



Dear Sir or Madam:

As HabiTech 09' we are a group of 5th year Architecture students from Louisiana Tech University and we have some **big** aspirations! As a year long project, we have partnered with the North Central Louisiana Chapter of Habitat for Humanity to design and construct a home by May of 2009 for a family in Ruston. It is such a wonderful opportunity for us to work with the men and women of such a selfless and life changing organization. We are also honored to be the fourth group of 5th year students to make this happen.

Since that very first group to take this challenge, each graduating class' goals have all been very similar. Most importantly, we want simply to provide a home for a family who needs one. Furthermore though, these past homes provided more than a basic need of shelter but, through our expertise and developing skills, we created spaces with spirit and character that adds to a greater sense of community pride as well as the dignity of the family. This year our graduating class will strive to meet nothing short of these goals and then some!

We are more than willing and ready to take on the huge work load necessary to get this house built. However, we know that this can never happen without the support of our community members behind us and with us. That is why we need your help.

We are asking you to support our goal in any way that you are able. Donations in time, money, materials, and advice are all needed and gratefully received as HabiTech 09' and Habitat for Humanity work to make a dream become reality for a deserving family.

If you have any questions, please contact us via e-mail habitech09@googlegroups.com, or phone 318.257.5265. Also visit us on our web site, habitech09.latech.edu for more information and to follow our progress.

Sincerely,
HabitTech09

Habitech 09' Mission Statement

*To create a **home** that symbolizes hope, dignity, and character for a **family** and the surrounding **community**. As young professionals we will continue to advance our knowledge by crafting a home that demonstrates how architecture can improve a family's life as well as that of a community. We will build trust by creating relationships through community awareness and involvement in this home. As architecture students, we would like to challenge existing notions of housing to produce a thoughtful and responsive home for the family and the community.*



To Donate to HabiTech09:

- 1) Print and complete this form.
- 2) Make your check or money order payable to HabiTech. (note: for a tax deductible donation the check must be payable to Habitat For Humanity)
- 3) Mail the form and your check/ money order to:

School of Architecture
Attn: HabiTech
Louisiana Tech University
Box 3147 Ruston, La 71270

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Contribution: _____.