

# October 2023 Newsletter

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A journal of our ministry in leading fatherless families to the Heavenly Father!



## Fatherless & Single Mom's Camp In Michigan In July



We had an amazing time serving as Camp Pastor for Psalm68Five's Family Camp in Michigan, which primarily focused on Fatherless and Single Moms. Jackie helped lead the daily single mom sessions and taught two times. Sean preached and taught several times from Sunday until Friday. We personally were able to lead some fatherless children to the Lord! Sean also had the privilege of baptizing fatherless individuals and single moms in the lake on the last day of camp. The camp also gave out our fatherless children's book, The Single Mom Journey book, and The Fatherless Journey Guys and Girls devotionals to the families. It was a great week and we are excited to partner with them again in the summer of 2024!



## 5 Teens Saved In Altoona, PA

We were excited that 5 teens prayed and trusted in Jesus as their Savior in July after I spoke on forgiveness in youth group at Faith Baptist Church! Praise the Lord!

## Some July-Sept Ministry Pics!



## Speaking and Networking At The Tennessee State Sponsored Amplifying Fatherhood Conference

In late September, we attended the Tennessee Government Sponsored Amplifying Fatherhood Conference in Nashville, TN. We were asked to speak for a breakout session on How To Help Grandparents Raising Grandchildren. We also had a great time at this event with networking, learning, and seeing friends in the fatherhood space. Lord willing, this was a door into other future opportunities with the State of Tennessee to help them with fatherless families.



## In August We Said Goodbye To Las Vegas And Moved To Pennsylvania

In August, we wrapped up our 20-month project in Las Vegas. When we moved there, we didn't know how long we would be there, but God did, and He had us complete it in His timing. In August, we had one last Wednesday meetup with our single mom group, we helped lead our last Bible Club, and we said our goodbyes. We are excited to continue the partnership from a distance with Liberty Baptist Church continuing their single mom ministry! We are excited that Kim and Francine are taking charge of this very important ministry! Please pray for all of these ladies and their children and teens! We are thankful for all that God did in Las Vegas through this partnership!





## In 2024 Start a Single Mom Community Group OR Join The God is my Dad Church & Ministries Network!

Let's work together to bridge the gap between fatherless families, local churches, and the Heavenly Father! Sadly, these families often feel neglected by local churches. By starting a single mom community group or by joining the Network of God is my Dad Churches and Ministries, your church or ministry will be put in our "Find a Church" directory for fatherless families at [GodismyDad.com](http://GodismyDad.com). We also provide resources to network members to help in the evangelism and discipleship of these families when they arrive at your church or ministry! Learn more: [lifefactors.org/godismydadnetwork/](http://lifefactors.org/godismydadnetwork/).

## PRAYER REQUESTS FOR THE TEIS FAMILY AND LIFE FACTORS FATHERLESS MINISTRIES

- That we could find at least one "doctrinally" sound church in every county or equivalent in the United States to either launch a Single Mom Community Group or join the God is my Dad Network!
- That our needed regular monthly support would continue to come in and that we could raise additional needed support!
- For our continued adjustment and transition in Pennsylvania.
- That we would continue to be effective in evangelizing and discipling fatherless families!
- For wisdom and fresh opportunities as we schedule out 2024 with ministry events and speaking opportunities.
- For God's protection over our family! The devil doesn't want these fatherless families to be helped and reached! For our children to grow up and serve God!
- For our marriage to be stronger than ever, for our children to see God through this ministry venture, and for them to grow tremendously in their faith during this time!
- That we could help fatherless families experience the blessings of having God as their Heavenly Father through a personal relationship with Jesus!
- For more exposure than we could imagine to our new initiatives, shows, and resources.
- For effectiveness in future speaking opportunities and ministry partnerships.
- For God to give us wisdom and vision in future ministry decisions.
- For us to be helpful and a blessing to churches nationally!
- For wisdom and guidance as we develop new curriculum and resources, and as we work on publishing some of our resources in Spanish!
- That God would continue to open doors for our ministry!

