

*our* mission.....

Habitat for Humanity of Greater Los Angeles builds and renovates homes in partnership with God and people everywhere with a goal of eliminating substandard housing by making decent, affordable housing a matter of conscience and action in our communities. ....

# benefits to children



when families become homeowners, their children enjoy the following advantages:\*

- 23% improvement in cognitive stimulation.
- 17% improvement in reading scores.
- 9% improvement in math scores.
- Lower dropout rates in school.
- Less chance of having a baby before 18.
- Lower incidence of respiratory problems.
- More likely to become homeowners themselves.



\*Joint Center for Housing Studies at Harvard University Study on the impact of home ownership on children.