

Lutheran Coalition 2022 Build for Habitat North Central Georgia on Shady Trail in Canton
For the Mooney Family: Ashley, Kaleigh, Shannon and Korey



The Mooney Family



For most of her childhood, Ashley Mooney moved often throughout Georgia due to her parents' substance abuse. The family finally found a place they could afford in Forsyth County when she was in the 8th grade. The neighborhood has a local reputation as "bad", but to Ashley it was everything she had been missing - stability and a place to make friends. She met amazing people that impacted her life in many ways. She was introduced to Christianity by Priscilla Pruitt and Jan and Bill Levin as they led Bible Study groups in the community and organized trips for the children of the neighborhood.

Ashley learned about Habitat for Humanity while in high school; she had a friend who lived on Habitat Drive in Forsyth County.

She never imagined her life would intersect with the organization later in life. Ashley began preparing for homeownership four years ago. She made a concerted effort to improve her credit. She also prayed and cried out to God for His direction in leading her to a solution for her family's housing needs.

Ashley has worked for a sign company the last six years, having worn many hats during that time. She started as a warehouse associate on the shipping team and is now a Customer Development Specialist. The company has been very supportive of Ashley and provides her with flexibility in her schedule to attend to the kids' appointments and emergencies.

Ashley is "Mom" to three beautiful little girls. Her oldest, Kayleigh, is eight years old. Shannon is 2 and Korey is 1; these two younger girls are biological sisters and Ashley's nieces. They were born drug-addicted which is the primary reason Ashley has taken them in to raise. Ashley adopted Shannon in 2020 and plans to legally adopt Korey in 2022. Life is pretty full for this family.

The lack of a permanent home while growing up has fueled Ashley's passion to do better for her girls. She looks forward to being more independent and managing a home of her own. Habitat for Humanity-NCG sponsors and volunteers will help Ashley achieve her dream of homeownership in 2022. She is excited about the opportunity to demonstrate to her girls that hard works pays off, and showing them when putting your faith in God, anything is possible.

We build strength, stability, and self-reliance through shelter.