

Survey for Former Residents and Associates of the United Methodist Children's Home Alabama and West Florida

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For questions or to return this form...

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Name _____

Spouse Name _____

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1. Check all that apply?

- I am a former resident
- I am a former associate (employee or volunteer) who worked with the children
- I have never lived or worked at the United Methodist Children's Home (Please return the form in the enclosed envelope, and we will update our records. We apologize for the inconvenience.)

2. When did you live/work at the Children's Home? _____

3. Where did you live/work? If in Selma, what was your cottage or floor number? _____

FOR FORMER RESIDENTS

4. Which siblings, if any, were with you at the home? Please include their maiden and married names and addresses if possible. Use additional sheets if necessary.

5. For the most part, how did you feel while you were living at the Children's Home?

- I felt secure and loved.
- I felt insecure and scared.
- I felt resentful and angry.
- I don't remember.
- (in your own words) _____

6. For the most part, how do you currently feel about the time you spent at the Children's Home?

- I am grateful for the time I spent there and for the people who cared for me.
- I am not sure whether it was the best place for me.
- I wish that I had never lived there.

(in your own words) _____

7. Please describe your feelings toward the current Children's Home (check all that apply)?
- I feel as if the people in the current organization are my family.
 - I respect and appreciate the work of the Children's Home.
 - I do not feel any particular way toward the current organization.
 - I am unhappy with some things about the current Children's Home. Namely, _____
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- (in your own words) _____
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FOR EVERYONE

8. How are you involved with the work of the Children's Home (check all that apply)?
- I currently used to might like to do not ... give money to support the ministry.
 - I currently used to might like to do not ... receive mailings and e-mail news from the ministry.
 - I currently used to might like to do not ... work with the children living at the Home.
 - I currently used to might like to do not ... assist and mentor those who have left the home.
 - I currently used to might like to do not ... represent the Children's Home by speaking to groups.
 - I currently used to might like to do not ... serve on the Board of Directors.
 - I currently used to might like to do not ... pray for the Children's Home.
 - I currently used to might like to do not ... meet with the Alumni Association.
 - I currently used to might like to do not ... include the Children's Home in my will.
 - I currently used to might like to do not ... use my investments to help the Home.
 - I currently used to might like to _____
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9. If you would like to get together with other former residents/associates of the home, how often could you meet? Annually More frequently Less frequently

10. With which of these groups would you want to meet (check all that apply)?
- Former residents/associates from my Children's Home location
 - Former residents/associates from other Children's Home locations
 - Current residents/associates

11. Do you have any preferences or limitations as to where you would like to meet? _____
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12. Would you like someone from the Children's Home to contact you? Yes No

13. Please make any other comments here, including how you think the United Methodist Children's Home Alumni Association can better serve you, the current organization, the children it serves or the United Methodist Conferences.
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