## WILL YOU GIVE TO HELP US LEAD MORE FATHERLESS FAMILIES TO THE HEAVENLY FATHER?

Monthly partners help us do ministry effectively. If you do not already, would you consider partnering with us as we evangelize and disciple fatherless families? Why the fatherless? Fatherlessness in the United States often leads to crime, suicide, drugs, alcoholism, poor education & dropouts, sexual immorality & abortion, crowded prisons, mental illness, etc. Your support will help us spread more awareness on the effects of fatherlessness, speak more messages of hope, create more unique resources, and further our partnership capabilities with churches and other ministries.

**YES! I want partner** \_\_\_\_\_ \$15 \_\_\_ \$25 \_\_\_ \$50 \_\_\_ \$75 \_\_\_ \$100 \_\_\_ \$250 \_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
**monthly with Life** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Factors to help reach** \_\_\_\_\_  
**fatherless families** \_\_\_\_\_

How will you donate? \_\_\_ Online \_\_\_ Mail Check  
 \*Enclosed is a one-time donation for the following amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Our church is considering partnering with Life Factors regularly for the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\*ONLINE: You can setup monthly online giving on our donation page by visiting <https://www.lifefactors.org/donate>  
 \*STANDARD MAIL: Checks work, too! Please make checks payable to Life Factors and mail them to P.O. Box 213, Duncansville, PA 16635



## Launch a Single Mom Community Group In Your County!

We are looking for at least one church and ministry in every County of the United States to launch a Single Mom Ministry! We will help you get started AND provide ongoing support for your ministry!

[Start A Single Mom Community Group!](#)

## FINALLY, A TANGIBLE WAY FOR CHURCHES TO LEAD FATHERLESS FAMILIES TO THE HEAVENLY FATHER!

Imagine if the single moms in your church and community could be effectively evangelized and discipled. Imagine the difference this would make for their children's chance at overcoming the statistics of fatherlessness. By launching a Single Mom Community Group, your church will have the tools needed to simply help these families in your church and community in an effective way!

## CURRICULUM:



## WHAT PEOPLE ARE SAYING?

**Pastor Dan Haifley - Single Mom Group in IL:** *["Earlier in the year, we started a single moms group using the Single Mom Journey. I just want to say that it is one of the best things we ever did!"](#)* The ladies have told me over and over again, "Thank you, thank you so much, Pastor, for having this, because it gives us hope, it gives us help, it helps us carry the burdens that we carry that other people don't understand." It makes them feel like they are part of the church. It makes them feel like they are cared for by the church. We have childcare; we do it at the same time we do our other Bible studies. They have just gotten so much help from it. [The ladies have become more faithful in church.](#) I think it is just a healthy experience. [If you are a pastor and you are thinking, "Should I do this?" You absolutely should use this curriculum. It is excellent material! It meets a great need!"](#)

**Dr. Elmer Towns - Liberty University:** *"I am very impressed with what Sean Teis and Life Factors Ministries are doing to address this issue in our country. [Their training is something every church should explore.](#) I highly recommend having Sean come and speak on fatherlessness to your congregation, student body, or event."*

**Single Mom in Las Vegas:** *"Coming to Las Vegas as a single mom was not my plan. I was looking for a place of belonging after being disappointed numerous times. [I have been praying and searching for true connections with single parents who share similar Godly values like myself but could not find anything that truly align with my walk with Christ until I came across "God is My Dad" platform on Facebook.](#) At first I could not believe that there was actually such a group for people like me so I had to Google the location to ensure it was a real church. Funny right, but God had answered my prayers. Through the meetings and the "The Single Mom Journey" book by Sean Teis and his mom Connie as a guide, I realized I was really not alone. Connie's story was so relatable, inspiring and Bible-based, I felt the connection that I needed with her and the other women who attended the meetings. I realized that God is never late and he answers our prayers. God knew a platform like this was needed and he touched the hearts of Sean and his mom. May God continue to guide and bless us as we are walking through our journey as single moms. Love you all!"*

## INTERESTED?

Great! Please visit the following link to watch the promo video, view a sample Single Mom Journey Video Curriculum Lesson, read FAQs, watch a testimonial video, or sign-up: [lifefactors.org/start-a-single-mom-support-group!](http://lifefactors.org/start-a-single-mom-support-group!)  
Sign-up today! Please contact us if you have any questions!

Access to the Single Mom Journey Video Curriculum is FREE to all of our partner Churches!  
Contact us at [info@lifefactors.org](mailto:info@lifefactors.org) for details!