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# Make for HOME

Fall Banquet Series

**SPONSORSHIP / TABLE HOST PACKET**



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Every child is Made for Home. The resources are available to provide enough supported homes for vulnerable children in foster care. Help us raise the funds and the volunteer support needed to grow the coalition of churches and network of community partners serving children and families in foster care. Together every community can provide more than enough supported homes for children in foster care and vital support to families in the foster care system.

# Thank you for serving!

Help us reach our goal of \$100,000!

## Special Guest Speakers:

**Our Made for Home Banquet Series will feature Cecil & Boone Stokes in Ashland on Sept. 26th.**



Cecil Stokes is a single dad who adopted his son Boone at 8 years old. Boone had been in foster care for 3 years after being taken from his birth family. Though he would have preferred to be married first, Cecil wanted to be a dad while he was young enough to play around and do all the things he dreamed of doing with his son. Boone has blossomed with structure, consistency and unconditional love. Now, both father and son travel the country and tell their story to any group or church that will have them. They know the brutal and the beautiful of adopting from foster care and want to educate and encourage others to follow that same path.

**For the first time, an additional banquet in the southern part of our region will be held in Mt. Vernon, Knox Co. with Krysta Bouquet as guest speaker on October 17th.**

Krysta Bouquet grew up in a family immersed in criminal activity and wrestling with addiction. As she grew into her teens facing the road ahead of her, she had a decision to make. Would she repeat the patterns of her lineage or carve out her own path and change the trajectory of her future? Learn how the church gave her a home. Her book, Hope In Her, shares Krysta's journey of heartbreak, loss, and finding freedom in the most unexpected places.



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## Event Details:

8 seats per table

### How to register and RSVP by 2 weeks prior to event date:

Scan the QR code and follow steps as prompted, or visit our website at :  
[fosteringfamilyministries.org/ffm-resources/made-for-home-fall-benefit](https://fosteringfamilyministries.org/ffm-resources/made-for-home-fall-benefit)

*Something not working?* Call us at 419.496.2507

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Everyone on our mailing list has received an invitation to the **Made for Home Fall Banquet Series**. If your invited guests have already responded, we will adjust the reservation accordingly. You may invite your guests by mail, email or in person. Invitations are included for you to mail or deliver.

Contact us if you need additional invites. The online invite sheet includes tips on how to register as a **Table Host** and invite your guests using a convenient email option. Our staff will be happy to assist you with this feature. Call us at 419-496-2507 for assistance or additional paper invites.



# FOR THOSE WHO HOST

Thank you so much for hosting!

What hosting looks like:

Inviting & reminding people to fill your table and coordinating at the table the day of the event. Refer to the "Who to Invite" document at the end of this package.

**WHEN TO ARRIVE:** Please join us for the *VIP Meet & Greet at 5:30PM. You may take your seats before the doors open at 6PM.*

## Banquet Checklist

*2 Days Before Event:*

Remind your guests of the upcoming banquet

*Pre-Event:*

Check in guests & provide name tags (materials at your table)

*During Event:*

Lead table with situation cards and response cards

*After Event:*

Collect commitment cards & evaluation cards & seal in white envelope. Return to designated FFM staff.

# FOR THOSE WHO SPONSOR

Thank you so much for your sponsorship!

## **What is included in sponsorship:**

Please see the sponsorship levels document.

**WHEN TO ARRIVE:** Please join us for the ***VIP Meet & Greet at 5:30PM at the same venue of the banquet.***

*Ashland Made for Home at Mount Vernon Estates, Ashland, OH on September 26th, 2024  
Knox Made for Home at Knox Memorial Building, Mount Vernon, OH on October 17th, 2024*

Should you have individuals you would like to invite, feel free to invite them to join you for the banquet at **6PM!** Whether you'd like to fill a few seats, a table, or multiple tables, we are happy to arrange.

If you are not able to host, *please still invite those that may benefit from hearing about FFM.*

Reservations can be made online at:

[fosteringfamilyministries.org/ffm-resources/made-for-home-fall-benefit](https://fosteringfamilyministries.org/ffm-resources/made-for-home-fall-benefit)  
or by scanning the QR code below.





Ashland Made for Home at Mount Vernon Estates, Ashland, OH on September 26th, 2024 @ 6pm: **Cecil & Boone Stokes**



Knox Made for Home at Knox Memorial Building, Mount Vernon, OH on October 17th, 2024 @6pm: **Krysta Bouquet**

## Sponsorship Levels

(one-time gift or 12-month investment)

### Champion \$15,000+

4 tickets VIP Meet & Greet, reserved seating, **Champion ad at both banquets**

### Advocate \$10,000

4 tickets VIP Meet & Greet, **Advocate ad at both banquets**

### Diamond \$5,000

4 tickets VIP Meet & Greet, **Diamond ad at both banquets**

### Platinum \$2,500

4 tickets VIP Meet & Greet, **Platinum ad at both banquets**

### Gold \$1,000

2 tickets VIP Meet & Greet, Gold ad

### Silver \$500 (Whole Table)

2 tickets VIP Meet & Greet, Silver ad

### Bronze \$250 (Half Table)

2 tickets VIP Meet & Greet, Bronze ad

## Host a table (Already sponsored or sponsor and host)

2 tickets VIP Meet & Greet, host TY packet

Prayerfully choose the impact you will make in the lives of hundreds of children in foster care. Be inspired by a testimony of stepping out in faith to foster & adopt!

All sponsors and hosts are invited to the banquet early-access VIP Meet & Greet 30 minutes prior to the start of the banquet.

Can you attend? R.S.V.P. to FFM 419.496.2507



Name \_\_\_\_\_ Company/Church \_\_\_\_\_

Position/Main Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_

Address (if different than where this was sent) \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ ST \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Please confirm which level of sponsorship you would like by circling it: **Champion (\$15K+)** **Advocate (\$10K)**

I would like to host a table.

**Diamond (\$5K)** **Platinum (\$2,500)**

I would like to be recognized at (circle one if below \$2,500):

**Gold (\$1,000)** **Silver (\$500, whole table)**

**ASHLAND** **KNOX**

**Bronze (\$250, half table)**

I agree to receive future email communication from Fostering Family Ministries.



Digital sponsorship form

Rather sponsor digitally? Scan the QR code above.



# FOR THOSE WHO BOTH HOST AND SPONSOR

Thank you so much for your dedication to FFM and for your gift of time and finances!

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# WHO TO INVITE

- Prayerfully consider those you know who have a **heart for children and youth**.
- Think of those who want to make an **impact on ground zero in their community**, for those who are at risk for human trafficking, homelessness, drug addiction, and incarceration.
- Think of those who are **generous**, whether they are wealthy or living on a tight budget. Consider those who want to invest in the ministry of serving vulnerable kids and families.
- See WHO TO INVITE BRAINSTORM on the following page.

Children in your community need safe, loving homes to find hope and healing. The foster care crisis will end when we have enough foster homes for every child and youth, and enough support friends to surround foster, kinship, birth, and adoptive families with practical support as they help children heal.

**“God sets the lonely in families” Psalm 68:6** and those families are in our churches where children and youth can find hope and healing for now and for eternity.

**Seats are limited for these banquets. Consider how you can fill your table seats with those who will step up to benefit children and families in foster care with their financial support and potential volunteer support.**

# WHO TO INVITE: BRAINSTORM LIST

Think of 25 people you may invite: (online tools allow you to email them)

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List those who can attend and their contact information:

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Have more RSVPs? Give us a call (419) 496-2507 to add any or if you have any questions.

