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THE SALVATION ARMY
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ALOHA FROM THE DIVISIONAL LEADERS

As we reflect on what The Salvation Army has done this past year, we are overwhelmed by the giving and caring spirit of our staff, community partners and individual supporters who have so generously offered their time and hearts to those in need.

Your support has enabled The Salvation Army to embrace human needs in many notable areas: poverty, hunger, loneliness, despair, addiction and natural catastrophes in Hawaii and throughout the Pacific Islands. We believe it has allowed us to set the foundation for our next chapter in service to the people of Hawaii.

A scripture in the book of Jeremiah says, "For I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord, plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope." (Jeremiah 29:11)

One of the most powerful things we can offer those we serve is the opportunity for a bright future and hope. With hope comes education, stable jobs and recovery for families that have endured hardships. The Salvation Army is prepared to arm these individuals with the tools and resources they need to become sufficient. We call this new initiative the Pathway of Hope and you will see how your ongoing support is fueling a movement within our programs that changes lives in 2015.

We are deeply grateful for your service and sacrifice to support our mission to change lives.

Mahalo nui loa,

Majors John and Lani Chamness
Divisional Leaders

FINDING HOPE THROUGH THE SALVATION ARMY



“IT MUST HAVE
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HOPE WAS RUNNING LOW WHEN 27-YEAR-OLD MELANEE DECIDED TO CHECK HERSELF INTO THE SALVATION ARMY ADDICTION TREATMENT SERVICES FACILITY.

Taking the first step to change your life may be the hardest, but for Melanee, it was a moment of salvation and optimism. “It must have been a divine intervention...I had no money, nothing. I had nowhere else to go...but all that hope is right there waiting for you when you walk up those steps,” she said in between tears.

Melanee is a single mom who had survived many hardships: a traumatic childhood, an eating disorder and a drug addiction. After many failed attempts to change her life, she realized that she needed to do more than quit cold turkey.

UNSTABLE BEGINNINGS

Melanee’s problems stem from a rocky childhood. At the innocent age of four, her uncle

sexually assaulted her. “I thought what happened to me was normal, but deep down, I knew it wasn’t,” she said. She reported the abuse to her family, but no therapy or help was provided to deal with the trauma.

Following the assault, Melanee developed an eating disorder before she started attending elementary school. She became a binge eater, exhibiting traits of anorexia and bulimia.

LOSING CONTROL

These problems escalated in high school, where she found comfort in excessive exercise. “It was a way of taking control of my life,” she said. Her friends soon introduced her to marijuana, then alcohol, cocaine and crack. She was addicted immediately. She developed an unhealthy daily

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routine of binge eating, exercise, then a respite with drugs and alcohol.

After high school, Melanee worked at her family's business and married an alcoholic, a contributor to her substance abuse. When she discovered she was pregnant with her daughter Azure, she quit cold turkey. Six months after giving birth, Melanee went back to using drugs and alcohol, lost her job and eventually separated from her husband. Melanee's family was concerned and sought out resources that would help her with her addiction, one of them was The Salvation Army.

FINDING A PATHWAY OF HOPE

It wasn't until, Azure, then three-years-old, started exhibiting self-destructive behavior, that Melanee realized she needed to check herself into The Salvation Army (TSA) Addiction Treatment Services facility, where she found sobriety during her six months in residential treatment. "The Salvation Army gave me love and respect. I never felt judged, all of my needs were met," she said. A Salvation Army therapist also referred her to an organization that would help her deal with her eating disorder.

