

# RETURNING HOME

WITH

*Henri Nouwen*



2023/26 CASE FOR SUPPORT

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SOCIETY

Our purpose is to share Henri Nouwen's deepest truth:  
**We are God's Beloved!**

We are committed to **introducing Henri Nouwen to a new generation** seeking spiritual connection.

**Your financial commitment** extends **Henri Nouwen's mission** by:

Engaging new communities in need of hope and healing

Developing resources to support spiritual growth

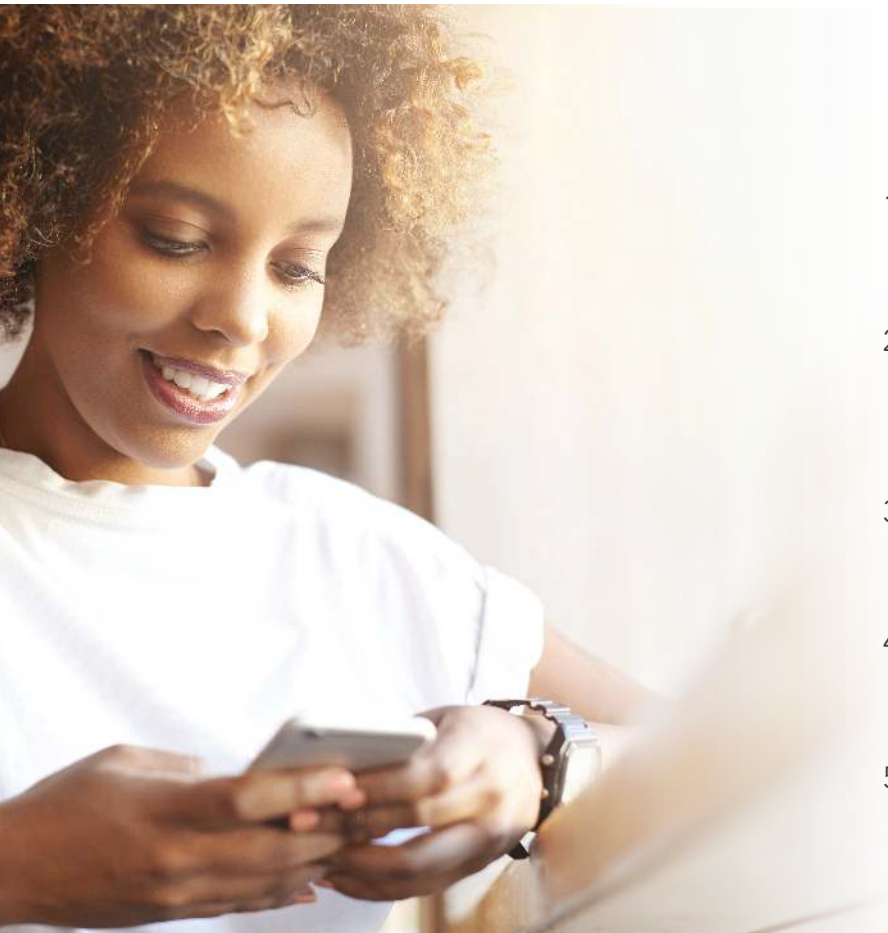
Building diverse partnerships to reach underserved populations

Expanding Nouwen's influence through publication and preservation



"Gratitude flows from the recognition that who we are and what we have are gifts to be received and shared. Gratitude releases us from the bonds of obligation and prepares us to offer ourselves freely and fully for the work of the kingdom."

*Henri J. M. Nouwen*



## Join us on the way...

1. Launch a new **Henri Nouwen Meditation App** to make Henri accessible to thousands on their mobile devices.
2. Revitalize churches with the **Returning Home** series calling congregations to contemplation, community, and care in action.
3. Share God's love with prisoners through the **Father to the Fatherless** project using Henri's book *The Return of the Prodigal Son*.
4. Expand the **Spanish Ministry** with Henri's free Daily Meditations, video translations, podcasts, and radio spots.
5. Resource and build the **Henri Nouwen Community** through social media, podcasts, and webinars.

3 Years to raise  
\$850,000

Returning Home Capacity  
Building Campaign

Honoring the 30th  
Anniversary of Nouwen's  
Death: Sept. 21, 2026

### Your commitment and partnership will expand Henri's spiritual impact:

- Reaching into **150** prisons and jails
- Serving **250** congregations
- Engaging **30,000** Spanish subscribers
- Encouraging **70,000** Daily Meditations readers
- Inspiring **1 million** podcast listens
- Hitting the **10 million** mark for books sold

#### 3 YEAR BUDGET CAPACITY BUILDING INITIATIVES

MEDITATION APP: COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT \$230,000

NOW & THEN PODCAST: 90 EPISODES \$200,000

RETURNING HOME: CONGREGATIONAL PROGRAM \$180,000

FATHER TO THE FATHERLESS: PRISON MINISTRY \$120,000

SPANISH MINISTRY: AUDIO RESOURCES \$100,000

TECHNOLOGY & SYSTEMS: UPGRADE \$20,000

TOTAL \$850,000

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"A true vision of peace sees a continuous mutuality between giving and receiving. Let's never give anything without asking ourselves what we are receiving from those to whom we give, and let's never receive anything without asking what we have to give to those from whom we receive."

- HENRI NOUWEN