

HOPE



Be strong and take heart,
all you who hope in the Lord.
Psalm 31:24

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A REASON TO HOPE

Dear Friends, Donors, and Volunteers,

As we enter a new season in the life of our ministry, we want to pause first to **thank God for His faithfulness** and to **thank each of you** for the incredible role you have played in this mission. Through your prayers, generosity, service, and encouragement, lives have been touched and hope has been shared in ways only eternity will fully reveal.

As you know, Kathryn Roy stepped into a well-earned retirement after years of faithful leadership and service. We are deeply grateful for the foundation that has been built through dedication, compassion, and unwavering trust in the Lord. While transitions can bring uncertainty, they also open the door for fresh vision, renewed energy, and exciting opportunities for God to continue His work.

As we search for a new director, we are holding tightly to the promise found in **Psalm 31:24: "Be strong and take heart, all you who hope in the Lord."** Our hope has never been in one person alone—it has always been in God's guidance and provision. We believe He has the right leader prepared for this next chapter. We are excited about what lies ahead and confident God continues to lead this ministry.

We ask you to join us in praying:

- For the Love INC leader God is preparing.
- For peace and renewed vision within our ministry.
- For continued strength and encouragement for all who serve.

Together, we move forward with **courage, gratitude, and expectation for all God will do next.**



Some past & present Board and Staff

Thank you for standing with us through every season. We are truly blessed by your faithful support and excited to see how the Lord continues to work through this ministry.

With hope and gratitude,

Michelle Hinz
Love INC Board Chair

Legacy Celebration

Early on a Thursday in April, over 175 Love INC supporters and friends gathered to celebrate the big-hearted leader behind the last 10 years of Love INC. One guest remarked, "It was standing room only!" and another mentioned seeing "many smiles as well as tears." It was a morning to celebrate God's faithfulness and Kathryn Roy's dedication to this work. She has been an inspiration to many, and we wish her well in her retirement. What a blessing that the work continues, too, as God is not finished with Love INC yet! We are grateful to partner with Him as He furthers His work of transforming lives and community In the Name of Christ.



RENEWED TREASURES

Did you know it takes 80+ volunteers + staff to run the store weekly? Donations are increasing. Shoppers keep returning, for which we're grateful. And the wonderful Volunteers still find time to enjoy themselves, as they did during the Hats Off to Spring event (*left photo*), when they donned their best caps and fascinators.

By far the highlight of this year so far is winning Best of Mile High for the 2nd year in a row! Thanks to all who voted. And Terry the Treasure Hunter is still up to his antics, spreading the word about store finds on social media, along with the occasional shoppers' treasure hunt.



Follow along on socials



IMPACT

IMPACT kicked off the year with a Facilitator training (*center photo*) and great winter and spring sessions. One new event this season was a special 1-night workshop on "Overcoming Fear" which participants found quite helpful for their ongoing growth. Of course Pizza Night was definitely a win with the IMPACT family, as was Fun Hat Night. As the IMPACT Team says, "God's faithfulness sometimes shows up with a hat and a smile! We love to show our silly side to break up the heaviness that is part of life."

Valor Christian workday



Littleton Business Chamber



New staff welcome



Runners Roost event



Connection Center & Gaps

Love INC is thrilled that multiple Church Partners hosted diaper drives this quarter, which fills an ongoing resource need in our community. Furniture is in high demand as well, and we are blessed when donations keep our Furnishing Hope teams busy (*right photo*). The call volume in the Connection Center remains elevated, as our faithful volunteers connect with clients on the phones, offering helpful resources and heartfelt prayers. God is good.



Annual Report available now!



The February annual Church Partner Lunch focused on how God "abundantly blesses us so we can overflow His love onto others" (Love INC's mission!) and included breakout speaker, Dr. Gary Hoag.




Volunteer Appreciation Week was a chance to show how much we love our volunteers. Plus, Love INC launched the Love Bears All Things activity. Those bears were busy!

Learn more about #LoveBearsAllThings



Don't miss these upcoming events...


RSVP with Love INC at 303-794-5683 [LOVE]
or visit LoveInCLittleton.org/events



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**Qdoba
Fundraiser
Night**

TUESDAY
JUNE 2, 2026



**Renewed
Treasures**
A Resale Ministry of Love In The Name of Christ

**National
Night Out**

TUESDAY
AUGUST 4, 2026



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**Vision
Carrier
Event**

THURSDAY
AUGUST 6, 2026



IMPACT
A Transformational Ministry of Love In The Name of Christ

**Fall
Session
Launch**

THURSDAY
SEPTEMBER 10, 2026



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**Love INC
Fall Gala**

THURSDAY
SEPTEMBER 24, 2026

Support Love INC while enjoying some queso

Qdoba
6703 S University, Centennial

Celebrate Littleton first responders in our community

Renewed Treasures
6512 S Broadway, Littleton

Summer backyard social event with Vision Carriers

Love INC Office
5745 S Bannock, Littleton

New session of classes begins for fall

South Fellowship
6560 S Broadway, Littleton

Fundraiser event to support transformed lives & communities

McDonald Hyundai
1400 Plum Valley Ln, H.Ranch

We welcome the newest Love INC Littleton church partner, St Thomas More.



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