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**MAHALO FOR SUPPORTING US IN
OUR MISSION TO CHANGE LIVES
AND GIVE FAMILIES THE SUPPORT
THEY NEED.**

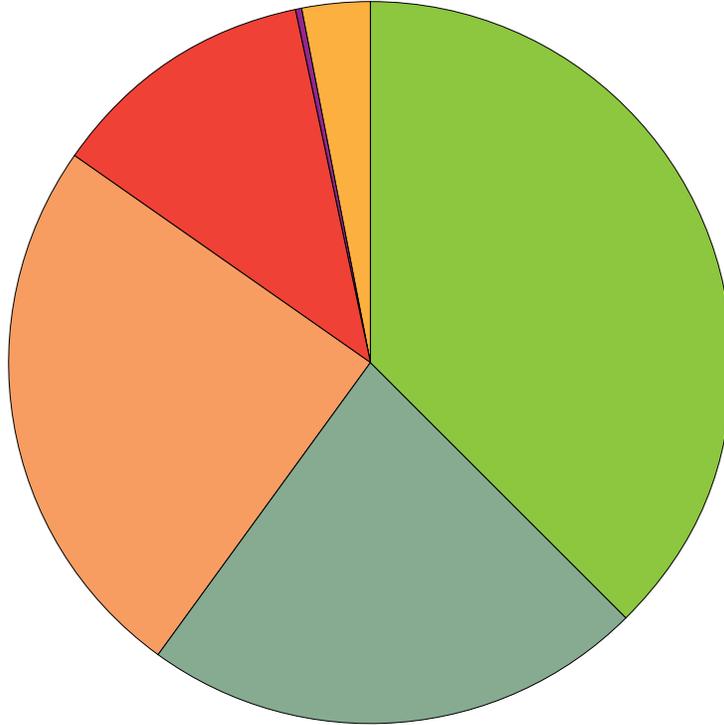


A BRIGHT FUTURE

Today Melanee works part-time as a massage therapist and sells real estate. She is also working on a second degree. She lives in a TSA transitional housing program with Azure and receives the therapy, support and time needed to heal from her tumultuous childhood and history of substance abuse. The Salvation Army will continue to help Melanee and guide her to be a successful and stable parent for Azure. With tears of gratitude, Melanee said, "They gave me hope. The Salvation Army saved my life!"

Generous and faithful supporters of The Salvation Army provide men and women like Melanee hope and the resources needed to change their lives.

REVENUE

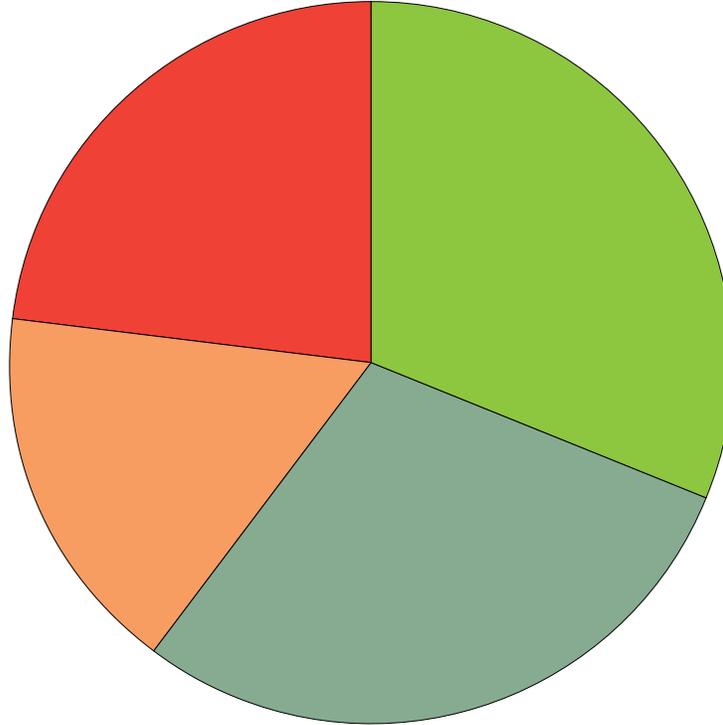


Government Funds	\$11,990,879
Contributions & Foundation Grants	\$7,070,271
Sales to the Public	\$7,881,542
Program Service Fees	\$3,814,569
United Way	\$67,985
Other Revenue	\$920,547
TOTAL	\$31,745,793



The Salvation Army Family Services Office provides basic needs for families, such as food, financial assistance and financial counseling.

EXPENSES



Residential & Institutional Services	\$11,532,797
Corps Community Centers	\$10,718,926
Supporting Services	\$6,153,427
Other Social Services	\$8,433,102
TOTAL	\$36,838,252

*Excesses of expenses over revenue are funded by territorial grants and endowments, and other designated internal support.



