



The View from Our Porch

News from

The Refuge Ranch, Inc.

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“CHRIST IN YOU, THE HOPE OF GLORY”



God continues to show me when one woman breaks the cycle of addiction in her family the future of a generation can be changed.

During the month of May is a great time to give to this effort and have your donation maximized through participating in the Great Give.

Palm Beach & Martin Counties

The Great Give provides donors the opportunity to give to local non-profits that are directly impacting our communities. When you give on May 3rd through the Great Give link below or by calling the phone number below, your donation will be increased through “Bonus” dollars given to this effort by local businesses. What a great time to invest in breaking the cycle of addiction and changing a generation.

Without the support of people like you we could not offer the opportunity for women to change their lives, gain a personal relationship with Christ, and return to their communities as productive citizens. Thank you for prayerfully considering making a donation during the Great Give and being a part of making a difference in the lives and families of the women who come to The Refuge Ranch.



In Christ, Mitchell Dobrow
Program Director

1-844-Give-Day (844-448-3329)

[HTTPS://GREATGIVEFLORIDA.ORG/NPO/THE-REFUGE-RANCH-INC](https://greatgiveflorida.org/npo/the-refuge-ranch-inc)

This link can also be found on our website:
www.therefugeranch.org



My name is Devyn, I am 28 years old and have two handsome son's. I come from a 10 year addiction to drugs and alcohol. Before coming to The Refuge Ranch, I was hopeless, about to lose my children, had no friendships and the relationships with my family were hanging on by a thread. I did not know the Lord and was lost. I did whatever it took to supply my habit and ended up in jail facing five years in prison. I knew something had to change. My way was not working. I fell to my knees in my jail cell and cried out to the Lord. He heard me and answered my prayers. He showed me grace and mercy by sending me to The Ranch instead of prison. Since being here, He has changed me from the inside out. The Lord has healed and forgiven me. He is restoring the bond between my sons and I and the relationships with my family have begun to heal. In the last phase of my program I was blessed with a job and I have learned to be a good worker. For the first time, I will be able to spiritually, emotionally, and financially take care of my sons. I love the Lord and the peace He has brought to my life. I am transitioning back as a mom and I cannot wait to see what the Lord will do as I walk with Him.



*“...and by His wounds,
we are healed!”*

Isaiah 53:5

As we celebrated Easter this year we reflected on the high price paid for each of our lives. Many of the women were able to experience the true meaning of what Christ’s death and resurrection accomplished for them personally. We are alive, because He lives!

Our Servant Leadership Trainees participated with our church family sharing cardboard testimonies on Easter Sunday.



Program woman Courtney with her daughter after the Easter egg hunt.



Recent graduate Devyn being baptized Easter weekend to symbolize being a new creation in Christ.

- Program Needs:**
- Golf Cart
 - Vacuum Cleaners
 - Monthly sponsorship
 - Plastic/Wooden Kitchen Utensils



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A higher purpose.