

Dear Jasmine Road Staff, Partners & Volunteers...

I would like to thank you all for your support, time, and true dedication to helping combat this war that has been waged against women since biblical times. Over the years, there have been far too many women lost to this dreadfully shamed stamp of Harlett. Devalue, worthlessness, despicable servant, property; all of these were names I as a survivor, along with countless others have been forced to believe about ourselves. We were labeled the nameless and voiceless.

It wasn't until 2012 that South Carolina developed the first Human Trafficking Task Force. Finally providing a real platform with legal, criminal ramifications to violators, who imprisoned, sold, traded, used, abused, and threw so many of us away.

Today, I am in full gratitude for this life changing program that has vowed to stand with us and be our voice. Jasmine Road has helped this survivor to stand and be heard. I now have a safe place of genuine love to not only rest and heal but explore just how great of me I can be. For so long, below average was my normal. Trying but not succeeding. No more!

My value will no longer be measured in numbers. Through the scale of resources offered by Jasmine Road and their partners, I not only can cry and talk through my past trauma, more important I can look myself in the mirror and know that I am capable of giving and receiving healthy love. I can also smile and laugh from the inside out with a genuine joy in my soul. The blessings are abundant here! With the help of Jasmine Road's loving, guiding hand and God's mercy; finally, there are no limits to my achievements in all areas of my life.

Much Love & Many Blessings

Grateful Survivor, 2021