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Enjoy this fabulous evening of food, cocktails, and handbags while supporting the life-saving programs of The Spring of Tampa Bay.

TIMELINE

6:00 PM VIP Entry Opens

6:30 PM Doors Open

7:20 PM Program & Give from the Heart
Ballroom

8:30 PM Auction Closes & Fabulous Faux Winners
Gathering Area

9:00 PM Check-Out Begins
Line forms in Gathering Area

TONIGHT'S AUCTION

Join the fun! You can bid on any of our marvelous auction items by registering with Qtego. Visit our registration area, or you can scan the QR code below.



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Ticket Prices:

1 for \$5

7 for \$25

25 for \$50

AUCTION CHECK-OUT

Tonight's silent auction will close at 8:30pm. Please allow 20-30 minutes for check-out to be set up.

While you wait, the winners of the Fabulous Fauxes will be called!

The check-out line will form in the gathering area.

If you are unable to stay, your credit card on file with Qtego will be charged and your items can be picked up at The Spring Donation Center on Saturday, April 26th from 10am-4pm or from Wednesday, April 30th through Saturday, May 3rd.

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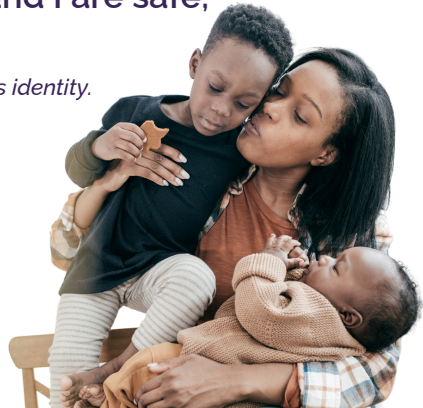
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**Some details have been changed to protect the survivor's identity.*



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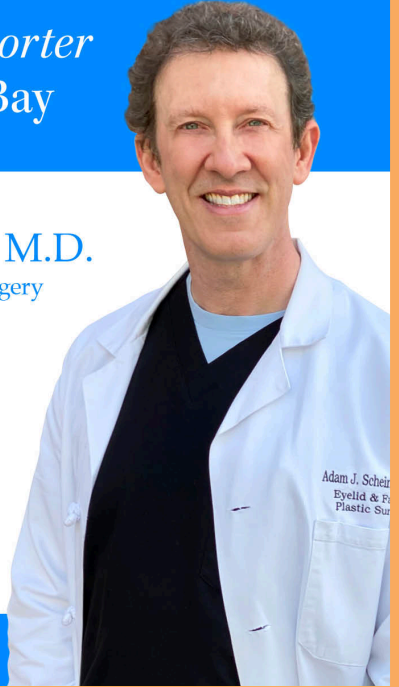
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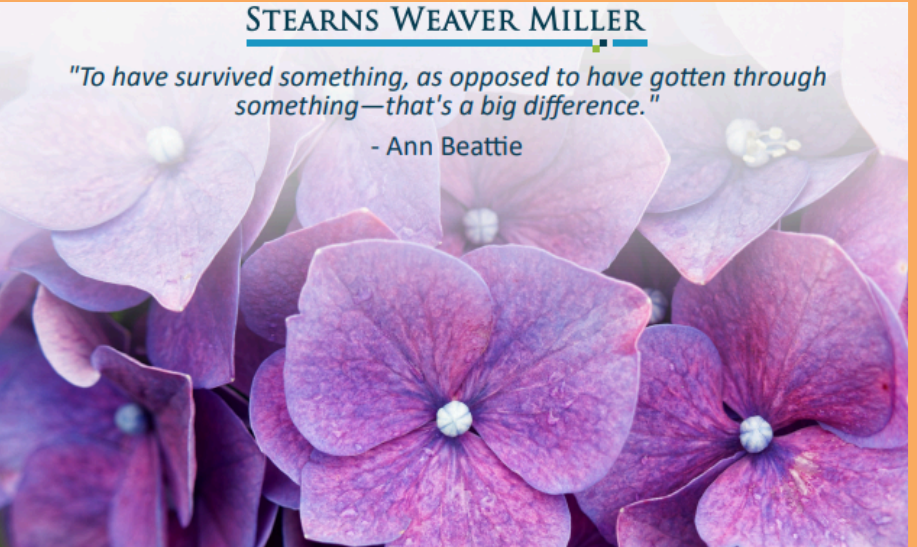


