

Monadnock United Way

PARTNER IMPACT STORY

HUNDRED NIGHTS

A member of the Cheshire County Emergency Housing Collaborative

Mark and Sally are proof that determination can emerge from adversity, and community support is transformative. Mark grew up in poverty and was determined to overcome his past challenges. Burdened by many medical bills after his wife passed, on top of credit card debt from his parents taking out several cards in his name as a teenager, Mark and his daughter Sally became homeless and began staying at Hundred Nights in June 2023.



Mark works as a manager, while Sally works at a delivery company. Since June, Mark had repeatedly expressed his desire to find stable housing and reflected on his dream, sharing, "We only need someone to give us a break." At the end of the year, a generous donor contacted Hundred Nights and offered a house as a rental unit. Shortly after, Mark and Sally packed up their room and moved into their new home!

There is a need for landlords to collaborate with the Cheshire County Emergency Housing Collaborative to provide housing for those in need. It is essential to support those facing financial and housing challenges, and these agencies play a vital role in helping them achieve their goals. Mark and Sally's story is a testament to the importance of support and the significant impact a small act of kindness can have on someone's life.

*name changed for confidentiality



