



Bryan/College Station

Habitat
for Humanity®

Meet the Scott Family

"It's going to be very exciting," said Tamona Scott of building a Habitat home. "I was just all smiles," she explained, describing the moment when she found out she'd been accepted to the Habitat program.

Tamona is already thinking about decorating her new house and cooking in her own kitchen. She even knows what meal she'll cook first. "I make a killer meatloaf," she said.

Tamona is a single mother of three kids, with two still at home and one grown. Born in Bryan, she has lived here most of her life, and has worked at the Bryan Walmart Supercenter for the last eight years.

Tamona's two youngest kids are also really excited about building a new home. Iyanna (11) and Rydarius (12) will get their own rooms. Iyanna, a Girl Scout, declared that her room will be pink. Rydarius, an avid football player, would like his room to have a football theme.

The two siblings, so close in age, are in the same grade at Jane Long Middle School and said they're really looking forward to meeting their new neighbors. The family will live in Habitat's new Faith Subdivision and will have lots of kids living nearby, next door and across the street. Iyanna is also excited because they'll live really close to their church. She said they'll be able to walk and won't ever have an excuse to be late!

The family currently lives with Tamona's mother, but are looking forward to having their own space. "We can actually feel stable and have peace of mind," Tamona said. "When we say we're going home, we'll really be going to our own home!" 



Family: Tamona (left) with her children, Iyanna (11) and Rydarius (12).

Sweat Equity: All families complete 500 hours of sweat equity, working on their homes and other's, along with helping in the ReStore and Habitat office.

Workshop Classes: Habitat families take twelve homeownership classes, including budgeting, home maintenance, fire safety, nutrition and more.

B/CS Habitat for Humanity Mission

Seeking to put God's love into action, Habitat for Humanity brings people together to build homes, communities and hope.

B/CS Habitat for Humanity is a locally run affiliate of Habitat for Humanity International, a nonprofit, ecumenical Christian housing organization. Formed in 1989, B/CS Habitat is dedicated to eliminating poverty housing and making the right to simple, decent shelter a matter of conscience and action.

Habitat for Humanity partners with low-income families and gives them the opportunity to work side by side with local volunteers in the construction of their homes. Once the homes are complete, families buy them at cost through zero-interest, twenty- to thirty-year mortgages.

B/CS Habitat has partnered with more than 230 families, impacting over 1,000 people in the past 24 years.

On behalf of the families we serve, thank you for helping them build a house, a home and a better future.



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