

Thank You!

We would like to say a special thank you some really great friends of the Mission. the "Utah Jazz" and the "Vivant Center" for their continued legacy providing food for the great thanksgiving banquet. Nicholas & Co. for all their extra food donations this year, Utah Food Bank, Utah Food Service, Center Plate, Zurchers for helping us do the Scare away Hunger food drive, Fox 13, Big Budah, Telemundo,

Park City TV, KSOP Country, KNIV Mi Preferida and KEGH Placer (Spanish Radio), Utah Media Group, Burlington, Eddie Bauer, Kuru Footwear, Smith's, Whole foods, Harmons and so many others.

As you can see with community



support, working together we helped more than 157,000 people with over \$5 million dollars of donated items. All free of charge!

Meeting Their Greatest Needs!

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THE GREATER GOOD!

Message from the Co-Director Joe Vazquez

Having served in rescue mission's for over 23 years I think I could fill a book with some of the amazing things I have been able to participate in and be part of. Now I believe that God wants to fill volumes of books with what we would

that, and we tend to miss it a lot. Because we look for the "Big" miracles. But heaven takes notice over one sinner that repents (Luke 15:10) since it is an easy task for God to part the waters and destroy all of the enemies of His people.



call miracles. At the Mission we work in an environment of miracles. One of my personal views of the miraculous or supernatural is "things that do not happen naturally." I try to simplify it for the people we serve at the Mission. Yes, when truly amazing things happen like "the parting of the Red Sea" that is a miracle. But God is so much more subtle than

This year I have been a part of helping a couple of dear friends, Wayne and Monica Wilson. The Mission's founders and servants to this community for some 30 years. When Monica was diagnosed with cancer 4 years ago, we all began praying for her and Wayne. So, when we were doing her funeral, I sat there reflecting on her lifetime of serving the people of Salt Lake, and her devotion to everything the ministry stands for. Reaching out to the most vulnerable of our neighbors, men, women, and children. Monica left it all out on the field as they say. So, it was very personal for me to be able to hold things together here in Salt Lake, while They were off on sabbatical for more than a year fighting cancer, then a brain tumor. I am thankful that we were able to serve the community, keep the ministry open during Covid, and give them the time they needed to share their last months and moments together as a husband and wife. That is what I remember most about this year, serving our friends, when they needed us the most.

I would ask everyone to prayerfully consider supporting Salt Lake City Mission in 2021. Help us take Monica's Legacy of Love into the future. She wanted us to continue to stay open, serve the people, and share the love of God.



Wayne & Monica Wilson. Salt Lake City Mission Founders.

A YEAR FOR BREAKING RECORDS!

Yes, this will be a year to remember for all of us at Salt Lake City Mission! The Covid pandemic caused us to change the way we serve the public, but as we learned to adjust ultimately our desires to serve the public resonated with many



new "friends." With the help of so many in the community Salt Lake City Mission served more people this year than EVER BEFORE. Together with our many partnering organizations, pastors and their churches, volunteers, and our growing local business support we provided assistance to the greatest number of people in a single year. So, thank you to everyone for whatever part you played in orchestrating an amazing story of hope and compassion.

OUR SUPPORTERS INCLUDE



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IT'S A SIMPLE WAY to save the hassle of selling a used vehicle. You'll receive a great tax break, and you will be helping people who are

experiencing hunger, homelessness, and families struggling just to make ends meet.

By donating your vehicle to Salt Lake City Mission will help provide:

- Hot, nourishing meals to the hungry
- A safe place for the homeless
- Clean, warm clothing for those in need
- Residential recovery programs
- The Good News of God's love

Simply donate your car, motor home, motorcycle, or

boat - in operating condition - to Salt Lake City Mission. We comply with IRS rules and regulations governing vehicle donations made to nonprofit organizations.

Ready to donate your used vehicle? Call Salt Lake City Mission at 801-355-6310. We will arrange FREE pickup of your vehicle at your convenience. We handle all the work to save you time and paperwork. You will receive a tax-deductible receipt for your kind and generous donation.

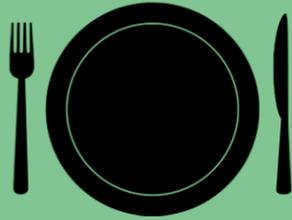


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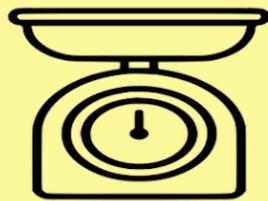


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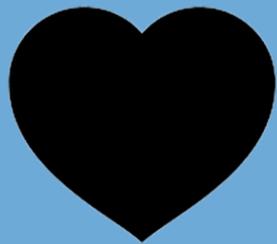
Provided Over 5 million meals to the homeless & hungry



Distributed Almost 6 million Articles of clothing, 18,196 pairs of shoes



Over 519,500 Lives Impacted And Changed!



Partnered with hundreds of local organizations & businesses to feed & care for people in need



Season of Hope!

This past holiday season was a time of giving and sharing. A time when a community came together to give the gift of hope and join our mission to show the love God as we cared for others.



PARTNERS

"More agencies need to know about the Mission"

"Salt Lake City Mission is a wonderful friend to work alongside of"

"Thank you to SLCM for all the help they provide our organization"

"We love our partnership!"

PEOPLE THAT CAME FOR HELP

"You people are amazing"

"look at all the people you are helping, thank you so much"

"My family is truly grateful for everything we got today"

"God bless you for what you are doing, I never thought I would need help"

"Thank you for all this food"



"I cannot believe you would drive all the way out here to bring me a food box, thank you"

VOLUNTEERS

"I didn't know what to expect today, I am so overwhelmed at what you guys do"

"I want to bring my family next time to help"

"I will be back to volunteer again, thank you for all you do for our community"

"Where else can we help"

The Spirit of Hope still resides in our midst.

