

Dear Head of Jesus House,

I was in Oklahoma over MLK weekend on a J-Teen Leadership trip. J-Teen leadership is a Jewish Teen lead organization that travels near and far to partake in various community service trips. While in Oklahoma, we helped work on two houses with Habitat for Humanity, learned about the History of Oklahoma through Native Americans, went to the Oklahoma City booming memorial, and worked at the Jesus House. Although each part of the experience was special in its own way, the Jesus House truly resonated with me. I found your mission to help those in need incredible. If it wasn't for your work and dedication, the Jesus House would not be thriving the way it is. At J-teen leadership we believe in doing whatever we can to make a difference, and your mission perfectly embodies this. When visiting the shelter, we had the privilege of talking to some of the people that were staying there and listening to their stories. This was the most moving part about the shelter for me because without the help of the Jesus House, these people have had no hope of their future; by taking them in, you were able to save them and get their lives moving on the right track. Seeing how much of an impact the Jesus House had on the people there was life changing. All of your hard work and dedication is paying off because you are changing the lives of so many people. On behalf of all of J-Teen I wanted to thank you for welcoming us into your community at the Jesus House and giving us an opportunity to help out. Your work is inspiring and you have become a role model for all of teens in J-Teen Leadership. Next time we are in Oklahoma we will be sure to come back and help out.

Thank you again,
Abby Katz