

General Information

- Love INC serves people of all religions.
- All services are free of charge.
- Those who receive help with minor home or car repairs must be able to pay for parts. We provide free labor.
- Those who receive help from us don't have the physical or financial ability to meet their needs themselves. For those who can afford to pay for services, we can recommend companies to call for help.
- One-time financial help is available only to graduates of our Budget Mentoring Program. Call (408) 723-9204 for info.
- Most of our phone volunteers speak only English. It would be very helpful if your initial call is made by someone who speaks English.
- Churches of many denominations are part of the Love INC Network. They all believe in the Bible as God's word and are in agreement with the Apostles' Creed.
- Love INC is funded by churches, individuals and businesses. By conviction we receive no government funding.
- There are 156 Love INC's in the USA.

To request help or for more information contact:

Love INC of Santa Clara County
P.O. Box 111363
Campbell, CA 95011-1363

Telephone Helpline:
(408) 723-9223

Office Hours:
Monday-Friday 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Fax: (408) 723-9202

Budget Mentoring Answering Machine: (408) 723-9204

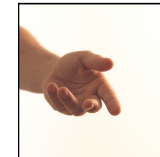
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Website: loveincsanclara-county.org

Love INC Of Santa Clara County



Love INC stands for
Love In the Name of Christ.
We are a network of churches
that work together to help people in
need in our community. Since our
founding in 1989, we have helped
thousands of families in



Can One of
Our Volunteers
Help You?



WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT HOW LOVE INC WORKS

WAYS LOVE INC CAN HELP

- Grocery shopping
- Friendly visitor
- Help with paperwork
- Budget mentoring
- Transportation to errands or appointments
- Minor home repairs
- Housecleaning
- * Help moving
- * Help organizing/ decluttering
- * Minor auto repairs
- * Yard work
- * Saturdays are the easiest days to find volunteers to help for services marked with *

How To Get Help



Call the Love INC Helpline at (408) 723-9223 Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.

- We will ask questions to help us verify a doctor's appointment, to assess a move or home repair, and to help us find the volunteer who can best meet your need. It will take about 10 minutes to gather all the information we need.
- In general we request lead time of seven business days to find a volunteer. The more time you give us, the more likely we will be able to help.
- Before hanging up, we may ask if we can pray for you and your need.



Using our list of volunteers we then look for the Love INC Network Church closest to you to get the help you need.

- Since all who serve are volunteers, we can't guarantee that we'll be able to help you. If we can't find a volunteer in a timely manner, we will let you know so you can make other arrangements.

How often can I ask for help?

In general Love INC can help with two needs per month.

Will the same volunteer meet my need every time I ask for help?

Not necessarily. Every request is presented to a volunteer as a one-time service opportunity. We keep records and will often ask a volunteer if they want to help the same person again.

What can I expect from a volunteer who helps me?

You can expect them to live up to our name, Love In the Name of Christ. Expect them to be on time, do excellent work, have a good attitude and treat you with respect. If they fail to do so, please call the Love INC office.

Will the person that helps try to convert me?

Our volunteers are motivated by their love for Jesus. You can expect them to be concerned for your spiritual welfare as well as your physical needs. They may politely ask you if you want to talk about spiritual things, offer to pray for you, or invite you to come to church with them. If you don't feel like talking about spiritual matters, just let the volunteer know this. They will respect your wishes.