



# Helping Other People, H.O.P.

JANUARY 2012 NEWSLETTER  
A kids program for H.O.W. / Fresno Chapter

\*A glass bowl for a \$10 cash gift will be at the event and given to the monthly recipient at the end of each breakfast.

## Fresno Chapter H.O.P. Breakfast.

**When: Saturday, January 21st at 10am!**

**Where: GIUSEPPE GALLO'S**

**Please call Giuseppe Gallo's to make reservations!!**

(559) 298.3777 ~ 1177 N. Willow Suite 108,  
Clovis

**IN HONOR OF NOAH JACKSON\***

*News: Recipients will be randomly selected from nominations offered by attendees at the previous month's H.O.P. breakfast.*

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Fresno Chapter"**

## NOAH'S STORY...

Our son, Noah Stone Jackson, was born with a very rare genetic disorder called Fraser syndrome. Among his many challenges are one "hidden eye", a narrow trachea (which required him to have a tracheotomy), an imperforate anus (which required a colostomy), difficulty swallowing (which required a G-Tube for feedings), the fusing of his vocal chords (which means he may never speak), and club feet (which are being corrected with braces). Our family is on an amazing journey together. We are learning to walk along this path that God has planned for us, trusting in His infinite love and wisdom. We are taking each day (or each moment) as it comes and relying on each other, our friends and family, and our God for strength. We have a long road ahead of us filled with several more surgeries, lots of recovery, countless hours of therapy, and many trips to specialists around the country. Every day brings us challenges but they pale in comparison to the smiles and cuddles from our little man. Noah is our son, a true gift from God, and we cannot wait to see where this adventure leads.

- *This was taken from the Jackson Family's Blog. If you would like to continue to keep them in your thoughts and prayers their blog is <http://cryanjackson.blogspot.com>*

For more information on H.O.P. or how to get involved, contact our Fresno Chapter Leaders:  
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