

Miriam's Promise

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND  
INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT**

For the Years Ended December 31, 2010 and 2009

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**INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT**

To the Board of Directors of  
Miriam's Promise  
Nashville, Tennessee

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial position of Miriam's Promise (a nonprofit organization) as of December 31, 2010 and 2009, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the years then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Organization's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audits to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Miriam's Promise as of December 31, 2010 and 2009, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

*Dempsey Vantrease & Follis PLLC*

Murfreesboro, Tennessee  
June 16, 2011

**STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION**

December 31, 2010 and 2009

<b>ASSETS</b>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2009</u>
Cash in banks	\$ 76,339	\$ 76,646
Accounts receivable (net allowance of \$4,265 for 2010 and 2009)	26,947	28,354
Pledges receivable	1,303	3,535
Property and equipment	<u>13,045</u>	<u>28,906</u>
<b>Total Assets</b>	<u><u>\$ 117,634</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 137,441</u></u>
 <b>LIABILITIES</b>		
Accounts payable and deferred revenue	\$ 22,467	\$ 8,812
Accrued expenses	<u>33,597</u>	<u>34,727</u>
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	56,064	43,539
 <b>NET ASSETS-unrestricted</b>	<u>61,570</u>	<u>93,902</u>
 Total Liabilities and Net Assets	<u><u>\$ 117,634</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 137,441</u></u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

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**STATEMENTS OF ACTIVITIES**

Years Ended December 31, 2010 and 2009

	2010	2009
<b>UNRESTRICTED REVENUES AND SUPPORT</b>		
Contributions	\$ 174,133	\$ 177,378
Grants	37,530	36,010
Special event revenue	168,486	199,669
Program revenue- adoption related fees	173,135	179,033
Other	229	156
	<u>553,513</u>	<u>592,246</u>
Total revenues	553,513	592,246
<b>EXPENSES</b>		
Program service		
Adoption expenses	285,546	261,746
Pregnancy counseling	103,484	118,961
Supporting expenses		
Management and general	76,414	89,109
Fundraising	102,001	152,625
Cost of direct benefits to donors	18,400	21,200
	<u>585,845</u>	<u>643,641</u>
Total expenses	585,845	643,641
Decrease in Net Assets	(32,332)	(51,395)
Net Assets at Beginning of Year	<u>93,902</u>	<u>145,297</u>
Net Assets at End of Year	<u>\$ 61,570</u>	<u>\$ 93,902</u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

**STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS**

Years Ended December 31, 2010 and 2009

	<u>2010</u>	<u>2009</u>
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:</b>		
Decrease in net assets	\$ (32,332)	\$ (51,395)
To reconcile decrease in net assets to net cash used in operating activities		
Depreciation	15,932	15,896
(Increase) decrease in:		
Accounts receivable	1,407	19,101
Pledges receivable	2,232	(472)
Increase in:		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	<u>12,525</u>	<u>1,334</u>
NET CASH USED IN OPERATING ACTIVITIES	(236)	(15,536)
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:</b>		
Purchase of equipment and improvements	<u>(71)</u>	<u>(2,262)</u>
NET CASH USED IN INVESTING ACTIVITIES	<u>(71)</u>	<u>(2,262)</u>
<b>NET DECREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS</b>	(307)	(17,798)
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year	<u>76,646</u>	<u>94,444</u>
<b>CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, END OF YEAR</b>	<u><u>\$ 76,339</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 76,646</u></u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

STATEMENTS OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES

For the Year Ended December 31, 2010

	Program Services		Supporting Services		
	Adoption Services	Pregnancy Counseling	Management & General	Fundraising	Direct Benefit to Donors
					Total
Salaries and wages	\$ 168,522	\$ 49,932	\$ 37,449	\$ 56,174	\$ -
Payroll taxes	13,425	3,978	2,983	4,475	-
Employee benefits	21,602	6,401	4,800	7,201	-
	203,549	60,311	45,232	67,850	-
Advertising	9,768	9,768	-	-	-
Bad debt	-	-	2,475	75	-
Bank charges	-	-	2,485	2,485	-
Conferences and events	-	-	-	17,182	18,400
Contract services	231	231	462	-	-
Depreciation expense	3,983	3,983	5,576	2,390	-
Dues and subscriptions	623	623	-	-	-
Equipment Rental	2,532	1,266	1,266	1,266	-
Family aid	-	3,691	-	-	-
Insurance	8,027	8,027	4,013	-	-
License and fees	350	-	-	-	-
Maintenance	3,126	1,563	1,563	1,563	-
Miscellaneous expense	937	936	1,876	936	-
Other	319	319	638	319	-
Postage and shipping	1,504	1,504	376	376	-
Printing and publications	460	460	920	460	-
Professional fees	24,590	-	4,382	-	-
Rent	10,949	3,244	2,433	3,650	-
Supplies	2,424	1,212	1,212	1,212	-
Telephone	2,780	1,390	1,390	1,390	-
Training	2,523	-	114	285	-
Travel and lodging	6,872	4,957	-	563	-
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 285,546	\$ 103,484	\$ 76,414	\$ 102,001	\$ 18,400
					\$ 585,846

See accompanying notes to financial statement.

