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THANK YOU FOR HELPING US CELEBRATING 35 YEARS OF BRINGING HOPE TO THE STRUGGLING AND HURTING YOUTH OF INDIANA!







Open Arms Christian Ministries observed its 35th anniversary as an independent ministry on Friday, Oct. 22 in grand fashion with a three-hour celebration of praise and worship at Linton First Christian Church.

Southern Indiana-based Gootee Records contemporary Christian musical group, Cochren & Co., was the headliner to a program that also featured four other area praise teams. The event drew more than 600.

Also appearing on stage as opening acts were praise teams from Linton First Christian Church and Smithville Christian Church. Duet musical talent – Ahava (Leah Pierce and Brittany Myers) - from Lyons Community Church and a duo of brothers – Cody and Lance Dyer – from Worthington Assembly of God Church also preceded Cochren & Co.,

Cochren & Co. a rising nationally-known group that has recorded songs – "Church", "Grave" and "One Day" that have made appearances on the weekly Billboard charts at times over the last two years.

Cochren and Co. leader Michael Cochren, a native of Petersburg, continues to serve as worship leader at Antioch Christian Church near Washington in Daviess County.

Steve and Linda Campbell, from Worthington, who have been involved in some capacity with Open Arms ministries since it became independent of Indiana Christian Children's Home in 1985, received special recognition on behalf of the Open Arms' board and staff.

Go to openarmschristian.com to check out the children's Christmas gift registry.







NEEDS







Coats (sizes 14-16 up to adult large), hats, gloves and pajamas, We need boys coats, hats and gloves as well as boots. Sizes range from 14/16 up to adult large. Shoe sizes range from 7-12 men's.





PRAYERS/PRAISES





Prayers for our foster kids that have up coming adoption dates. Prayers for all of the children/youth in our care. Praise that the concert went so well.

Martin Corey, Executive Director—Sheila Corey, Development Director—Marcie Dierdorf, Program Director





