



# Boulware Mission

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## MISSY'S STORY

Missy was a 39 year old woman who came to Boulware with no photo ID, no job, and no healthcare access. Missy was diabetic and suffered from mental health issues; including untreated depression, stemming from an abusive, neglectful childhood.

Missy lacked many normal skills that people use on a daily basis. Those who knew her said that she was very withdrawn, much like a frightened animal.

Boulware Mission provided a safe environment for Missy to change her life. She learned basic skills, such as how to do simple chores. She was assisted with maintaining proper hygiene and attended nutrition and healthy lifestyle classes. Boulware case managers were able to refer Missy to a psychiatrist and she was able to obtain medications for her mental health issues. She also

obtained KY Medicaid and KY Physicians Care. The local Lions Club furnished an eye exam and new glasses for Missy.

Missy was mentally unfit to work upon arrival at Boulware. After her health was stabilized, she was referred to Vocational Rehab and the Opportunity Center for work placement trials and she worked with a KY Supportive Employment Specialist; they deemed her unable to hold a steady job. So, Boulware helped Missy find a lawyer to work with her to obtain Disability.

After finally being approved for Disability, Missy was able to save her income through client savings. She attended financial management and learned how to use a budget and continued with the rest of Boulware's Self Sufficiency programs; including: relationships, nutrition, healthy living, coping, and

computer classes.

Case managers helped Missy get approved for Samaritan Housing through the KY Housing Program and she was ready to move out in 2011. She had been approved for Food Stamps and other financial assistance programs and had income from Disability. Case managers helped her get everything she needed for her new apartment and helped her move in.

Today, Missy is successfully living in her own apartment. She keeps in close touch with Boulware Mission...she still has monthly sessions with her case manager and even lists her case manager as her "next of kin." She has become as self-sufficient as she can be and has proven to be an inspiration to us all and a true success story for Boulware Mission!



## BOULWARE GIVES THANKS

The staff and clients of Boulware would like to give thanks for you, our supporters. Because of you, we are able to *save people's lives* every day!

In order to show our appreciation, we have recorded a short 3-minute video for you.

Access the video by using your QR Reader (on your phone) to scan the code to the left.

If you do not have a QR Reader, you can also access it on our website:

[www.boulwaremission.org](http://www.boulwaremission.org)



And on our facebook page:

[www.facebook.com/boulwaremission](http://www.facebook.com/boulwaremission)

You are a blessing to us and we sincerely hope you'll enjoy our message of thanks!

## 2011 SERVICE STATISTICS

Boulware was able to provide 348 homeless individuals with shelter and residential services in 2011.

An additional 265 community individuals received help through Boulware’s Outpatient Treatment Program and DUI Program.

Residential clients remained at Boulware for an average of 140 days each; this averages out to 48,720 nights of service.

74% of residential clients in 2011 suffered from drug/alcohol addiction and received drug and alcohol training.

164 residential clients went through the licensed treatment program.

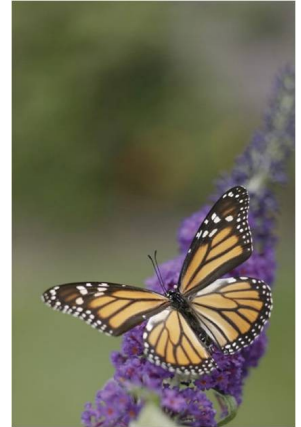
30% of residential clients obtained steady employment while at Boulware.

90% of residential clients participated in financial literacy and life skills training.

29 individuals acquired Disability, 9 obtained their GED, and 4 enrolled in college while at Boulware.

57 people obtained independent, long-term housing upon leaving.

268 volunteers donated 11,921 hours of their time.



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## LEAVING A LEGACY

Your will is an important way of looking after the future of your family and loved ones. After you’ve taken care of your loved ones, you may also want to leave a gift in support of your favorite charity.

It is a common misconception that only wealthy people gift to charities in their will. The reality is that many bequests are made by ordinary, hard working people who want to make a difference in their community after they’re gone.

When you include Boulware Mission in your will or living trust, you are ensuring that our good work lives on...you are leaving a legacy that will impact the lives of future homeless individuals.

Including Boulware in your will is easy. To accomplish your gift, you simply need to add the following wording to your will or trust with the help of your attorney:

“I, {name}, of {city, state zip}, give, devise and bequeath to Boulware Mis-

sion, Inc. {written amount or percentage of the estate or description of property} for its unrestricted use and purpose.”