## STATEMENTS OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES

For the Year Ended December 31, 2009

	Program Services		Supporting Services			Total
	Adoption Services	Pregnancy Counseling	Management & General	Fundraising	Direct Benefits to Donors	
Salaries and wages	\$ 154,326	\$ 63,007	\$ 43,628	\$ 93,627	-	\$ 354,588
Payroll taxes	12,173	4,970	3,441	7,385	-	27,969
Employee benefits	15,708	6,413	4,441	9,530	-	36,092
	<u>182,207</u>	<u>74,390</u>	<u>51,510</u>	<u>110,542</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>418,649</u>
Advertising	9,085	9,085	-	-	-	18,170
Bad debt	7,208	-	5,715	-	-	12,923
Bank charges	-	-	1,951	1,951	-	3,902
Special fundraising events	-	-	-	21,724	21,200	42,924
Contract services	482	482	1,151	-	-	2,115
Depreciation expense	3,974	3,974	5,564	2,384	-	15,896
Dues and subscriptions	449	-	331	-	-	780
Equipment rental	2,658	953	1,180	1,693	-	6,484
Family aid	8,391	5,848	-	-	-	14,239
Insurance	8,711	8,711	4,357	-	-	21,779
License and fees	107	-	-	-	-	107
Maintenance	2,302	1,151	1,151	1,151	-	5,755
Miscellaneous expense	544	544	1,087	544	-	2,719
Other	520	-	65	984	-	1,569
Postage and shipping	2,793	400	-	1,463	-	4,656
Printing and publications	782	-	1,565	1,565	-	3,912
Professional fees	8,925	-	4,806	-	-	13,731
Rent	7,764	4,494	3,272	3,882	-	19,412
Supplies	1,521	1,216	2,433	912	-	6,082
Telephone	3,098	1,124	1,392	2,037	-	7,651
Training	4,030	-	104	280	-	4,414
Travel and lodging	6,195	6,589	1,475	1,513	-	15,772
	<u>\$ 261,746</u>	<u>\$ 118,961</u>	<u>\$ 89,109</u>	<u>\$ 152,625</u>	<u>\$ 21,200</u>	<u>\$ 643,641</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES						

See accompanying notes to financial statement.



**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

December 31, 2010 and 2009

**NOTE A—NATURE OF ACTIVITIES AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

Nature of Activities

Miriam's Promise is a non-profit Tennessee corporation. The Organization was established as an independent entity on January 1, 2003 after spinning off from Holston Home for Children. The mission of the Organization is to counsel and assist pregnant women, birthparents, and adoptive parents as they consider and plan for the well-being of children before, during, and after birth, and to conduct such other activities related to this mission as should arise from time to time.

Basis of Accounting

The Organization prepares its financial statements on the accrual basis of accounting which recognizes revenues when earned and expenses as they are incurred.

Allowance for Doubtful Accounts

An allowance for doubtful accounts is provided based on estimated collectability of current receivables.

Contributed Services

During the year ended December 31, 2010 and 2009, the value of contributed services meeting the requirements for recognition in the financial statements was not material and has not been recorded. In addition, many individuals volunteer their time and perform a variety of tasks that assist the Organization at their fundraising activities, but these services do not meet the criteria for recognition as contributed services.

Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

Promises to Give

Unconditional promises to give are recognized as revenues or gains in the period received and as assets, decreases of liabilities, or expenses depending on the form of the benefits received. Conditional promises to give are recognized only when the conditions on which they depend are substantially met and the promises become unconditional.

Property and Equipment

It is the Organization's policy to capitalize property and equipment at cost. Maintenance and ordinary repairs are expensed. Donations of property and equipment are recorded as contributions at their estimated fair value. Such donations are reported as unrestricted contributions unless the donor has restricted the donated asset to a specific purpose. Assets donated with explicit restrictions regarding their use and contributions of cash that must be used to acquire property and equipment are reported as restricted contributions. Absent donor stipulations regarding how long those donated assets must be maintained, the Organization reports expirations of donor restrictions when the donated or acquired assets are placed in service as instructed by the donor.

