



HANDS OF CHANGE

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END OF YEAR GIVING



Dear Friends,

GROW Ministries is sponsoring a wonderful opportunity for you and your friends to attend a day of evangelism street-ministry teaching and hands-on training with Jeff Goss from the St. Louis Dream Center on Saturday, October 29, 2011.

Jeff is an Evangelist from the St. Louis Dream Center and also leads their Friday night street ministry team. Now you can experience his outstanding teaching and training right here in the Quad Cities.

Check out his web site www.jeffgossministries.org Then join us and learn from an evangelist with a passion for the lost and the heart to share it with others.



The application and \$8.00 fee is due in the GROW office by Monday, October 24. We are asking it to be paid in advance so we know exactly how many to plan for. If you have any questions, please contact katheendburns@yahoo.com.

Grow Ministries is a faith based non-profit here in the Quad cities helping women in crisis. Every 9 seconds a woman is abused in this country. Our target areas of service is to help women caught in the turmoil and victimization of domestic violence. Grow aids women to heal from the trauma of domestic violence by teaching women to become "agents of change". Grow also impacts women by walking along side of them from incarceration to independence.

Our DNA (Discipleship, Nurturing, Accountability) day treatment program, helps women to heal from the "causes" of their addictions. As the scripture mandates, "we are to go" make disciples. Our daily classes address addictions, past abuse, co-dependence issues, relapse prevention and practical needs like

state identification, clothing, bus pass, resume writing, and job search.

Our street ministry team takes to the streets to show the love of Christ with free food, drinks and sharing the word of God for that "life" change.

You can improve the lives of women from all over the Quad Cities as well as those women coming from all over the country who are coming to find the healing that Grow Ministries offers its clients.

We give individuals the opportunity to fall in love with Jesus, to love one another, and to love themselves. Our ministry goes beyond church pews to reach those hearts in need. When they accept Jesus as their Savior we are with them every step of the way guiding them with their relationship with Jesus Christ. Matthew 25 says

we are the hands and feet of Jesus in our community.

Will you help women in crisis with an end of year gift? If a lot of people do a little we can continue to meet the needs of hurting women. Please mail your gift to Grow Ministries at 3900 18th Ave Rock Island, IL 61201, or you can go to www.growministries.org and click on the donation button on the right hand side of the page.

If you have any questions or would like more information please feel free to contact us at 309-786-4769. We ask the Lord to bless you as you bless us.



Metal 4 Ministry

Do you have old appliances, aluminum cans, or metal you want to get rid of? Then consider donating your "Metal 4 Ministry" to GROW and helping women in crisis throughout the QCA!

For instructions and pick up day in your area please call, **309-786-4769**



[Www.growministry.org](http://www.growministry.org)

If you have old cell phones, laptops, ink cartridges, etc. call the office to learn how to dispose of them.

Call Today

GROW MINISTRIES, INC.

Day Treatment Program:

DNA

(Discipleship, Nurture, Accountability)

GROW's Day Treatment Program is a 6-8 month, 5-day-a-week program that is personalized to meet each individual's needs. If, by God's grace, you are done with your past life and ready to work hard for change, then GROW Ministries Day Treatment Program may be exactly what you are looking for. Studies include co-dependency, prevention relapse, and addictions classes. **Warning:** This program is not for cowards! It takes discipline, determination, and hard work! But if you are ready, God is ready to help you. And we are here as well.

Autumn's Story

I spent the first 18 years of my life in the church, and then I spent the last 7 years running from God and his plan for my life. However God had a way to get a hold of my life. In August, 2011 I was arrested. I needed God and I needed him to take control of my life. September, 2011, I made the call to Janet and Grow Ministries. I had no clue that I was about to embark on a journey that would start to change my life in ways I never knew possible.

This past month I have seen God move in ways from healing to finances. The staff is working with me as I grow in my relationship

with Christ and I face the truths about my past and deal with the hurts. Through Grow's Day Treatment Program and the grace of God I live in a home with great



Christian people, who are daily helping me to see the love of Christ. The tools that I am learning with Grow I will forever be able to apply to my life. God is truly working through Grow.

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