



# Wellsprings Village, Inc.



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First Quarter 2013

## *Celebrating 25 Years*



Jeanette Clift George



First Lady Barbara Bush

Our Founders in 1997  
Sr. Rita Owens, O.P. and  
Sr. Justin Farinella, O.P.



Notable Speakers:  
Jeanette Clift George, First Lady Barbara Bush,  
County Judge Ed Emmett, Susan G. Baker



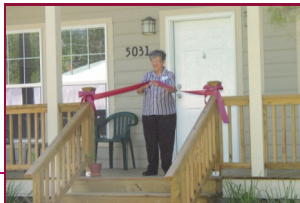
Susan G. Baker



County Judge Ed Emmett



The original "Dream Team"  
back row: Sr. Rita Owens, Jennifer  
Holmes, and Valerie Beckham, front row  
Irene Tapner and Sr. Justin Farinella



Ribbon cutting  
at the village



Our first home



Another early home



The start of our Village

*Wellsprings Founders Luncheon*  
*Guest Speaker*

*Shannon M. Deitz*

*Hopeful Hearts Ministry*



Founder and author, Shannon Deitz reaches out to survivors of abuse and those suffering debilitating loss. Shannon's life journey takes her from two decades of alcohol abuse, rape and a history of destructive relationships, to the redemptive power of God's healing grace, leading to the HOPEFUL HEARTS MINISTRY and her book *Exposed*. Her ministry exists to help others understand their worth and realize their full potential.

Wednesday, May 29, 2013

11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Junior League

1811 Briar Oaks Lane

Houston, TX 77027

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Or call 281-242-8764

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**Tables of 10 levels**

\$700  
\$1,000  
\$1,500  
\$2,500

**Individual Tickets**

\$75  
\$100  
\$150  
\$250



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Through the years



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We would like to expand the current list of organizations that provide support for Wellsprings Village.

We are deeply appreciative of the monetary and in-kind support you currently provide. To enlarge the number of our contacts, we ask that you give names of other organizations in which you participate. We will contact your organization and request support. We will identify you in the request to your organization unless you prefer otherwise. It would be helpful if a contact person in the organization were identified. Any organization is a candidate for support. Prospective organizations include but are not limited to: Faith organizations, (Church, Synagogue, Mosque etc.), Service organizations (Rotary, Kiwanis etc.), Fraternal organizations (Sororities, Fraternities, Knights of Columbus, Masons, etc.), Place of employment (including matching fund plans) and other similar groups. This area is an important support source for WV and the Board of Directors deeply appreciates your responses to this request. Contact Desmond Startin in our office (713-529-6559) with your information. We look forward to hearing from you. Thank you.

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*4th Annual Founders Luncheon  
And our 25th anniversary celebration*

Guest Speaker

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*Founder of Hopeful Hearts Ministry*

*Hear her inspirational story and  
her message of life-changing hope.*

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