



Reverse Garage Sale



Watch for details of a Reverse Garage Sale in April benefitting Interfaith Housing Coalition's mission to provide transitional housing for families in need. We're going to help furnish apartments with household items – furniture, kitchen equipment, linens, etc. – that we no longer need. It's a worthwhile reason to clear out the garage and the back of the cabinets, but without the hassle of actually holding a garage sale. We'll just gather everything together in a central location for pick-up. It's a chance to de-clutter the house, do something good, get a tax receipt and have a party, too.

INTERFAITH HOUSING COALITION

Things we can use in new/gently used condition

Furniture (couches/end tables, small dining sets, dressers/chests/night stands)
 Kitchen linens -rug, cup towels, pot holders, placemats, napkins/napkin rings
 Dish racks/drainers
 Silverware sets
 Water/juice glasses (sets of at least 4 ea)
 Dishes, serving bowls
 Cookie sheets/muffin pans/oblong cake pans
 Canister sets, mixing bowls
 Microwaves
 Toasters
 Small coffee makers
 Trash cans
 Alarm clocks
 Queen- or twin-size bedding (must be clean and "like new")
 Bathroom linens (shower curtains/rings/towel sets)
 Irons/ironing boards
 Decorative items (art, floral arrangements, knick-knacks)

What we cannot use

Anything in "worn" condition (torn, thinning, broken, dirty)
 Anything with dog/cat hair on it
 Appliances/gadgets that are not a necessity (thinking of limited storage space)
 Partial sets of dishes, glasses, silverware, etc.
 Anything king-size (linens, pillows, beds, bed frames, etc.)



Interfaith Housing Coalition was founded in 1985 to provide transitional housing and support services to homeless families. The program is open to families with children who are able and willing to work, and are drug- and alcohol-free. The Home & Hope Residential Program usually lasts 9-12 months and provides the following:

- Transitional housing in 49 private apartments
- Assessment and case management
- Employment and job search program
- Budget & financial literacy training
- Counseling and pastoral care for adults and teens, play therapy for children
- Children's enrichment program (after school, evening, and summer)
- Teen development program

Interfaith Housing does not provide emergency shelter services.