



*Empowering women, families, and youth through improved literacy since 1999*

### HOW YOU CAN HELP!

**BE THE STAR YOU ARE!®** believes that information infused with inspiration has the power to transform and change lives. **BE THE STAR YOU ARE!®** is a library of books and other media that empower women, families, and youth at risk to improve their daily lives. **BE THE STAR YOU ARE!®** is committed to providing positive role models to help them grow into valued citizens. Through its newsletters, web site, radio, TV, and Star Teen Book Review Team literacy outreach programs, **BE THE STAR YOU ARE!®** promotes and distributes its ever-growing list of informative positive videos, tapes and books to audiences who would otherwise never obtain these materials. Recipients of **BE THE STAR YOU ARE!®** products and services include other non profit youth at risk groups, juvenile hall facilities, youth camps and disaster relief.

In an era when violence and skepticism dominate the airwaves, **BE THE STAR YOU ARE!® 501 c3** charity offers a refreshing, welcome alternative helping beat the odds encouraging the American Dream.

Here are a few ways you can contribute:

- ❖ Send a tax deductible contribution or offer a monetary tribute or memoriam to a loved one
- ❖ Buy quantities of our books with sales proceeds to our charity: *Be the Star You Are! 99 Gifts for Living, Loving, Laughing and Learning to Make a Difference* and *Be the Star You Are! for TEENS* (Available through our office, on-line, or in stores)
- ❖ Donate air miles
- ❖ Sponsor our syndicated radio program
- ❖ Donate goods that can be auctioned off at an event
- ❖ Make **BE THE STAR YOU ARE!®** the beneficiary of your UNITED WAY donation
- ❖ Shop at your favorite stores on-line by visiting our on-line shops at <http://www.bethestaryouare.org/Shop.html>
- ❖ Sponsor an event making **BE THE STAR YOU ARE!®** the charitable beneficiary
- ❖ Donate through Ebay/Missionfish at [http://donations.ebay.com/charity/charity.jsp?NP\\_ID=1504](http://donations.ebay.com/charity/charity.jsp?NP_ID=1504)
- ❖ Ask your company to match your donation or make a contribution
- ❖ Volunteer time
- ❖ Become a Benefactor
- ❖ Establish A Charitable Giving Account with an Investment Firm in the name of **BE THE STAR YOU ARE!®**

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**BE THE STAR YOU ARE!® PO Box 376, Moraga, California 94556.**

We can be reached at **925-376-7126**. You will receive a receipt for your tax deductible donation. Credit card contributions and purchases are accepted.

*Thank you for your support.*

*Cynthia Brian, Founder, Executive Director*

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