



BETHANY CHRISTIAN SERVICES of GREENVILLE, SC

This month, we would like to share how you may support Bethany through GoodSearch.com.

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Go to www.goodsearch.com. Select Bethany Christian Services - Greenville as your designated cause. You may add GoodSearch to your toolbar or make it your home page if you wish. Bethany will get \$.01 each time you do a search using GoodSearch.com. It may not sound like much, but it adds up! You can even view the amount raised to date.

PLEASE PRAY...

- For the children Bethany serves.
- That families will adopt or foster Children of Promise, older children, and sibling groups.
- That Bethany will receive new donors to partner in ministry with us
- That any barriers that are put forward by countries, governments, or individuals to prevent a family from adopting a child will be set aside.
- That Bethany will be protected and God will provide for our ministry as we carry out His commands.

BETHANY CHRISTIAN SERVICES

presents

MARK SCHULTZ in concert

Saturday, September 29 • 7 p.m.

Taylor's First Baptist Church

(doors open at 6 p.m.)

Purchase tickets at the Bethany office between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. Order tickets online through itickets.com or at Cross Way Christian Supply on E. North Street or Woodruff Road.

Ticket prices (general admission):
 \$20.00 advance ticket sale price
 \$17.00 (group of 10 or more)
 \$25.00 day of concert (if available)

The POWER of Words

A simple choice of words can reveal our views and communicate a great deal to a listener. We encourage social workers, adoptive parents, birthparents, board members, volunteers, and supporters to use language that accurately reflects the reality of adoption. The following list gives some of the more common words that we encounter as we minister to birth and adoptive parents in Jesus' name.

Rather than...	We suggest...
Real parent(s)	Birthparent(s), birthmother(s), Birthfather(s)
Natural parent(s)	Biological parent(s)
Unwed mother	Single parent
Real child	Birthchild
Illegitimate child	Child of unmarried parents
Put up for adoption	Make an adoption plan
Give up for adoption	Choose adoption
Is adopted	Was adopted
Keep a child	Parent a child
Hard to place child	Child with special placement needs
To keep a child	To parent a child
Unwanted pregnancy	Unplanned, unintended, or untimely pregnancy
Find parents	Search for birthparents
Foreign adoption	International adoption

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