

Reflections On

HOPE

*Deadline for
submitting entries is
July 31, 2008.*

**YOU ARE INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN
CATHOLIC CHARITIES' NEWEST PROJECT
— "REFLECTIONS ON HOPE".**

"Reflections on Hope" is a year-long effort to collect stories of inspiration and hope — from students, parishioners, clergy/ religious, and other residents of the Diocese of Austin who have been touched by either God or man. These stories will be compiled into a book of hope for daily inspiration and direction. The small devotional will be published during Lenten season and distributed to friends of Catholic Charities and families who have sought help from Catholic Charities during times of financial or personal crisis.

If you or anyone you know has been inspired or touched by someone who gave you hope or who needed hope, please consider taking a few moments to share your experience, the strength that you found in it, and the hope you wish to share with others.

**Mail entries to: ATTN: "Reflections on Hope", Catholic Charities of Central Texas
1817 East 6th Street, Austin, Texas 78702**

**Fax to 512-651-6101, ATTN: "Reflections on Hope" or by Email to
catholic-charities@austindiocese.org, SUBJECT LINE: Reflections on Hope**

Questions? Contact 512-651-6100 Forms can be downloaded at www.ccctx.org

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RELEASE FORM: Reflections on Hope Project

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Reflections on Hope Project
1817 East 6th Street
Austin, Texas 78702

Submitted by: (please print)

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Address _____
City, State Zip _____

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Telephone _____
Email _____

RELEASE:

I, _____,
submit this entry for inclusion into the Catholic Charities project, "Reflections on Hope." I understand that I will not be compensated for my work, that Catholic Charities retains the right to edit the entry as it sees fit for inclusion in its project and/or publication, and will all rights, title, and interest in my work and all results and proceeds from said use. I understand that Catholic Charities may include my entry in a booklet designed to raise funds that support the programs of Catholic Charities of Austin. The rights given are perpetual and are an inducement for Catholic Charities to include my submission in the Catholic Charities project, "Reflections on Hope." Catholic Charities is not obligated to make any use of my submission or exercise any of the rights granted by me by this release.



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Signature _____

Date _____



Submitted by: (please print) _____

Are you a: (circle all that apply to you)

Resident of the Diocese of Austin

Client or Volunteer of Catholic Charities

Student

Clergy/ Religious

Parishioner

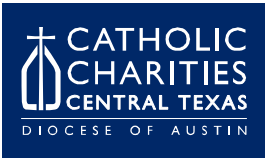
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SECTION 1

Please describe a time in your life, when you experienced a difficult challenge, loss, or situation. What were the circumstances? How did this impact your hope in God, or the future? (Maximum: 200 words)

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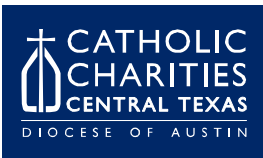
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SECTION 2

How did you overcome this situation? What gave you a renewed sense of hope? What does hope mean to you? Is there a scripture or a person that inspired you in your faith? (Maximum: 200 words)

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