



# UNITED SAMARITANS

F O U N D A T I O N

*United Samaritans Foundation's mission is to deliver food to people in need in Stanislaus County, and to facilitate the provision of services to those people to assist them in a transition to a better quality of life..*

## April 2010

### We Hope You Had a Blessed Easter

*"For God so loved the world that He gave His only Son, so that everyone who believes in Him will not perish but have eternal life. God did not send His Son into the world to condemn it, but to save it" (John 3:16-17).*



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**Thank you** to Grand Knight Mark Henry and his fellow Knights of Columbus, Sunrise Rotary in Modesto and St. Anthony's in Hughson. They held a can food drive in March in response to the Feinstein Foundation Challenge, They collected 715 pounds of food and \$1,118 in donations. Pictured are Knights Mark Henry and Ramon Bawan with the USF lunch truck.



**THANK YOU TO ALL OF YOU WHO DONATED EASTER CANDY!! THANK YOU TO THE UNITED WAY STAFF WHO DYED AND BAGGED THE 1500 EGGS AND CANDY. THERE WERE MANY HAPPY FACES AT OUR LUNCH TRUCKS ON GOOD FRIDAY.**

**WE COULD NOT DO IT WITHOUT ALL OF YOUR SUPPORT.**

## Feinstein Challenge Reminder

The time has come! Your donation will have a greater impact during March and April, since the Feinstein Foundation is dividing \$1 million among non-profit organizations around the country who are helping fight

hunger. All contributions as well as food donations received by United Samaritans Foundation between March 1, and April 30, 2010 will help us qualify for part of these funds. The funding we have received each year

has been extremely helpful to our ministry. With your generous donations, we have the ability to achieve even more.



**Please Indicate on your checks Feinstein Challenge.**

Click on the link and watch our video <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Q74aBaR04Mw>

**STAND UP AND BE  
COUNTED  
UNITED STATES:  
CENSUS 2010  
IT'S SAFE  
IT'S PRIVATE  
IT'S NOT SHARED  
IT'S EASY**

**LETTER CARRIERS  
FOOD DRIVE**

On Saturday May 8, 2010 the National Association of Letter Carriers will be collecting your donations of non-perishable food. This is the 16th year that we have been recipients of this canned food drive. This is helpful to us in providing food for our monthly Emergency Food Box Program.

**Easter Wishes**

We are in need of men's jeans, shorts, socks and women's underwear, egg cartons, plastic bags and boxes. Cleaners: scouring pads and soap scum removers. Toiletries: razors, toothbrushes, toothpaste, shampoo, women's personal hygiene products, and laundry soap. Diapers and backpacks for our little friends are also needed.

**PLEASE REMEMBER TO USE  
YOUR SHARE CARDS WHEN  
DOING GROCERY  
SHOPPING**

*Curves*

Turlock and Ceres Curves had a food drive in response to the Feinstein Foundation Challenge. Turlock Curves collected 2,352 pounds of food and Ceres Curves collected 450 pounds of food. Donations are used for our Emergency Food Box Program and our Daily Bread Lunch Program. Turlock Curves had free sign up fee as long as they brought in food. They do this every March. Make sure and look for it next year.



**Touching Lives  
Making a Difference**



Meals served on our trucks during the month of February were 25,484. In our emergency food box program 240 families were provided with a three-day, three meals per day supply of food, which equals 3,978 meals.

**Enclosed is my gift to United Samaritans Foundation**

In Memory of \_\_\_\_\_

In Honor of \_\_\_\_\_

Gift given for:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ Death
- \_\_\_\_\_ Anniversary Death
- \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday
- \_\_\_\_\_ Wedding
- \_\_\_\_\_ Anniversary
- \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation
- \_\_\_\_\_ Father's Day
- \_\_\_\_\_ Mother's Day
- \_\_\_\_\_ Christmas
- \_\_\_\_\_ Other

Please send Acknowledgment to:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Set up a recurring Donation on line by going to our website: [www.unitedsamaritans.org](http://www.unitedsamaritans.org)

**DONOR INFORMATION:**

**ENCLOSED IS MY GIFT OF \$** \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

**Your Gift is Tax Deductible**

**Please make your check payable to United Samaritans Foundation and mail this section with your contribution to: United Samaritans Foundation**

**~ 220 S. Broadway ~ Turlock, CA 95380**

**For more information , please feel free to call us at (209)668-4853**