

## ***100 Men Club donates \$13,300 to Heavenly Hope International supporting victims and survivors of sex trafficking in the Detroit area.***

DETROIT, MI — December 18, 2017 — 100 Men Club, a group of local men committed to making a positive difference within the Metro Detroit communities and their families, announced its latest donation to Heavenly Hope International for \$13,300.

At their December meeting, three charities were nominated, and the membership voted to donate that evening's proceeds to Heavenly Hope International. The nomination was made by 100 Men Club member Greg Avesian, "I was extremely proud to nominate Heavenly Hope International at our December meeting. The donation will have a significant impact on their ability to assist victims and survivors of sex trafficking," said Avesian.

Heavenly Hope International is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization with a mission to offer support and resources to victims and survivors of sex trafficking and those at risk through outreach, advocacy, and educating communities. They are currently focused on serving Detroit, MI and surrounding areas with the goal to reach victims in the U.S. and across the globe.

Laura Fiyak, CEO and Founder of Heavenly Hope International cited a few critical statistics:

- Michigan is ranked #2 in the USA for human/sex trafficking
- Average age of victim is 11 years old. (a stunning tragedy!)
- HHI has served over 1,400 victims, survivors and those at risk to date, with projected budget of \$100k over the next three years

Learn more at <http://heavenlyhopeinternational.org>

100 Men Club was founded in December 2016. The members range from recent college graduates to retirees, with the common intention to build a tradition of helping others. For each member, the positive energy and camaraderie of 100+ men with a sincere purpose to 'give back' is compelling and rewarding. For more information on 100 Men Club, visit [www.100menclub.com](http://www.100menclub.com).

Each quarter, 100+ men donate \$100 each. Candidates for receiving the donation are nominated by any member of the club. One cause is selected through a vote at the meeting, and receives a check for \$10,000+.

Founding member Brian O'Keefe, commented that "100 Men Club is focused on those in our communities who are less fortunate or simply need a helping hand. This donation to Heavenly Hope International is a perfect example of the positive impact we can have on the human spirit. This is what we are all about."

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