

EMERGING WITH COURAGE
MAGDALENA HOUSE

Gala

SEPTEMBER 25

May 24, 2021

Dear Friend,

After over a year of challenging times, we are eager to welcome you to celebrate 14 years of Magdalena House serving mothers and children who have fled dangerous and abusive lives. Families have grown strong and emboldened and share in our work to eliminate abuse and violence in our community.

We are excited to announce our annual fundraising event, the **Magdalena House Gala: Emerging with Courage** will take place in person this year **on September 25th**. Join us as we emerge with a bold and renewed commitment to our life-changing and transformational work. This event in past years has provided nearly half of Magdalena House's operating revenue through the support of over 700 attendees. This year the event will highlight the inspiring work that continues at Magdalena House through our resident stories, special performances, and an incredible auction!

Our main event features a silent and live auction and raffle. This is where we need your help! By donating an item, you directly help provide a safe home to women and children right here in San Antonio. **It is because of your donations our residents can pursue accredited education so they can earn a viable income.** Your donations help put food on the table and provide clothing for children, not to mention the counseling, parenting classes, legal support, financial training, holistic programming, and loving relationships. Their lives will be forever impacted by the support and provisions Magdalena House can give through your donations!

Will you help us sustain and grow our ability to help more families transform their lives through education, support, and safe shelter?

Please indicate your donation for the auction on the enclosed form. If you have any questions or would like to learn more about all that Magdalena House does within our community, please contact Janice Da Silva, Senior Director of Development at (210) 779-8464 or by email at gala@maghouse.org.

On behalf of the women and children of Magdalena House, our sincerest thanks to you!

Kind Regards,

Kindall Shannon

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Gala Committee Chair

Natalie Crider

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Auction Committee Lead

Monica M. West

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Auction Committee

Madelyn Duffey

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Dawn Marotta

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John Barbieri, Matt Countryman, Bill Harrison, Matt Jackson, Vanessa Kenon, Catherine Lillibridge, Greg Stroud, Kelly Thompson
and Rev. Denise Barker (Founder & Executive Director)

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AUCTION & RAFFLE WISH LIST

Experiences

Wine Tastings/Tours
Distillery Tasting/Tours
Fine Dining
Cooking Lessons
Boating/Fishing Excursions

Entertainment & Sports

Theatre/Concert Tickets
Sporting Event Tickets
Amusement/Theme Park Admissions
Sports Memorabilia
Sport Lessons/Training
Sporting Equipment

Fashion, Jewelry & Art

Women's/Men's Apparel Gift Cards
College & University Sports Wear
Fine Jewelry
Watches
Sunglasses
Custom Apparel & Accessories
Custom mural design
Professional Photography Session

Home, Garden & Outdoors

Interior Design Services
Florist Certificate
Glassware/Crockery
Garden/Landscaping Services/Tools
Business/Financial Planning
Big Green Egg/BBQ Equipment

Hotel & Travel

Airline tickets/Points
Luggage
Hotel Stays
Vacation home rentals
Local Getaways

Food & Wine

Wine Tastings/Tours
Select Wine/Champagne
Top Shelf Alcohol/Beer
Gourmet Wine Baskets
Bar/Kitchen Accessories
Private Chef / Catering Services

Health & Beauty

Salon/Spa Certificates
Gym/Health Club Sessions
Dental/Teeth Whitening
Yoga/Pilates Classes
Beauty Product Baskets
Fitness equipment
Personal Training Sessions

Children & Family

Children Summer Camps
Tutoring Services
Toys/Books
Family Outings
Pet Supplies
Veterinary Services

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Thank you very much for your donation to the Magdalena House Gala, to be held on September 25, 2021. Please complete this form so that we can give you full recognition for your donation, both at the gala and for tax purpose

DONOR INFORMATION

Company/Individual Name _____
(Print name as you want it to appear in donor listings)

Contact Name _____ **Title/Position** _____

Street Address _____

City _____ **State** _____ **Zip** _____

Phone _____ **EMAIL** _____

DONATION INFORMATION

Type of Donation: Merchandise/item

Gift certificate

Donor stated retail value \$ _____ **Expiration date** _____

(unless specified, valid for one year from date of event)

Description of item or service

(Please specify color, quantity, size, number of people, limitations, etc.)

Receipt of donation: Item or gift certificate accompanies donation form

Donor will deliver

Pick up by auction representative

*I am unable to donate an item but have included a donation in the amount of

\$ _____

Magdalena House is a nonprofit 501(c)(3), Tax ID: 80-0251526

This is your official tax receipt. Please keep for your records and send a copy to Magdalena House.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!