THE ELI HOME
Breaking the Cycle of Child Abuse

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THANK YOU!
You made these smiles possible! Your generous donations treated over 400 abused children and their mothers to a very Merry Christmas.
The Annual Black and White Ball was held on December 9, 2010, in the beautiful Avalon room at the Anaheim Hilton and Towers. Guests enjoyed silent and live auctions, a delicious dinner and musical entertainment provided by the Joe Partise Trio. Director of Development, Tami Bradford presented the 2010 Humanitarian Award to DMA Insurance Services for their continuous generosity and dedication throughout the year.

Thank you Eli,

My gratitude to the Eli Home, is far beyond any words that can be expressed. Yet I will try.

At a time in my life, when fear ruled every thought in my mind, it was you, Eli, that comforted me.

It is you, Eli, that listened when everything seemed too overwhelming.

It is you, Eli, that held me as I cried when no body else was there.

It is you, Eli, that raised my head up high and told me I was worthy.

It is you, Eli, that showed me dignity is never more than just a prayer away.

I now walk with my head held high, not ashamed, or in fear; but with dignity, self-esteem, and self-respect and just one day at a time.

Lorri, Kim, Katie, Tina, Joanie, Cindy, Jane, Ghislaine, John, Rita, Tiffany, Jessica, Benigna, Heather and even little Kim and Athina. Not to mention all those who work in the background to make Eli happen.

You are Eli!

Sonia

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Letter from the Executive Director

The Eli Home has experienced a wonderful year of growth in supporters as well as in people we serve. Through Eli’s place-based initiative, ESCRI, East Street Community Renewal Initiative, we have focused on a more broad-based systemic approach of child abuse prevention while maintaining our flagship program of sheltering and counseling abused children and their mothers. Using a collaborative method, we have worked to bring together a strong partnership of organizations to provide targeted and concentrated programs and support to the East Street neighborhood, a 3-square mile area, with the goal of improving family conditions from the inside, out; rather than from the outside, in. This coalition currently includes 12 different agencies. ESCRI seeks to improve the economic condition of low-income households which is so often the root cause of abusive family situations. During 2010, ESCRI has served over 950 unduplicated individuals, which is a significant increase over the 500 that we originally projected for the entire year.

The Chapman University economic forecast of fundraising opportunities for non-profit agencies reveals that 2011 will likely mirror the difficulties of 2010. Because of your generosity and support, The Eli Home has fared well this year considering that many non-profits have had to endure major downsizing, reduction of services or complete elimination of programs. Just as I have done this past year, I foresee that in 2011, I will continue to lead an outstanding staff in a “spirit of excellence” to be at the forefront of achieving Eli’s mission of breaking the cycle of child abuse.

Being the executive director of The Eli Home has never been just a job. It has been God’s calling for my life and has been an un-speakable joy since the beginning. With this core belief, every person and every situation that has come into this ministry has a special meaning and purpose. So, to every person who may read this, thank you with all of my heart for your kindness and support for the children and mothers of The Eli Home.

Lorri Galloway, Executive Director of the Eli Home

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Treat your Valentine to a meal at Ruby’s and 20% of all food and non-alcoholic beverage sales (when accompanied with this flyer) will be donated to

The Eli Home

February 6–February 20, 2010
7am-9pm

COME JOIN THE FUN!!!!
(Don’t forget to bring this flyer with You!)

Real Food. Real Good. Real Friendly
The Eli Home

Un-Thrift Store

The Eli Home Un-Thrift Store unveils its new department...brand new make-up and accessories!

Offering Revlon, L’Oreal, Maybelline and more. All proceeds go to support the Eli Home for Abused Children.

Donation Hours:
Monday-Friday 9:00 AM-4:00 PM
Saturday by Appointment Only

Store Hours:
Monday-Friday 10:00 AM-7:00 PM
Saturday-10:00 AM-5:00 PM

THE UN-THRIFT STORE
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Mention this ad and receive 10% off your total purchase.

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Stay In-Tuned with The Eli Home...
visit www.elihome.org

View new Eli Home videos, get information on upcoming events and see photos of past events.

Learn how to become involved by volunteering or make your donation online.

Keep an eye out...our next newsletter will feature all 2010 donors.

Donations Needed

Remember Eli’s Un-thrift Store! Turn your gently used clothing and household items into support for abused and neglected children and their mothers.

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