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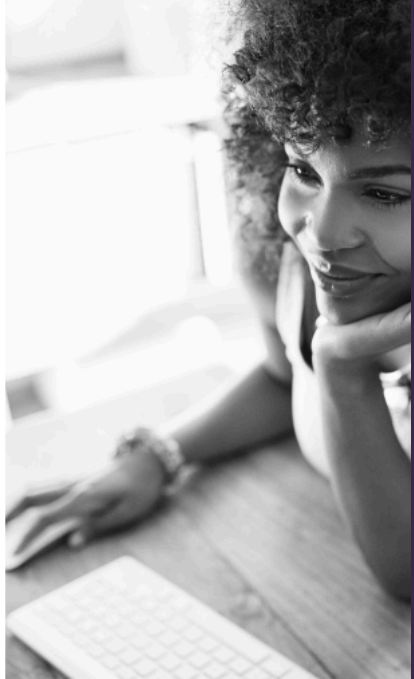
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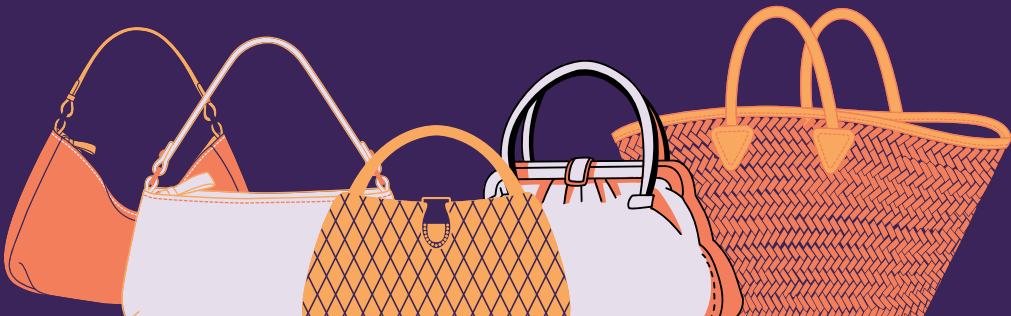


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Donations

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Planned Giving

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Peace Village Move-In Project

Peace Village, our 12-unit apartment complex, is available to survivors after having permanently left an abusive relationship. It gives security and stability for 12-18 months as they begin to rebuild their lives.



Sponsor or Host a Fundraising Event

Whether it's one of our events such as Handbags & Happy Hour or an event that you facilitate at a place of your choosing, this is a fun way to generate donations for a great cause!



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The Spring is an affiliate of Camp HOPE America, the first evidence-based yearlong mentoring and summer camp program in the US to focus on children exposed to violence. Sponsoring a child to participate can change their life forever.

Amazon Gift List

Many of the items that are needed throughout the year for our survivors can be purchased and shipped from one place through our Amazon Gift List.



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By hosting a speaker, you are helping share our critically important mission with your network. You never know whose life has been affected by domestic violence.

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Founded in 1977, The Spring is the certified Domestic Violence Center serving Hillsborough County and has served thousands of women and children in crisis.



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Peace Village

Our 12-unit apartment complex has families living there after having permanently left abusive relationships. Each family signs a one-year lease and pays a significantly reduced portion of their rent and utilities.

Housing Program

This program provides homeless survivors with financial assistance to help them move into permanent housing. The survivor receives housing case management services that assist the family in finding appropriate safe housing and creating an individualized housing stability plan to ensure long-term ability to remain stably housed when the program ends.

Prevention Team

Our Prevention Team teaches youth about healthy relationships and teen dating violence through schools and partner agencies and facilitating a Youth Action Committee. They also facilitate Camp HOPE and Pathways events for youth.

Child Welfare Partnership

Through this partnership, two staff bridge the gap between child welfare and domestic violence service providers. The goal is to enhance family safety, create permanency for children, reduce removals of children from non-offending parents, and hold batterers accountable.

InVEST Program

Two Intimate Violence Enhanced Services Team (InVEST) advocates work with local law enforcement to identify victims and survivors of domestic violence at high risk of being murdered by their partners. Our advocates reach out to survivors to offer safety planning information and services, while our law enforcement partners implement measures to hold batterers accountable.

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