83 cents of every dollar donated to The Salvation Army goes directly to programs and services for those in need.



90-year-old Neff is one of many seniors in Honolulu that attend The Salvation Army Adult Day Health Services. He enjoys socializing and participating in various activities throughout the day.



2014 HIGHLIGHTS

PERSONS SERVED
117,292

MEALS & NUTRITIONAL SERVICES
515,458

CHILDREN SERVED WITH
BASIC NEEDS
23,122

LODGING & HOUSING SERVICES
22,004

MEN AND WOMEN PROVIDED
DRUG AND ALCOHOL TREATMENT
AND REHABILITATION
2,724

CLOTHING AND FURNITURE ITEMS
DISTRIBUTED
37,594

FAMILIES PROVIDED HOUSING
ASSISTANCE
701

GIFTS & TOYS DISTRIBUTED
82,813

PROGRAMS & SERVICES

Spiritual

Drug & Alcohol Rehabilitation
Seniors

Basic Needs

Youth

Emergency Disaster

Family Treatment Services

FTS provides gender and culturally responsive substance abuse treatment services to pregnant or parenting women with dependent children. (Based in Honolulu, but serves clients statewide.)

Therapeutic Nursery

The Therapeutic Nursery is a licensed infant and toddler care center serving the children of women enrolled in Family Treatment Services.

Adult Rehabilitation Center

ARC provides men with substance abuse problems with the opportunity to regain their self-respect and acquire the life skills needed to take their rightful place in life.

Addiction Treatment Services

ATS provides evidence based substance abuse treatment services to adult men and women. Services include detox, residential treatment, day treatment, outpatient treatment, individual/group counseling and family education. (Based in Honolulu, but provides treatment statewide.)

Lighthouse Recovery Center

A residential facility, located in Guam, that helps homeless, at-risk men make the transition from substance abuse and dependencies back to an independent, drug-free life through a structured six-month program.

Family Intervention Services

Located in Hilo and Kahului, FIS provides a full range of outreach, prevention, and residential services to youth. Services focus on runaways, minor law violators, victims of child abuse and/or neglect, and other at-risk youth.

Family Services

Family Services helps to meet the emergency material and financial needs of the people of Hawaii, Guam and Saipan. FS provides clothing, food, financial assistance, budget and nutritional counseling.

Camp Homelani

Offers children, seniors, and families a fun-filled outing and week-long residential camping on the North Shore of Oahu. Community service summer camps for underprivileged children enrich lives, increase creativity and independence.

Adult Day Health Services

Provides a social, recreational, and therapeutic environment for older adults who need supervision, care and nursing services during the day, and have conditions ranging from physical disabilities to Alzheimer's Disease. (Located on Oahu)

Silvercrest Senior Housing

The Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Silvercrest Senior Housing is an affordable senior housing program for seniors 62 or older. The 78-unit HUD housing facility is located in Central Oahu and provides a supportive living environment.

Drop In Center

In Maui, the Hale Palekana Homeless Drop-In Center in Lahaina and the William Booth Safe Haven in Kahului provide basic services to many of the island's displaced and homeless individuals and families. It provides hot meals, showers, laundry facilities, substance abuse counseling, telephone facilities to help the unemployed in their job search. It also gives referrals to other community resources.

Soup Kitchen

The Hilo, Lihue, Hanapepe and Saipan Corps Community Centers serve the hungry and homeless community through their soup kitchens.

Preschool

Provides quality, affordable day care for preschoolers at our Kaimuki and Kroc Center.

EMERGENCY DISASTER SERVICES

In cooperation with federal, state and local agencies, The Salvation Army is equipped and ready to serve the public in the event of major disasters such as floods, fires, earthquakes, and hurricanes. The Army has mobile canteens capable of serving hot meals and distributing basic supplies during times of crisis.

