

FOR I WAS HUNGRY

Matthew 25:35

2026 Annual Newsletter

Every Deer. Every Dollar. Every Prayer.

"And God is able to bless you abundantly, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work."— 2 Corinthians 9:8

Dear Friends and Supporters,

As another ministry year has come to a close, we are reminded that **every deer donated, every dollar given, and every prayer offered has helped make a difference** in the lives of hungry men, women, and children across America. Through your partnership with Farmers and Hunters Feeding the Hungry, **God has once again provided** for those in need and demonstrated His love and compassion for our neighbors in need of food assistance.



During the past year, Farmers and Hunters Feeding the Hungry distributed **142,401 pounds of donated meat**, providing approximately **569,604 servings** to food banks, food pantries, shelters, and feeding ministries. This result reflects the continued commitment of those who support this mission, and brings our **grand total since 1997 to 24.3 million servings of meat** donated, processed and distributed to feed those in need!

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2025-2026 Totals

Thanks to your support!

3,707 Deer & Livestock
142,401 Pounds of Meat
569,604 Meat Servings



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FHFH creates networks of people who work to transform a God-given resource into food for the hungry. Hunters and farmers donate deer and livestock. Participating meat processors prepare the meat for distribution. Financial supporters help cover processing costs. Volunteers coordinate donations, and local feeding ministries place nutritious meat into the hands of hungry neighbors.

Nutritious protein is always in high demand at food banks. Rising costs make it difficult to keep enough on hand. **That’s why FHFH meat donations are such a blessing to our distribution partners!** In this newsletter, we share stories from those who witness firsthand the difference these donations are making in the lives of individuals and families.

With the next hunting season already approaching, preparations for another year of ministry are underway. We are working to strengthen partnerships, support local chapters, and expand opportunities to provide nutritious meat to communities where the need continues to grow.

We thank God for His faithfulness and for each person who makes this ministry possible. Thank you for your generous support, encouragement, and prayers. **Together, we are helping feed the hungry, strengthen communities, and share the love of Christ**—one deer, one dollar, and one prayer at a time!

Take care and God bless,

Josh Wilson

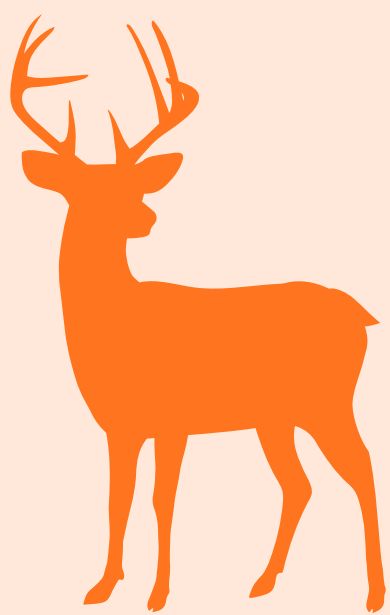
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How FHFH Works

Hunters and farmers donate deer and livestock to participating butcher shops.



We raise money to pay about \$2.00 per pound for the meat to be processed.

The protein-rich meat is given to food banks and ministries that feed the needy.



One donated deer can provide enough meat for 160 meals to the hungry!

1997 - 2026 | Feeding the Hungry for 29 Years!

State	Pounds	State	Pounds	State	Pounds
Arizona	52,972	Kansas	174,660	Ohio	1,513,465
Arkansas	84,825	Louisiana	1,608	Oregon	40
California	1,350	Maryland	2,665,967	Penn.	42,327
Colorado	32,611	Mass.	705	S. Carolina	68,228
Florida	7,292	Michigan	9,819	Tennessee	41,477
Georgia	65,118	Minnesota	4,697	Texas	79,396
Idaho	4,579	Mississippi	1,739	Utah	32,901
Illinois	173,033	Missouri	21,169	Vermont	350
Indiana	741,554	Montana	3,305	W. Virginia	24,917
Iowa	91,757	New York	1,075	Wisconsin	15,382
		N. Carolina	133,381		

6,091,697 Total Pounds / 24,366,788 Servings



No Longer Bound (GA)

FHFH provided several hundred pounds of venison to help feed those participating in their recovery ministry. Grateful staff members shared that the donation would be "well enjoyed" while helping provide nourishing meals and hope to those they serve.



Lapel Lions Club (IN)

FHFH donated 100 turkeys providing 1,286 pounds of meat for their annual turkey giveaway just before Thanksgiving. Through partnerships like these, nutritious food reaches local families while bringing hope and encouragement during the holiday season.



Hope and Life Outreach (MD)

FHFH venison donations help the HALO Café provide nutritious meals to individuals and families. Staff members shared that "a warm, hearty meal can make all the difference" and expressed gratitude for the support that makes this outreach possible.



The Father's Heart Food Pantry (MD)

Venison from FHFH helped provide nourishing meals to local families in need. After receiving some of the meat, a client named Robbie shared, "I just made the game meat tacos for Cinco de Mayo!" Donated meat often becomes a special meal and a source of encouragement for those in need of food assistance.



740 Rescue Kitchen (OH)

FHFH donated 240 pounds of venison to help provide nutritious meals for individuals and families facing food insecurity. The donation was picked up from a local participating processor and distributed through community outreach efforts, helping provide valuable protein to neighbors in need.



Parkland Cares Pantry (PA)

"We are incredibly thankful for FHFH and their steadfast support over the years. Through difficult times and uncertain seasons, they have stood beside us, helping ensure that we can continue to provide for the families who rely on us. For many, it wasn't just about food; it was about dignity, nourishment, and knowing someone cared."



God Hears, Loves and Provides for Us

One of the greatest blessings for Farmers and Hunters Feeding the Hungry is seeing God generously provide in times of need. Tom Norman, one of our volunteer coordinators, recently shared a testimony story about God's faithfulness...

I received a call from one of our church food banks informing me they had **several empty freezers, and only hot dogs to distribute** for meat. I told them they would be at the top of the list the next time we had venison available. **That night I prayed and asked God to provide.**

At 6:45 the next morning, I received a call from one of our processors informing me there was roughly 215 pounds of venison ready for pickup. **What a blessing! God hears our prayers and provides for us.**

Helping with Farmers and Hunters has taught me many things, the most important being reliance on God.

I can't make someone successful in harvesting an animal. I can't put it on someone's heart to donate an animal they harvest, and I can't pay all the processing fees out of my pocket. **I can pray and do my small part as God works.**

He is the reason FHFH is successful in helping feed people, and I'm so thankful to be a part of it. Please continue to pray for provision and God's blessing on this ministry.

Tom Norman

FHFH Chapter Coordinator



"As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace." 1 Peter 4:10 (ESV)

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