# Syndeo Ministries

"Remember those in prison as if you were bound with them!" Hebrews 13:3 SYNDEO (Greek) Bound with them. This word has two meanings:

- 1. bound in chains; to a prisoner, as a prisoner
- 2. bound, connected in heart, as all believers should be



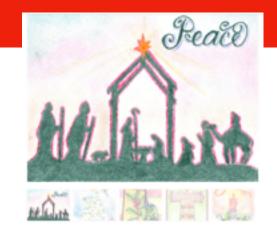
#### It's time for Christmas in White 2017!

Churches and individuals all over the United States partner with Syndeo Ministries to provide Christmas for 2,650 women who are behind bars. This year, to help raise funds for this amazing outreach opportunity, Syndeo Ministries is offering Christmas cards drawn by our discipleship leader inside Lane Murray. Your donations towards these cards could change somebody's life! Christmas in White started with one unit, but this year, our third Christmas in White, we are going to have the honor of providing Christmas to four women's units in Texas! These include the Lane Murray, Mountain View, Hilltop and Hilltop Trustee units. Our hope is to eventually include every women's unit in Texas! This is the only Christmas these ladies will have. Many women inside prison walls often feel forgotten, especially during the Christmas season! To let them know they are remembered and cared about, we will distribute gifts of hygiene products. The prison provides very basic toiletries, so for those women who don't have support from the outside, this may be the only shampoo they receive all year. Each woman will receive a large family size shampoo, conditioner, toothpaste, deodorant, lotion, hair ties, coloring cards and Hershey kisses. The total cost of this outreach will exceed \$30,000. Please help us meet this goal.

Everyone needs Christmas cards. Purchase your cards from Syndeo and make a huge difference in someone's life. Partner with us to sell these cards, which are available in two assortments, by downloading or by accessing the pamphlet with the order form on our website. Donations can also be made directly through Syndeo Ministries website at www.syndeoministries.com or by mail. Thank you so much for partnering with us. We couldn't do this ministry without you!!

To donate now or download a brochure click here: <a href="http://www.syndeoministries.com/christmas-in-white-2017.html">http://www.syndeoministries.com/christmas-in-white-2017.html</a>







## The Construction Has Begun!

We've been so blessed as groups have come to Syndeo Ranch to help us with construction of the bunkhouse. This bunkhouse will sleep 25 ladies who will go through our discipleship/transitional program. Many of these ladies have no where else to go. There is a waiting list already for this program and new requests are received regularly.

We are very excited about the progress made on this building. Each stage of this project is accomplished as the Lord provides both financial and labor help. It is so neat to see His provision! If your church or group is interested in scheduling a work project to help with this endeavor, please let us know.





### **Deed for Syndeo Ranch**

We recently were able to sign the official deed for Syndeo Ranch. Many years ago God used Calvary Commission to bless my family when I was raised on Creekwood Ranch. Calvary Commission continued to bless us by donating the property that is now Syndeo Ranch, and by finalizing the deed for the property this month. We moved here a year ago in June and have been working on remodeling the main house. This house will be used for classes, Bible Studies, offices, dining and kitchen. We are now beginning the bunkhouse and are looking forward to the day it can open. We can't wait to see what all God has planned!

#### **A Word From Larry**

A wood frame is being laid on the hill outside. This structure will some day be a home for the ladies God has already chosen to live there. I am blessed to see how God is bringing the laborers, but more than that how He is uniting the hearts of youth, men and women, with a burden of love for those who will come to Syndeo. I can't help but wonder how lives will be changed over the years and am filled with excitement about the hope that God will bring through the love of His people! We have just started this new project, and I know we will face some difficulties, but I also know His plans are so much greater than mine. Thank you to all of you who have listened as God laid on your hearts the desire to help. Whether you have spent time with us driving nails or digging holes, folding cards or painting, or have supported us financially or prayerfully, my hope is that you see the fruit that comes from faithfulness to what God has called you to do.





If you would like to host a private showing of "Until Proven Innocent: The Hannah Overton Story," please contact us. We have been given permission by the producers to have private showings at a suggested donation of \$10 a person. All proceeds go to Syndeo Ministries!



It is only by the prayers of many that this ministry not only came about, but continues. Please pray that we show God's love to those we meet, touch, speak with, write to, and visit with. And that the words we say and write will make everlasting changes. Please also continue to pray for the ladies inside, as they grow in His love.

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