**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

December 31, 2010 and 2009

**NOTE A—NATURE OF ACTIVITIES AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING  
POLICIES(CONTINUED)**

Financial Statement Presentation

The Organization reports information regarding its contributions, financial position and activities according to three classes of net assets: unrestricted net assets, temporarily restricted net assets, and permanently restricted net assets. Restricted contributions whose restrictions are met in the period the contributions are received are reported as unrestricted contributions. Unrestricted net assets are not subject to donor-imposed stipulations.

Temporarily restricted net assets are subject to donor imposed stipulations that can be fulfilled by actions of the organization pursuant to those stipulations or that expire by the passage of time. No temporarily restricted assets were held during 2010 and 2009.

Permanently restricted net assets are subject to donor-imposed stipulations that they be maintained permanently by the organization. Generally, the donors of such assets permit the organization to use all or part of the income earned on the assets. No permanently restricted net assets were held during 2010 and 2009.

Revenues are reported as increases in unrestricted net assets unless use of the related assets is limited by donor-imposed restrictions. Expenses are reported as decreases in unrestricted net assets. Gains and losses on investments and other assets or liabilities are reported as increases or decreases in unrestricted net assets unless their use is restricted by explicit donor stipulation or by law. Expirations of temporary restrictions on net assets (i.e. the donor stipulated purpose has been fulfilled and/or the stipulated time period has elapsed) are reported as reclassification between the applicable classes of net assets.

Designated net assets are unrestricted funds the Organization's board has designated for the purpose of establishing an endowment fund. This fund differs from restricted funds in that the designation was made by the board of the Organization. Restricted funds operate under restrictions set by those outside the Organization's board, council or administration.

Income Taxes

The Organization is a not-for-profit organization that is exempt from income taxes under Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and classified by the Internal Revenue Service as other than a private foundation. Accordingly, no provision for income taxes has been made in the accompanying financial statements. At December 31, 2010, the Organization's tax returns related to fiscal years ended December 31, 2007 through December 31, 2010 remain open to examination by tax authorities.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

For purposes of the statements of cash flows, the Organization considers funds held in the operational checking accounts and the savings accounts to be cash equivalents. From time to time, cash may be held in the investment account but is not considered to be cash equivalents.

**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

December 31, 2010 and 2009

**NOTE A—NATURE OF ACTIVITIES AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES(CONTINUED)**

Advertising

The costs of advertising are expenses as incurred.

**NOTE B - PROMISES TO GIVE**

The amount of promises to give outstanding as of December 31, 2010 and 2009 are \$1,303 and \$3,535 respectively. All promises to give are due within one year.

**NOTE C - PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT**

Property and equipment consist of the following as of December 31:

	<u>2010</u>	<u>2009</u>
Furniture and equipment	\$ 34,942	\$ 34,872
Leasehold improvements	<u>66,304</u>	<u>66,304</u>
	101,246	101,176
Accumulated depreciation	<u>(88,201)</u>	<u>(72,270)</u>
	<u>\$ 13,045</u>	<u>\$ 28,906</u>

Property and equipment is valued at original cost except for assets transferred from Holston Home for Children prior to 2003. Those assets have been presented at an estimated fair market value at the date transferred from Holston Home for Children. Depreciation of equipment is computed over a useful live of 5 years using the straight-line method of depreciation. Depreciation of leasehold improvements is computed over a useful life of 5 years using the straight-line method because the office space is only guaranteed for a 5 year period. Depreciation expense for 2010 and 2009 is \$15,932 and \$15,896, respectively.

**NOTE D - DESCRIPTION OF LEASING ARRANGEMENTS**

The organization leases office space from the Tulip Street United Methodist Church for \$1,500 monthly. The organization is in the process of finalizing a new lease with the Church which provides for a monthly rental of \$2,000 starting in 2011. The organization expects the lease to give them the right to renew the lease annually. Total rental expense for the years ended December 31, 2010 and 2009 was \$18,000 for each year.

**NOTE E - CONCENTRATION OF RISK**

The Organization is highly dependent on revenues from adoption services as well as charitable contributions from donors in the middle Tennessee area and is thus impacted by the local economic environment.

**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

December 31, 2010 and 2009

**NOTE F - RETIREMENT PLAN**

The Organization sponsors a defined contribution IRC 403(b) plan for its employees. The plan covers substantially all employees. The Organization contributed \$20,975 and \$18,050 in 2010 and 2009, respectively, to the plan.

**NOTE G - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

Subsequent events have been evaluated through June 16, 2011, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued. Based on the evaluation no significant subsequent events were noted.