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Gillian's Place is pleased to be the recipient of your fundraising efforts aligned with your 15-year celebration! The 75% of the proceeds raised from your Women of Worth Magazine from the Sponsors, Advertisers & Silent Auction Donors in your Digital 15 Year Anniversary Keepsake Magazine to be published and presented on May 30, 2026, will directly benefit women and children in Niagara affected by domestic abuse.

As one of the first shelters of its kind in Ontario, Gillian's Place brings almost 50 years of experience and leadership in providing compassionate, survivor-centered gender-based violence services across the Niagara region. Since opening its doors in 1977, Gillian's Place has continually evolved to meet the growing and complex needs of the community, expanding from an 8-bed emergency shelter into the region's largest provider of free, confidential, and trauma-informed supports for individuals and families who have experienced abuse.

Today, Gillian's Place offers a comprehensive continuum of care to promote safety, healing, and long-term stability. These services include a 34-bed emergency shelter, a 24/7 phone and text support line, second-stage housing, transitional housing and support programs, individual and group counselling, safety planning, child and youth programming, legal advice and information, as well as education and violence prevention initiatives. Each program provides empowerment, dignity, and respect, ensuring survivors are supported at every stage of their journey.

The funds raised through your anniversary initiative will play a meaningful role in sustaining and enhancing these vital programs, helping Gillian's Place continue to respond to the urgent needs of those impacted by violence in our community. Your generosity not only provides immediate support but also contributes to long-term change.

Thank you for your kindness and commitment. Together, we are working to end gender-based violence in our community.

Thank you,



Amanda Ross
Donor and Volunteer Relations Coordinator