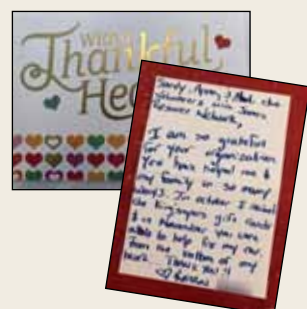




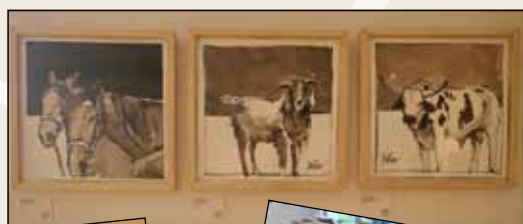
We enter this new year filled with a renewed sense of grace and hope that we will all endure less struggle, hardship, fear and uncertainty.

The past year has put more of our already stressed families into crisis mode, primarily in the areas of food, transportation, childcare, housing and employment. We have devoted far more resources for emergency relief through this pandemic than we normally would, even as we continue to move forward with our housing projects.

Over the past year we have assisted many of our single parent families with pressing needs—e.g., school supplies, food, auto repair, insurance, car donations and holiday outreach. We have been stepping up our efforts to provide community and connection with our families during this time of isolation.



In 2020, we launched **Art in Action**, which is a partnership with artists from around the nation who have a heart for our mission and assist us with fundraising. This past September, we hosted a live **Art Exhibition and Sale**. Considering all of the challenges we encountered hosting this event during a pandemic, we were pleased with our success and look forward to hosting this event annually.



We are currently hosting a **Virtual Art Exhibition and Sale**, which will be live through the end of February. Items in this sale include fine art, fiber art, giclée prints, functional art and jewelry. Please take a look and check back often, as the artists change out and add to their offerings. The JRN receives 30% of all sales from this virtual show (100% of the fiber art pieces, which were donated to us by the artist, Jandel Allen-Davis), so it's a great way to give and receive the gift of art while supporting single-parent families and small business!

Click the **Virtual Fundraiser** tab in the menu or visit <https://www.jamesresourcenetwork.com/online-store/>

## Gratitude

Sincerely, we could not do what we do without our amazing volunteers.

**Anna Miller** has been a volunteer with the JRN since 2012 and I can honestly say we would be LOST without her.

Anna is our admin and she oversees screening and communications with our clients, runs our data base and is a crucial team member for all of our events, overseeing our projects and keeping us all organized. She does it all with a smile on her face and joy in her heart—she is truly a gift to our organization.



**Cheryl Moody** works with Anna on all of our events, communicates with our clients and donors and helps us track our database. She is Anna's right arm and is integral in keeping us organized.



Anna and Cheryl ran our **holiday outreach project** and executed it flawlessly! We are so very grateful to these two women who dedicate themselves to our single parent families, heart and soul.

To you, we send our sincere thanks and heartfelt gratitude for your continuing support of our organization and our single-parent families and in helping us attain our goals. Your donations through Giving Tuesday and Colorado Gives gave us a tremendous boost in our ability to serve our families and provide them with the support that they so desperately need. Without you, we would not be able to impact the lives of our clients as we do.

Blessings to you and your families for the New Year!

Sandra Coen  
Founder, James Resource Network