Of course, none of this work would have been possible without the support of the donors that ignited this process. The City of Evansville provided \$550,000; FHLBI, through First Federal Savings Bank of Evansville, gave \$285,000; and an anonymous donor gave \$1.5 million.

Although Habitat's primary focus will remain the same, new house construction, this neighborhood revitalization model will guide our mission from here on. It's the right thing to do, because families like Steve and Kathy Moore need more than housing to meet their fullest potential. Their educational, spiritual, economic, health and social concerns must be addressed as well.

# A progressive, sustainable community...



Dilapidated warehouses were demolished in January to make way for Shadewood Place.



Neighborhood youth joined Evansville Mayor Jonathan Weinzapfel and others to break ground on Shadewood Place in June.



Building began in August and is expected to continue until the fall of 2011.

# Habitat for Humanity of Evansville wins energy efficiency grant

Evansville Courier-Press By Dan Latini November 11, 2010

Habitat for Humanity of Evansville is one four winner of \$100,000 grants for energy efficiency programs announced earlier this week by Indiana Lt. Gov. Becky Skillman. The organization. partnership with the Glenwood Neighborhood Assocition, Crossroads Christian Church and Vectren Corp. designed a program for Glenwood residents to low their utility costs through weatherization and energ conservation products.

The competition, dubbe the Community Conserve Challenge, is sponsored I Indiana Office of Energy velopment, which in turn received the funding frofederal government.

# Habitat breaking ground on new development

Evansville Courier-Press By John Lucas June 24, 2010

Habitat for Humanity of Evansville will break ground on its newest development, Shadewood Place, at 2 p.m. Monday at the corner of Shadewood and Sweetser avenues. The development will be a mixed-income neighborhood with 19 Habitat homes and four market-rate homes built by Bussing Construction. Several sponsors already are lined up to begin building in this development, including the city of Evansville, Crossroads Christian Church, Old National Bank, Larry Dunigan/Holiday Management and a group of United Church of Christ and Disciples of Christ churches.

The first day for volunteers to join these builds will be Aug. 7. Shadewood Place, a \$1.4 million development, is part of the overall Glenwood Community Development Initiative, an effort among many partners to revitalize the Glenwood neighborhood.

In addition to Shadewood Place, the partners also have planted a community garden, and Glenwood school is undergoing major reconstruction. It will open as the Glenwood Leadership Academy in the fall.

Families will have six house designs to choose from in Shadewood Place, some with arched porches in the front and some with porches and enclaves on the side. All homes are about 1,150 square feet with at least three bedrooms and one bath. Habitat anticipates Shadewood Place to be complete by the fall of 2011.

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# **Benefactors Build**

When Danett Brodie learned her new Habitat home would be built in the Glenwood neighborhood, one of the oldest areas in Evansville, she was excited. It's where she grew up, and she wanted to raise her children there.

"This is one of the best days of my life," Brodie said when she dedicated her home. "I have big plans for my house."

Brodie's home was sponsored by the Benefactors Build, an annual program that pools contributions to build simple, decent and affordable

houses for hard-working families in need. Since the program began in 2007, five homes have been built. Habitat for Humanity of Evansville built two homes through this program in 2010, one with Brodie and one with Lakeashia McCants.

"Everybody deserves to have simple, decent housing," said Fran Vix, who will chair the Benefactors Build in 2011 along with her husband, Vernon Vix. "Everyone pulling their gifts together can help a family realize their dream of having a home."

The Benefactors Build gives donors the opportunity to meet and become more closely involved with partner families, such as McCants, a certified nursing assistant raising two young daughters. Providing them a home has been a blessing. "I get to raise them in a home," McCants said.

Gifts to the Benefactors Build can be in any form, such as an in-kind donation, gift of appreciated stock or a one-time monetary donation, and they can be of any amount. To find out more about this opportunity to help families, please contact Michael Erwin, development officer, at (812) 423-5623. You may also visit our web site at www.evansvillehabitat.org to make a secure online donation to these builds.



