

SAFEHOUSE Outreach

May 2026



Victory Church-Norcross joined us to serve a meal to our friends.

When you come to the front door at SafeHouse Outreach and engage with our team to help solve a problem, it takes courage. These are grown men and women asking other grown men and women for help. There is both humility and strength represented in every single person who comes to us seeking assistance.

Our guests teach me something every week, and today I want to share a story with you.

My dad, our founder Philip Bray, had a vision that one day someone would give SafeHouse Outreach a \$1 million donation. That vision was never fulfilled during his lifetime.

As I continue learning from our friends about humility, courage, and perseverance, allow me to ask you, our partners, friends, and supporters, if you might have the capacity to help fulfill my dad's vision.

Please know, I fully understand this request is not for the majority of readers. And for those of you who may not be in a position to give at that level, I want you to know how deeply grateful I am for every single dollar donated to help transform lives on the streets of Atlanta.

But if you are someone reading this who may have the capacity to help fulfill this vision, I simply ask that you talk to our Father about it. Ask Him if this is something He would have you be part of.

Please feel free to reach out to me with any questions you may have. I would be honored to speak with you personally and share more about the work happening every day at SafeHouse Outreach.

This month marks the sixth birthday we celebrate since my Dad's passing. What a beautiful way it would be to honor his life and legacy by seeing this vision fulfilled.

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MENTAL HEALTH MATTERS

In Atlanta, nearly 48% of individuals experiencing being unhoused are also navigating mental health concerns. At SafeHouse Outreach, we see this reality firsthand every day as many of our neighbors work through complex emotional and psychological challenges while also trying to secure stable housing and basic needs.

Our Mental Health Team is committed to walking alongside these individuals by helping develop safety plans, encouraging healthy coping skills, coordinating with other mental health providers, and connecting people to crisis support services when needed. Through compassion, consistency, and collaboration, we are helping our friends move toward healing and stability.

The work happening at SafeHouse Outreach is truly a community effort. Every conversation, resource, and act of support plays a role in helping our friends overcome the challenges they face.

During Mental Health Awareness Month, we want to remind everyone that mental health is an important part of overall well-being. Mental health includes our emotional, psychological, and social functioning, and just like physical health, we all experience ups and downs.

If you or someone you know is struggling with mental health concerns, please remember: it is okay to not be okay, and support is available. You are not alone.



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