



**SERVING JESUS  
ONE MEAL AT A TIME**

As 2022 comes to an end, we want to take a moment to thank all of you for the encouragement and support we have received this year. We are so fortunate that you and so many others have come to believe in the purpose of BBQ Mission. We have seen God's fingerprints on each and every act of kindness: *notes of encouragement; endless hours of volunteer service at our events; maintenance on our truck & trailer; keeping the grills fired up; lifting up countless prayers; and sharing your precious financial resources to serve those in need.*

This year, we made a giant leap of faith and added a new location in the West Valley where we serve weekly. Now, in addition to serving Mondays in downtown Phoenix, we also serve every Wednesday at Avondale Baptist Church, and several Saturdays each month at various locations. None of this would have been possible without the amazing opportunities that have been presented to us by God's grace.

God has also given us a revelation this season. We are not only serving individuals in need, but we also have the opportunity to come along side organizations that are making a great impact in their respective communities. Some amazing serving partnerships have developed with the Justa Center, MANA House, My Father's House, Sunshine Acres and House of Refuge, to name just a few.

One of the main purposes of BBQ Mission is to provide delicious food on purpose to those in need in the greater Phoenix area. We focus on providing protein with every meal because it is a vital component to good nutrition which is so often lacking in the homeless population and even within the material poor that are feeding themselves and their families primarily through food bank donations. What that has added up to over this last year includes:

1,500+ pounds of pulled pork  
4,000+ hot dogs  
1,600+ pounds of chicken  
2,400+ cheeseburgers  
600+ pounds of brisket  
12,500+ total meals served

We know that you have helped us make a difference in real people's lives. One of the things we feel is critical: to treat human beings with dignity, to serve them a meal as if they are a neighbor at our backyard BBQ. Thank you for supporting our ministry.

May you be blessed in 2023.

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