

Dear Friend,

Imagine a world where a person's vision does not hinder their potential, where challenges are perceived as stepping stones, and resilience meets boundless opportunities.

With passion, dedication, and endless creativity, we are working towards our goal. But, we cannot do it alone. We need your strength, compassion, and generosity to keep this movement going.

This spring, we invite you to join us on our path towards progress. Empowering individuals to fulfill their dreams, equipping them with the necessary tools and resources to lead self-reliant and autonomous lives.

Together, we can achieve incredible things. With your support, we can offer programs and services to those in need, creating a community of lifelong learning, independence, and self-confidence.

Your contribution helps us foster a supportive community where individuals with visual impairments feel understood, valued, and encouraged to pursue their dreams and aspirations.

The Iris Network is a beacon of hope, and a catalyst for change. We firmly believe that there are no limits to what individuals with visual impairments can accomplish.

Today, we ask for your help. Will you be the driving force behind someone's success story? By donating today, you can transform lives, shape futures, and be a part of something greater.

With heartfelt gratitude,



David Barnwell, DBA, MBA
President & Executive Director



Randy and Sarah have been residents of Iris Park Apartments (IPA) for quite some time now. Randy has been a part of the IPA community from its very first year, 2006. He has experienced the life-changing benefits of living independently alongside others facing similar challenges. He has a strong connection to his supportive network of neighbors who have become like family to him. Randy gives credit to The Iris Network for enriching his life as well as the lives of many others.

“Living here has allowed me to build a life and so much more, thank you
The Iris Network.” ~ Randy

Sarah began exploring independent living in her twenties, and was eager to embrace the freedom that it offered. She faced obstacles and uncertainties about living independently. However, she ultimately found a place to call home and became a vibrant part of the IPA community. Sarah appreciates the unique environment of IPA where she can participate in group activities and maintain her independence.

“IPA staff and residents made me feel like I was a part of a community.
They showed me that I can live as independently as I choose to if
I put my mind to it.” ~Sarah

Together, Randy and Sarah’s stories emphasize the significant role that The Iris Network plays in transforming lives and cultivating community.