

**31,000**

Texas children in foster care seek families.



**34 percent**

of single-parent Texas families live in poverty.



**60 percent**

of Houston children grow up in low-income households.



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Buckner in Houston serves vulnerable children and families as well as seniors by:

- **Protecting** children through foster care and adoption.
- **Engaging**, equipping and elevating struggling families through Family Hope Centers.
- **Empowering** single-parent families through Family Pathways, which provides families a safe place to live so parents can achieve their educational goals.
- **Inspiring happiness™** in the lives of seniors through Buckner Parkway Place.

**Buckner Children and Family Services**  
855-734-1478

**Buckner Family Hope Center at Aldine**  
281-449-4828

**Buckner Family Hope Center at Reed Road**  
346-226-7810

**Buckner Family Pathways**  
346-226-7810

**Buckner Parkway Place**  
281-556-9200

**Volunteer Information**  
[buckner.org/volunteer](http://buckner.org/volunteer)



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**You  
shine  
hope.**

for children, families  
and seniors in Houston



**A heart for  
children  
and families**

You are faith, hope and love in action.

You are filled with passion to help the helpless, defend the defenseless and love the unloved.

You are a need met, a prayer answered and a life redeemed.

**You give hope.**



# Be a Family

# Volunteer

# Inspire happiness™

# Give financially

Nothing shines hope like opening your family to a child in need.

Buckner provides the training and resources needed to become a family to a child for a season through foster care or a forever family through adoption. Children in these programs are most often referred through the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services due to experiencing abuse, neglect or abandonment.

For more information, visit [buckner.org](http://buckner.org) or call 1-855-264-8783.



As a Buckner volunteer, your unique skills and abilities can meet the needs of vulnerable children, fragile families and single parents in your community. Join the movement that has transformed lives since 1879 through hands-on ministry.

Your involvement could change a life. Here's how:



Encourage and support **Buckner foster and adoptive families** along their journeys. Provide child care during trainings and

meetings, help with clerical work in the office and serve as a network of help for families serving children.



Equip, empower and elevate struggling families through the **Buckner Family Hope Center**, a community-based source of hope for vulnerable families.



Strengthen and encourage single-parent families involved in **Buckner Family Pathways**, a program that provides families a

safe place to live so parents can achieve their educational goals.

Learn how you can change a life at [buckner.org/volunteer](http://buckner.org/volunteer).



These are the best years of your life, and we know you're not looking to settle. At Parkway Place, you'll find a community that engages you, cares for you, and invests in you. Here, you won't simply find a place to live, you'll find a place to call home.

As the premier choice for senior living in the Houston area, Parkway Place offers a continuum of care to meet your needs both today and tomorrow. Whether you are an active senior adult looking for an independent lifestyle, or in search of nursing or memory care — you can rest assured that we've got you covered.

And, with our identity as a faith-based nonprofit, we promise to hold ourselves to a Christ-like and servant-hearted standard as we strive to bring you the highest quality of life. At Parkway Place, we promise to inspire happiness, every day.

For more information about Parkway Place, visit [bucknerparkwayplace.com](http://bucknerparkwayplace.com).

You see the needs around you, you want to transform lives and, in doing so, change the world.

Every day, we bring cause-driven people together to do just that.

You are critical to transforming lives through Buckner programs. Together, we can offer help and hope in three significant ways: Strengthening families through Buckner Family Hope Centers, sustaining single mothers and their children through Buckner Family Pathways, and protecting children through Buckner Foster Care and Adoption programs.

For more information about how you can shine hope into the lives of vulnerable children and families, contact Buckner Gift Officer Sandy Biggers at 346-226-7810 or [sbiggers@buckner.org](mailto:sbiggers@buckner.org).