"They say it takes a village to raise a child, and I hope the Habitat village, from the staff, to the volunteers, donors and beyond, realize that you have helped me develop values and the feeling of stability and security."

— Dessi Waple

"I am finally able to SAVE money at the end of each month, as my mortgage is nearly half what I was paying in rent. Owning my home is a dream come true!"

- Emily Hopkins



**Danett Brodie** 

# **Perigo-Prickett Society**

T he Perigo-Prickett Society was founded in 2000 to recognize donors who have remembered Habitat for Humanity of Evansville in their estate plans or made a contribution to the Habitat for Humanity Endowment Fund with the Vanderburgh Community Foundation.

The Society is named after Jim Perigo and Jim Prickett. Perigo helped to establish Habitat for Humanity of Evansville, and Prickett played a significant role in the founding of Habitat for Humanity International in Americus, Ga., in 1976.

Liz Kalb has seen the impact Habitat for Humanity has had on the lives of families. She volunteers on the job site, has been a member of the Board of Directors for 10 years and is a charter member of the Perigo-Prickett Society. She knows

that every home built is an opportunity for families to increase their self-esteem, enhance their education and become better financially prepared for the future. That's exactly what studies have shown. And Kalb is proud to be a part of that.

"I have seen the positive difference Habitat has made for individuals, families and neighborhoods," she said. "That was demonstrated in our recent impact study that indicated families were better off financially and were more stable after owning their Habitat home. I know that by remembering Habitat in my will, I may help many more families transform their lives."

Individuals or couples become members of the Perigo-Prickett Society when they inform the Habitat office that they have made a planned gift to support the ministry. For more information, please contact Sr. Jane Michele McClure, Habitat for Humanity of Evansville's development director, at (812) 423-5623.

## The Perigo-Prickett Society

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Jim and Janette Prickett
Lori Reed
Charlotte Richardt †
Kenneth Silverman †
Steve and Wendy Thomas
Maryedna Wilkie
Scott and Holly Wittman
Anonymous (3)

"My family and I would like to thank everyone that took time out to help build a home that we can call our own."

— Sonya Carter

Building Tomorrow Today

## The Perigo-Prickett Society



Recognizing those who have established an estate gift to benefit Habitat for Humanity of Evansville

Habitat For Humanity Dedicates Two New Glenwood Homes

NEWS25 WEHT-TV/Evansville, IN August 14, 2010

Two more Evansville families are moving into new homes thanks to Habitat For Humanity.

Two homes in the Glenwood neighborhood were dedicated Saturday morning to Danett Brodie and Lakeashia McCants.

Habitat officials said the homes in the 1700 block of Judson Street and the 300 block of Ridgeway Avenue were made possible by the "Benefactor's Build" program. The program pools contributions from several donors and gives them a chance to work alongside the families.

The two homes dedicated Saturday are not part of Habitat's new Shadewood development, but are part of the effort

Many thanks to all of our donors who supported the mission of Habitat for Humanity of Evansville by making a financial contribution between July 1, 2009 and June 30, 2010. We appreciate your efforts to help hardworking families become homeowners. Many thanks, too, to our in-kind donors who are recognized in each issue of our newsletter.

#### Full House Underwriters (\$50,000 +)

City of Evansville Ben Greiner †

Habitat for Humanity International National Christian Foundation Service Corporation

St. John's United Church of Christ Downtown

Staubitz Charitable Trust Anonymous (1)

#### Half House Underwriters (\$25,000 -\$49,999)

Home Depot Old National Bancorp Trust Whirlpool Corporation Anonymous (1)

#### Humanitarians (\$10,000 - \$24,999)

Bristol-Myers Squibb Foundation Christian Fellowship Church **Iim and Carol Havens** HealthSouth Deaconess Rehabilitation Hospital Mt. Vernon Ministerial Association Toyota Motor Manufacturing, Indiana Vectren Corporation Vernon and Fran Vix John and Marian Witting Anonymous (4)

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Anonymous (1)

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