Legacies really are the last—and most lasting—gift that you can give...it is your chance to leave the world a better place.



*Prior Boulware clients volunteering at the 2011 Golf Scramble.*

## 2ND ANNUAL GOLF EVENT

Don Moore Automotive Team and Overflow Café present the second annual Charity Golf Scramble to benefit Boulware Mission on Friday, August 17, 2012. The scramble will take place at the scenic Ben Hawes State Park Golf Course with registration starting at 7:00 a.m. and a shotgun start at 8:00 a.m.

The event is limited to 32 teams, so get your registrations in fast! A registration form can be found on the back page of the newsletter.

Sponsorship opportunities are also available.

## INTRODUCING OUR NEWEST BOARD MEMBERS

We would like to welcome our newest Board Members, Mrs. Jennifer Allen and Mr. Kris Kemp.

Jennifer is a graduate of the KBA Graduate School of Banking. She has been in banking/finances for over 32 years and is currently a Vice President, Banking Center Manager of the Southtown location for Old National Bank. She is also President of the Owensboro Women's Bowling Association, a director for the KY State Bowling Association, Vice President of the Owensboro Youth Bowling Association and serves on their scholarship committee. Jennifer teaches financial literacy classes at local schools and several of the homeless/recovery centers in Owensboro, including Boulware. She also volunteers at the VITA Free Tax Preparation sites. She attends Owensboro Christian Church where she is co-

leader of the God Spot 5th grade Sunday School class.

Kris is a graduate of Kentucky Wesleyan College and has been in public accounting since 1999. He is the partner in charge of Myriad CPA Group's Tax Division overseeing operations in the Owensboro, Henderson, and Evansville offices. He is a member of the Kentucky Society of Certified Public Accountants and the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. He also serves on the board of directors for the Henderson Girls Softball Association and on the stewardship committee of Zion Baptist Church and is Secretary/Treasurer for the Henderson Breakfast Lions Club.

We are very excited to have Jennifer and Kris on board and hope you will join us in welcoming them to Boulware!



Jennifer Allen ~ Kris Kemp

### Our Board of Directors:

Alan Englehart, <i>President</i>	Heath Greenwell
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## FEINSTEIN CHALLENGE

Boulware Mission is participating in the "15th Annual \$1 Million Giveaway to Fight Hunger" organized and supported by the Alan Feinstein Foundation.

Any food donations, money, or pledges we receive between now and April 30th

will get Feinstein money added to it—and the more donations we get, the more of the Feinstein \$1 Million we'll get—all thanks to you, our supporters!

Please bring any donations to 609 Wing Avenue in Owensboro. Last year's chal-

lenge resulted in \$500 for Boulware Mission from the Feinstein Foundation.

Not only are you helping locally, but your donation toward this campaign makes you a partner in the most successful ongoing effort ever to fight hunger.

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## AID THE HOMELESS BENEFIT

The Greater Owensboro Realtor® Association hosted the first annual Aid the Homeless Benefit Gala on Friday, March 23, 2012 at the Owensboro Museum of Fine Art.

Gail Niehaus, 2012 President of the Greater Owensboro Realtor® Association said about the event, "Homelessness is something that few people can relate to and yet, many people in our community including women and children, are homeless. Because Realtors® are in the busi-

ness of helping people rent, buy or sell real estate, it only makes sense that the Greater Owensboro Realtor® Association would try to aid our homeless shelters.

The public charity we formed, Aid the Homeless, Inc., was created precisely for the purpose of implementing a long term community outreach to aid our shelters. Our challenge is to marshal the resources of our Association, and the resources of the Greater Owensboro area, to accom-



plish this goal."

More than \$36,000 was raised through the event and all proceeds will benefit Owensboro's four homeless shelters: Boulware Mission, the Daniel Pitino Shelter, St. Benedict's, and OASIS.

Mayor Ron Payne and County Commissioner Jim Lambert voiced their support by making presentations about the importance of services for the homeless in our community to the over 200 people in attendance.

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## *2nd Annual Boulware Mission Golf Scramble*

Team Contact \_\_\_\_\_

Company \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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Team Members:

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**Friday, August 17, 2012**

**Ben Hawes Golf Course**



\$400 Entry fee includes:  
19 Holes plus cart for 4 players  
2 Mulligans per player  
2 Skirts per player  
Breakfast & Lunch  
\$50 Callaway Gift Card per player  
Tons of prizes

~Sponsorship Opportunities Available~

Please mail registration and fee to:

Boulware Mission Golf Scramble  
609 Wing Ave, Owensboro KY 42303

