

CARING CHANGES LIVES



Season of Community Caring 2015-2016

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DAVID'S STORY

My name is David. I've been a single dad to my two kids for the last two years. My wife passed away after a brief illness so it has just been the three of us ever since. It was a tremendous adjustment since my wife had been a stay at home mom and I was the sole bread winner. The kids and I have really had a rough time.

My family has always come first so I had to find a night time job to be there for my kids during the day. I soon realized my new job did not pay enough to make ends meet. Even though I was working, between paying for clothes, school supplies, insurance, rent and food for two growing kids, I always seemed to come up short. The savings I had built up quickly ran out.

I was having to make tough decisions about which bill to pay, keeping utilities connected, pay the rent or ensure my kids had enough food. Sometimes I would only eat once a day to make sure that they would have three meals. I could not imagine them asking for dinner, and me having to tell them I had nothing to give them.

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I never thought I would have to ask for help because I could not feed my family. It is very humbling, but you do what you have to. I finally went to Frisco Family Services to get help...

Because **YOU** care...I was able to not only receive financial assistance and food pantry visits, but also employment guidance so I could obtain a better paying daytime job.



BECAUSE **YOU** CARE

Frisco Family Services has been helping families and individuals in our communities through their most challenging times for **over 21 years**. Your contributions have been key to preventing hunger and homelessness for those living in Frisco and Frisco ISD.

Over the last year, **FFS has assisted almost 3,700 people**, but many people in our communities still need your help.

Your generous donation means no family needs to decide between paying bills or eating. No family has to worry about how they will feed or clothe their children. With your help, none of your neighbors need to worry about losing their home or a senior worry about going without vital, life saving medication.

Your donation **WILL CHANGE A LIFE.**

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7571
Summer Lunches

over
542,000
pounds of food

250
Thanksgiving
meal boxes

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achievements
would have
been possible
without the
CARING and
support of our
donors.