

The Freeman Family

Ashley is mother to Aniyah (10) and Jaylen (8). She works as a receptionist/inside sales and attends New Direction Church. Her hobbies include walking, traveling, bowling, and working.

"I have learned to set short term goals over the last two years that I'm hoping will lead to my two major long term goals. 1. Becoming a first-time homeowner. 2. Being debt free. There are couple reasons I want get my own home. My rent increases every year, so having a mortgage will create stability income wise. My family will also have something to call our own. The children will have a yard and space possibly a family pet my daughter wants."

"I was diagnosed with SLE lupus (Systematic Lupus Erythematosus) in 2009 which is an autoimmune disease that causes the body to attack itself. With having lupus I'm ready to live in a one-level affordable home, the stairs take a toll on my body some days. I simply cannot afford a three bedroom flat apartment. I do not let my disease effect my life, like anyone else I have good days and bad days. Over the years I have learned to take a break from time to time but I keep busy with working and doing activities with my babies. I try to live as normal as possible."

"This will be an opportunity of a lifetime for me to be able to participate in building my own home from start to finish, to volunteer and help other families, and to be educated on homeownership."



What does homeownership mean for your family?

Homeownership for my family and I means a lot of things. Its OURS! Peace, privacy, personal space, and a consistent and affordable mortgage.

What goals will you set once in your new house?

I will continue working on becoming debt free and start saving more money for my children's future.

What are you most looking forward to in your new home?

I am really looking forward to personalizing everything! Making it home. My home.