LEADERSHIP

Major John Chamness
Divisional Leader

Major Lani Chamness
Divisional Leader

Major Mark Gilden
Divisional Secretary for Business

Major Vicki Gilden
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Divisional Secretary for Program - Social Services

Major Linda Harmon
Divisional Secretary for Program - Corps Ministries

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Divisional Youth Secretary, Candidate Secretary,
Emergency Disaster Services Coordinator

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HISTORY

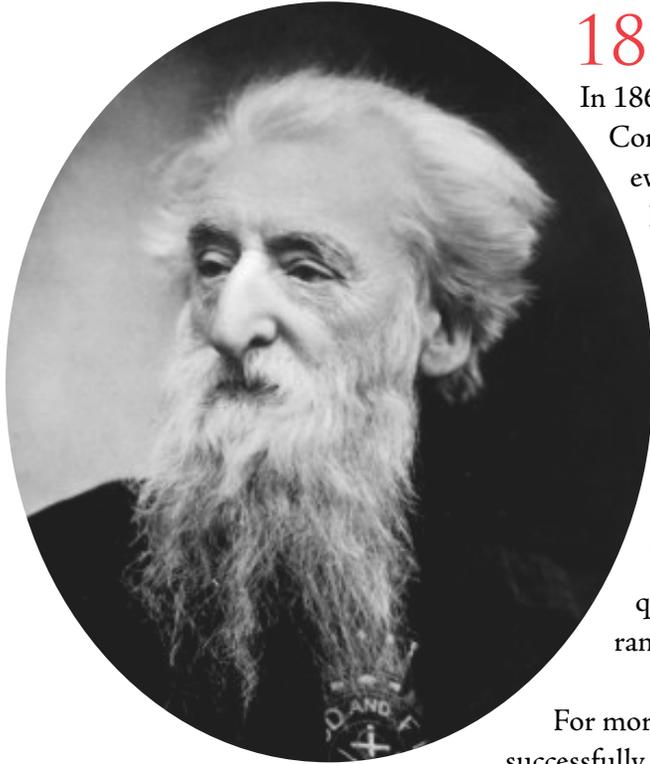
1865

In 1865, William Booth, an ordained minister with the Methodist New Connection, along with his wife Catherine, formed an evangelical group which preached to people living in poverty within London's East End.

Booth's ministry recognized the interdependence of material, emotional and spiritual needs. In addition to preaching the Gospel, Booth became involved in the feeding and shelter of the hungry, the homeless, and the rehabilitation of those addicted to alcohol.

Booth's ministry originally known as the Christian Mission, became The Salvation Army in 1878 when it evolved on a quasi-military pattern. Booth became the "General" and officers' ranks were given to ministers.

For more than a century, The Salvation Army has functioned successfully within that unusual structure. Its outreach now encompasses 126 countries and its ministry is spoken in 175 languages.



AND IN HAWAII...

Thousands of immigrants were pouring into Hawaii to work in the plantations in the 1890s. Christian men and women realized the serious need for a "spiritual organization with a social aim... a social organization with a spiritual aim" to work with the young and old of all nationalities in Hawaii. At the request of Central Union Church, the first contingent of Salvationists came to Hawaii in 1894. Five devoted and earnest workers, led by Staff Captain John Milsaps, arrived in Hawaii ready to face the challenges ahead.

The first Salvation Army hall was located in Downtown Honolulu at 1680 South King Street. In the late 1890s, Dr. Theodore Richards gave the Army a building in the Vineyard and River Street section of Honolulu to center its activities. Today, that same location is used as part of the Kauluwela Mission Corps.

By November 1894, The Salvation Army established its work in Hilo on the Island of Hawaii. Within the next three years, the Army was established on Maui and Kauai. Today, The Salvation Army has grown into a well-established and comprehensive network of social services and religious programs in Hawaii and across the Pacific Islands, serving thousands of men, women and children each year.



Hawaii legend Duke Kahanamoku donates to The Salvation Army at Waioli Tea Room in Manoa.

MISSION STATEMENT

OUR MISSION IS TO PREACH THE GOSPEL OF JESUS CHRIST
AND TO MEET HUMAN NEEDS IN HIS NAME WITHOUT
DISCRIMINATION.

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