



Empowering Lives One Home at a Time

“Thank you for making our home feel like a home...”

“It is an incredible feeling and blessing to come home to a welcoming, comfortable, and beautiful place! The whole space is absolutely amazing and beyond our wildest dreams. The words ‘thank you’ can’t even begin to describe our gratitude for all you have done for our family.”

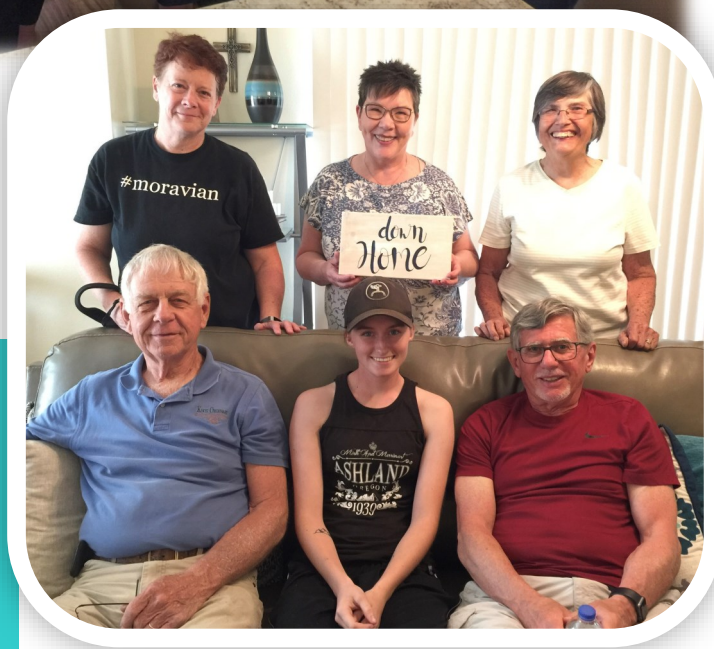
*Family #32
referred in
partnership with
the Jeremiah
Program*



**Move-In Sponsored by the
Moravian Women’s Ministry**

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Down Home is a 501(c)3 organization.

EMPOWER UP PROGRAM

DOWN HOME partners with Upstream Growth Consultants to offer the Empower Up program: 5 sessions of Emotional Intelligence and Personal Empowerment training. Facilitator, Troy White, walks participants through a greater awareness of their part in and control of personal outcomes. Participants learn that events do not control them. Rather, their reaction to events determines how successful and positive their outcomes will be. Self-awareness and management are explored, with participants learning how to maintain healthy and positive family, workplace and community relationships. Clients get partnered with DH decorator teams who furnish and decorate a priority room upon successful completion of the small group sessions.



"This has helped me boost my self-esteem knowing that I can change my life. Let all the bad things go and begin good things."

100% of participants strongly agree/ agree that Down Home is a necessary program in the FM area.



"I am very thankful to everyone who has given time and money towards this. A lot of love to all of you for it."



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Open Position(s) Interested? Contact Us!

And many volunteers...

BORDER STATES ELECTRIC SPONSORED MOVE-IN

Being a part of the Down Home move-in process was extremely rewarding and eye-opening. The amount of team work & excitement around helping a family move into their own furnished place was felt by all during the loading of the truck. I felt like I just wanted to move faster so we could get to the location and start setting up the rooms. Once we were unloaded and setting up the rooms, it was so heartwarming and exciting to see everything fall together. I remember hearing laughing and joy beaming from all the rooms being set up. You could really tell every person was thrilled to be apart of something so generous.

Once it came time to the reveal, we all were getting a little nervous to witness the reaction of the new owners. The thing I remember most about my move-in experience is the second we opened the doors to the apartment, one of the children yelps in excitement and says, "Mommy, we have a couch!" and it was in that moment I knew how much I take for granted on a daily basis. I helped put the mothers room together and when she went in her room and saw it complete, she started crying and gave me one of the most rewarding hugs I've had. I knew I had done something that changed this families life forever with only a small portion of my time. When the children went in to see their room, I remember one of them saying to the other "Look, we don't have to share a bed anymore!" You really realize how much impact you can make in such little time that will change a families life forever.

