



SAFE HAVEN MINISTRIES

"A place of refuge and hope" Ps 46:1

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A Monthly Note with Ideas for Connecting with Safe Haven Ministries

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"Tell Your Sister"

Why don't women earn as much as men? How can women break the cycle of domestic abuse? What are some of the leading health issues women face? These important questions will be explored in the **WOTV 4 WOOD TV8 Special Presentation, "Tell Your Sister."**

"Tell Your Sister" airs Thursday, June 30, 2005, from 7:00-7:30 p.m. on both WOTV 4 and WOOD TV8. The half-hour special is aimed

at helping women tackle today's tough issues. West Michigan women share their own stories of overcoming heart disease and the importance of getting enough sleep; escaping from domestic abuse and helping others find a way out; creating equality in the workplace and finding balance between work and family; and the power of female friendships.

Jennifer Marcum, Executive Director at Safe Haven, and

Mary Wood-Agents, member of the Survivors' Project at Safe Haven, were both interviewed for this special program.

For more information on the **WOTV 4 and WOOD TV8 Special Presentation "Tell Your Sister,"** please contact Jamie Allen at (616) 771-9692 or visit our websites at www.wotv.com or www.woodtv.com.

What's New

July 11, 2005, "I Feel Better Now" sessions begin.

July 19, Domestic Violence Orientation

July 25 and August 1, Parts 1 and 2 of Volunteer Training

August 1, Annual Golf Outing at Watermark

Visit our website for more details at www.safehavenministries.org

Our Summer 2005 newsletter will be on the web soon—check it out!

**DOMESTIC VIOLENCE:
IT IS YOUR BUSINESS**

Did You Know?

The **Meijer Community Rewards Program** is a great way to support Safe Haven Ministries as you do your regular shopping. Our Organization Number is 979075, and you can join the program by going to Meijer.com/rewards. Or you can pick up an application at any Meijer store or at our office.

Safe Haven Highlights

Our **Protective Hands** program has an immediate need for volunteers for our children's programming on Thursday nights. For more information and to apply, please call our Volunteer Coordinator, Jami Roach, at 452-6664.

The **Raise Hope** program announces the following local drop-off locations for your used cell phones:

- Calvin College, 3201 Burton SE, Financial Services Office, Spoelhof Center
- Kent County Court House, 180 Ottawa NW, Victim Witness Office

- Kentwood Christian Church, 5841 Kalamazoo SE
- Kentwood Community Church, 1200 60th St. SE
- Kentwood Police Department, 4742 Walma Ave., SE, Victim Services Office
- WOOD TV8, 120 College Ave. SE

