

About You Have The Power

Founded in 1995, You Have The Power (YHTP) began bringing together those affected by violence. You Have The Power's mission is to empower those victimized by violent crime through information, advocacy, and understanding.

We produce resource guides and community safety trainings for businesses, individuals, and more. Last year, YHTP coordinated the renewal of the Children's Memory Garden of Nashville at Centennial Park to honor children taken by violence in Davidson County.





About the Children's Memory Garden of Nashville

In 2016, Andrea Conte, founder of You Have the Power, collaborated with Metro Departments and victim advocates on upgrades to the Children's Memory Garden in Centennial Park. The Garden, dedicated in 1996, was a place of comfort for families who lost a child to violence.

The work of the Children's Memory Garden group resulted in plans for a professionally designed new garden and a concept, Voices from the Garden, to tell the stories of children taken by violence. Voices from the Garden, an annual volume, is prepared by You Have the Power and includes the child's photo and profile, much like a yearbook these children never had.

Why We Advocate



In an average year, 1,143 people die by guns in Tennessee. With a rate of 16.9 deaths per 100,000 people, Tennessee has the 12th highest rate of gun deaths in the United States.



Fentanyl is the deadliest drug threat to our nation. In 2023, another child lost their life to fentanyl poisoning in Nashville and will be remembered in the next volume of Voices from the Garden.



There is a 1-in-8 chance a child in Tennessee will become a victim of child abuse by the time they reach adulthood.



In 2021, 11 victims of domestic violence lost their lives to homicide in Nashville.

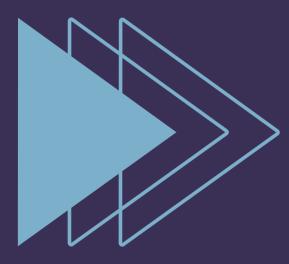


In 2020, there were 909 human trafficking hotline referrals made in Tennessee, with 317 of those being in Middle Tennessee and at least one reported case of human trafficking in each of the state's 95 counties.

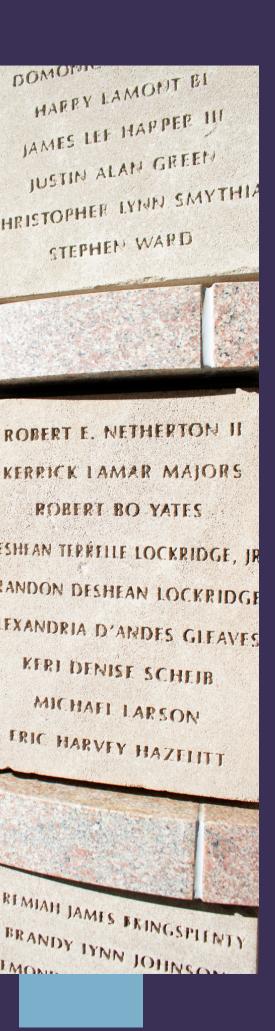
About You Have The Power: Walk the Talk

The purpose of this walk is to honor the lives and help tell the stories of children in Davidson County who have lost their lives to violence. We hope to raise awareness of and help people connect with the Children's Memory Garden, Voices from the Garden, and You Have The Power.





The funds raised through this event will continue to support the Children's Memory Garden, further Youth Impact Curriculum, and support YHTP's efforts to focus on issues that are affecting our communities. YHTP will use these funds to prioritize issues concerning gun safety, fentanyl and abuse.



Every Dollar Counts

\$100

can help sponsor an anti-bullying presentation for middle school or high school students or their parents.

\$500

allows trainings for 60 daycare workers in how to recognize and report child abuse.

\$1,000

helps YHTP translate its resource guides into Spanish, Arabic, and other languages.

\$1,500

pays for 15 at-risk young adults to participate in our Youth Impact curriculum, where they learn how to overcome cultural barriers, prevent violence, and set goals for the future.

Sponsorship Opportunities



Title

Logo on walker bibs

Signage at event



Table booth at event

Recognition at event

Thank you gift

\$5,000



Presenting

Signage at event

Logo on company website, event marketing, and social media

2 walker registrations

Table booth at event

\$3,000

Sponsorship Opportunities



Supporting

Signage at event

Logo on company website, event marketing, and social media



Contributing

Logo on company website, event marketing, and social media

\$1,000

\$500

Thank You!



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