

**For More Information**

Please call me, or send me details, regarding a nearby mentoring program:  
Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Office \_\_\_\_\_  
State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: Home \_\_\_\_\_  
Cell \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Prison Units I am interested in \_\_\_\_\_

If prison units are unknown or uncertain, please

• Circle the following day (s) of the week available for volunteering. Please indicate afternoon or evening.

Sunday Aft\_\_ Eve\_\_ ThursdayAft\_\_ Eve\_\_  
MondayAft\_\_ Eve\_\_ FridayAft\_\_ Eve\_\_  
TuesdayAft\_\_ Eve\_\_ SaturdayAft\_\_ Eve\_\_  
Wednesday Aft\_\_ Eve\_\_

We will then direct your request to the appropriate prison mentor coordinator.  
(Please Tape Before Mailing)



**Christian Restorative Justice Mentors Association**

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*“Bear one another’ burdens,  
and so fulfill the law of Christ”*



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**Changing Lives...  
Giving Hope to the Hopeless**

# You Can Make the Difference!

## Changing Lives

Many lives are affected by what prison mentors are doing today. Volunteer mentors visit one-on-one, stepping out in faith and helping inmates make a successful transition back into society.

Inmates' lives are changed by the love of Jesus Christ as expressed through the concern and encouragement of Christian fee world brothers.

Inmates learn to become givers and contributing members of society. Lives are changed by offering freedom from the bondage of hopelessness.

## Transformed Lives of the Volunteers

We are call to be ambassadors for Christ, carrying with us the ministry of reconciliation. (2 Corinthians 5:18)

We are called to be light to those who live in darkness and to proclaim liberty to the captives. (Isaiah 61:1)

Volunteers experience the reality that inmates are human being in need of hope.

As a result, the stronghold of fear is broken, your faith will be strengthened, you will experience blessings through being a blessing, and you will know the joy of truly making a difference.

You will experience the unconditional love and acceptance of Jesus Christ through the fellowship of the mentors and the inmates.

## Words From the Heart and Mind of Mentored Inmates.

"I've been rejected in all phases of life. Then someone tells you they care about you and hope you have a successful life. I just thank Jesus."

"It gives us hope. It gives us encouragement. It lets us know we are truly worth something-- that we are all brothers in Christ."

"When I got saved, I was in prison. The program provides a place to go to when you get out, and instead of the devil meeting you, it God's People meeting you."

## The Hands-On Ministry of Mentors- What Does it Take?

Committed Christians willing to volunteer a specific time each month. The day, time and frequency vary according to the prison.

Meet in a prison chapel setting with an assigned Christian inmate who expects to be released within 18 months.

Pray with him and listen to his needs. No financial involvements are permitted.

Mutually develop a trusting, personal relationship which will foster accountability.

If possible, greet the inmate at the release gate and assist him in making contact with a church or ministry in his parole location which will nurture him through his transition into the free world.

## Getting Started--What Do I Do?

Complete the response card on the reverse side of this brochure and return.

Or go online to [www.crjma.org](http://www.crjma.org)

Or contact the person listed below:

## Make the Difference

Help break the chains--not only those which bind the body but those which bind the heart and mind. Inquire today about a nearby Prison Mentoring Ministry.

*The Christian Restorative Justice Mentors Association is a non-profit 501 (C)3 organization sanctioned by the Texas Department of Criminal Justice Chaplaincy Division. Leadership, structure, and training are provided, through which churches and individuals can become effectively involved in prison mentoring.*