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Celebrating 30 Years of Home, Hope, and Healing: A Mother's Day Fundraiser

Join us on Sunday, May 4, at 12:00 PM at **Martin's Event Center**, 3215 W. Manchester Blvd, Inglewood, CA 90305, for a powerful celebration of mothers overcoming homelessness. This special event will honor the courageous mothers currently enrolled in the **HomeLight Family Living Program** as well as alumni families who have successfully transitioned to self-sufficiency with our support.

Thanks to our generous sponsors **US Bank**, **Prose**, **The Hope Foundation**, **The William Noonan Foundation**, **Century House Corp.**, **Inglewood Park Cemetery** and **KIRN-AM 670/95.5HD3**, along with raffle donors including **Unplug Meditation**, **Bark Box**, **A Noise Within**, **PRP Wine**, and **Let's Roam**, we will come together to celebrate the incredible impact of HomeLight Family Living. Our program provides safe housing and a comprehensive support system for families affected by abuse, addiction, poverty, and hopelessness, guiding them toward long-term healing, health, and independence.

For **30 years**, HomeLight has been a beacon of hope for families in need. As we reflect on this milestone, we recognize the growing challenges our families face, particularly the rising cost of living, which makes it increasingly difficult to provide stable homes for healing and growth. In response, we are raising funds to renovate our facilities, creating modern, trauma-informed spaces that will better support families as they rebuild their lives. Your support will help us continue to provide a safe haven where families can heal, thrive, and achieve lasting self-sufficiency.

We're honored to feature David Prentice, **TMM President & CEO**, and Ricardo Rosales, **HomeLight Director**, as keynote speakers. Guests will also hear from two courageous HomeLight mothers, sharing their powerful stories of resilience and transformation. Enjoy musical performances by **Las Colibrí**, **Nani Taylor**, and a special song by the HomeLight children's band **Wild Zone** with **Brent Nuffer of Electric Moon**.

The event will also feature an exciting silent auction and raffle, offering a variety of unique experiences and prizes including yoga and meditation services, travel packages to Santa Barbara and Pechanga Casino, theater tickets, a live TV show taping, and much more.

This Mother's Day, join us in honoring these extraordinary women who have faced adversity with remarkable courage and strength. Funds raised during the celebration will directly support the lifechanging services provided by **HomeLight Family Living**.





For sponsorship opportunities or to purchase tickets, please contact Valerie Lord at vlord@midnightmission.org. To donate, https://www.classy.org/admin/86043/campaigns/674952

Together, we can continue building a bridge to self-sufficiency and hope for homeless families in our community. We look forward to celebrating with you!

About HomeLight Family Living, a program of The Midnight Mission: HomeLight Family Living provides the path for families in crisis to reunify, rebuild, and restore their lives. We provide education, career preparedness, counseling, and life skills to break the cycle of abuse and poverty to ensure independent, successful living. For additional information, please visit our website at www.midnightmission.org/homelight or contact Ricardo Rosales, Director of Family Living, at rrosales@midnightmission.org.

About The Midnight Mission: Founded in 1914, The Midnight Mission offers paths to self-sufficiency to individuals and families who have lost direction. Our emergency services and 12-step recovery, family living, job training, education, and workforce development programs offer a compassionate bridge to achieve and maintain healthy, productive lives. We remove obstacles and provide the accountability and structure that people experiencing homelessness need to be productive in their communities. Our conviction and commitment to their success define us. For additional information, please visit www.midnightmission.org.