Kathleen Arnold

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Kathleen received a Bachelor's in Global Justice Studies from James Madison University. Upon receiving her undergraduate degree, she spent 2 years working for a shelter for adults who had experienced sex trafficking in Baltimore as the Residential Supervisor. For seven years, Kathleen was dedicated to developing The Lampstand Safehome, a residential care program in VA for children who have experienced sex trafficking. In 2022, the Safehome opened. She served as the Executive Director of the Lampstand until in an effort to expand her efforts nationally, she took on the role of Senior Director of Programs for Safe House Project. Kathleen graduated top of her class with her Master's in Social work from Radford University and received the Excellence in Research award. She has immersed herself in Trauma Informed Care by receiving certification as a TBRI and a Mindset Instructor as well as gaining experience in Play Therapy, Restorative Circles, and Sexual Exploitation Treatment and Training Services. Kathleen is a founding member of the Roanoke Valley Trafficking Task Force. And she was the acting chair of the Roanoke Valley Violence Prevention Council in 2020. Kathleen is the proud wife of a deacon and enjoys singing on the worship team of her church.

