

Newsletter *May 2018*

We at NLGH are so proud of both Diana's and Jessica's accomplishments and the things they have worked through. We know that God will use both of them and their testimonies to touch the lives of others who have gone through similar circumstances. God Bless you both as you continue your journey with Him.



Diana:

"I had known about New Life for a couple years, but always found excuses as to why I couldn't go until God closed all other doors for me. This time I wanted God's help and was finished with my old self. I got baptized before entering the doors of NLGH in November 2016. Even though the transition was hard, I am so thankful for the new life God as given me, including a sustained joy I have never felt before. I now know that God created me for a purpose and I have a Father, the perfect parent I always desired who I can always count on and loves me no matter what I've done. I understand now that sometimes we need to go through dark times to see God's light shining through."

Diana graduated NLGH on November 25, 2017. In January of 2018 Diana was enrolled into Heritage College and Seminary and is in the program of Christian Studies.

Jessica:

"I came to New Life in April 2017, hurting with undealt memories from my past. My teen years were filled with depression and anger. The hardest part about this season of my life was when my dad and I began having some serious conflicts that never seemed to end. New Life was a safe place where I was able to work through and heal from a lot of the hurt of my past. A place where I was able to look into the mess of emotions that had festered within me for so long! During this past year I feel I've come out of a storm and am now ready to ride the waves the next time they come. Isaiah 43:18 says, "Forget the former things; do not dwell on the past. See, I am doing a new thing! Now it springs up; do you not perceive it?" I have seen this in my life; my father's and in our family as a whole. Something that I recently thought about is: Only God can make beauty from ashes."



We celebrated Jessica's graduation at NLGH on April 7, 2018 in a Country Hoedown kind of way. Jessica just recently passed her G2 and is looking forward to working with children and all that God has planned for her life.

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30th Year Anniversary Celebration

Concert Fundraiser

Saturday, November 10, 2018, Maranatha Church Belleville

Join us for this event that will feature special musical guests, **Kevin Pauls and Daughters of the King**. Kevin is a Canadian Christian music artist who has shared the stage with many of his musical heroes: **Gaither Vocal Band, Michael English, Russ Taff, Steve Archer, and Steven Curtis Chapman**.

Kevin has released seven independent albums, won the Hamilton Music Scene Award for Canadian Recording of the Year (2005), and has been honoured with multiple award nominations by GMA Canada.

Daughters of the King are a Canadian Gospel Duo consisting of Debbie McLean and Kim Inch, both of whom are from the Quinte/Prince Edward County Area. They have organized and performed for the last 2 fundraising concerts for NLGH.

We will be sharing more information about the event via email as well as on NLGH's FB/Twitter/Instagram and Website. We are excited and looking forward to this amazing celebration with all of you.

Update...

This year marks 30 years that NLGH has been in ministry. Throughout 2017 and 2018 we have seen 5 young women graduate.

With this being NLGH's 30th year, there are some exciting changes that will be taking place. We believe that God has orchestrated it perfectly, so that we are able to do facility alterations as well as restructure the program. As of April 23, 2018 NLGH will be temporarily suspending the program in order to implement these changes.

We have a three-fold focus during this intermission: **1-Improving our program, 2-Improving our facility, 3-Improving our financial health**. This will help us continue to serve for His Glory through the vitality of NLGH as well as to best meet the needs of today's young women.

During this time, we will continue working with our graduates and continue the intake process with new students. We will continue to promote NLGH both within the local area as well as reaching out beyond our community. A continuing education component and new teaching formats will be added to the program so that we can offer better help to young women in today's world.

This will also give us more time to connect with our supporters. We would love the opportunity to come speak at your church or event and share what God is doing at NLGH.

We thank-you for all you have done in the past to support NLGH and helping women who are struggling. We are excited about these changes and ask for your continued support and prayers.

Peace & Joy...Dawn Bailey-Elbourne

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Kind Words from our Volunteers

"I love seeing young women experience the joy and freedom that comes with living for Jesus"

"I feel that God has called me to this ministry. It's my desire to see God glorified through the work of healing the brokenness in all of our lives."

"I think NLGH offers New Life. I love to make quilts and we donate quilts to NLGH and other charities."

"I feel called to volunteer at NLGH. I love seeing lives changed by Jesus and it's an encouragement for me. I have four daughters of my own and know how important this type of ministry is."

"NLGH has unconditional love for broken young women. This program confirms that we serve the God of the impossible."