I will never forget my experience at Down Home, and I would encourage anyone looking for a life changing volunteer opportunity to highly consider sponsoring a move-in with Down Home. You will not regret it.

~Shelby Foltz, BSE Customer Financial Services



The finished product!



A BSE team member putting the final touches in a bedroom.





KICK UP YOUR BOOTS!

2019

HOEDOWN

SECOND ANNUAL

FUND
RAISER
LOW
DOWN

DREKKER
BREWHALLA
1666 1ST AVE N
FARGO ND



SUNDAY
SEPT. 15
2019

SOCIAL 4:00 P.M.
SUNDOWN 8:00 P.M.

LIVE & SILENT AUCTION
COUNTRY COOKIN' BY SPITFIRE
BEER BY DREKKER
PINBALL GAMES FROM FARGO PINBALL

CASUAL COUNTRY ATTIRE
EMCEE DARON SELVIG

TABLE SPONSORS & TICKETS: WWW.DOWN-HOME.ORG

OFFICIAL EVENT SPONSOR



CENTURY BUILDERS
GENERAL CONTRACTORS

PRINT & RADIO SPONSORS

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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 4:00-8:00 PM
{DREKKER BREWHALLA}
 1666 1ST AVENUE N., FARGO
HOEDOWN TABLE SPONSOR & TICKET OPTIONS

TRAIL BOSS – \$3,000

- † Full color signage at the event
- † Complimentary seating for 8
- † Logo prominently displayed
- † Logo on event signs, programs and website
- † Logo on all printed materials

KICK UP YOUR BOOTS

- † Silent & Live Auction
- † Country Cooking catered by Spitfire
- † Pinball Games courtesy of Fargo Pinball
- † Centerpiece Sales/Heads & Tails Game

WRANGLER – \$1,500

- † Complimentary seating for 8
- † Logo prominently displayed
- † Logo on event programs and website
- † Logo on all printed materials

SPECIAL THANKS TO OUR
EVENT SPONSOR

**COWPOKE – \$500**

- † Complimentary seating for 4
- † Name displayed
- † Name on event programs and website
- † Name on all printed materials

GENERAL ADMISSION – \$50

- † Pub-style tables to stand, socialize, and eat at.

RESERVE YOUR TABLE

- † Contact Us: info@down-home.org
- † Website: www.down-home.org
- † Address: 2102 12th St. N., Fargo, ND 58102
- † Phone: 701-532-1488

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TABLE SPONSORS & TICKETS

___ \$3,000 Trail Boss*

___ \$1,500 Wrangler*

___ \$500 Cowpoke

___ General Admission x \$50 = \$ ___

___ Regrets, yet please accept our sponsorship donation,
and include our name on your event program \$ ___

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Business Name (if applicable): _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

*Please send your business logo to: info@down-home.org

>>Send Check or Cash to: Down Home, 2102 12th St. N., Fargo, ND 58102 OR Pay Online at www.down-home.org (credit card fee applies).<<

JOIN US AS WE
LIGHT UP THE NIGHT

FOR FAMILIES TRANSITIONING FROM HOMELESSNESS INTO HOUSING IN THE F-M COMMUNITY!



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Check out our AMAZON WISHLIST for our most urgent needs.

www.down-home.org

Grants Awarded

Thank you to American Crystal Sugar Company!

Down Home has benefitted from American Crystal Sugar Company's commitment to improving lives in the communities of the Red River Valley. They generously donated \$5,000 on 7/1/19, which will be used to purchase new mattresses for DH clients who are transitioning from homelessness to permanent housing.

33% of families tell us that they would go without a mattress without Down Home's help.



Thank you to the Midco Foundation!

Down Home was thrilled to receive a \$3,000 donation from the Midco Foundation on 6/17/19. This gift will be used to purchase new mattresses for DH clients who are transitioning from homelessness to permanent housing.

77% of families tell us that a mattress is the first piece of furniture they would purchase once financially able, so this gift will be a huge blessing.



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