



# SABU SHAKE SR. MEMORIAL FUNDRAISER TO BENEFIT THE SALVATION ARMY MONTEREY PENINSULA CORPS

Our Family will be kicking off our annual Christmas Drive today, December 5<sup>th</sup> 2025 in remembrance of Sabu Shake Sr., marking the 27th anniversary of his passing. We will continue our drive throughout the Holiday Season with all proceeds to benefit The Salvation Army–Monterey Peninsula Corps. It is our hope and goal to raise \$200,000. In order to do this, we need your help and support.  
Would you please consider donating to our Christmas Drive?



**Sabu Shake embraced the values of compassion and generosity. Your donation will be a very wonderful way to remember such a giving and caring man.**

**SPECIAL THANKS TO ALL OF OUR 2024 CHRISTMAS  
FUND CONTRIBUTORS WHO DONATED \$182,435  
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MONTEREY PENINSULA CORPS

November 22, 2025

The Shake Family  
PO Box 2289  
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RE: Sabu Shake, Sr. Memorial Fund 2025

Thank you for your continuing support of those in need this Holiday Season. The legacy of giving on behalf of your father has reached so many people over the years and continues to transform lives today.

Your generosity helps so many. You will see that in the statistics below, but we also want to paint a picture of your impact in a couple of examples here. Because of your generosity, a child will be able to sleep soundly with a roof over their head in our emergency apartments. A woman who is rebuilding her life will gain confidence through our Pathway of Hope program. Men and women living in their cars, or on the street, will have access to free showers, laundry and hot meals as they try to put the pieces of their lives back together. Your giving make a great impact for many people, yes, but it also makes a great impact in individuals lives. On their behalf, we are truly grateful.

Here are some numbers from this past year:

- Meals provided: 35,769
- 14,656 nights of shelter for families
- 8,696 food boxes distributed
- 7,528 showers/laundry assistance
- 1,361 gas vouchers for seniors
- 3,080 articles of clothing provided to needy
- 581 children received toys last Christmas

Thank you for your service. May God bless you richly.

  
J. and Ashley Koebel, Captains  
Corps Officers, Monterey Peninsula Corps

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By donating at the Sponsor Level, you will be assisting the following Salvation Army Programs:

### Sponsor Levels:

**EMERALD – \$10,000.00 – Provides daily childcare and two meals for 1 child for an entire year**

**DIAMOND – \$5,000.00 – Provides emergency rental assistance to 8 families**

**PLATINUM – \$2,500.00 – Provides 60 food boxes to the needy**

**GOLD – \$1,500.00 – Provides 300 meals for the homeless**

**SILVER – \$1,000.00 – Provides emergency shelter for two families for 10 nights**

**BRONZE – \$500.00 – Provides utility assistance to two families**

You can drop off your donation check at any of the Shake Family Restaurants or you may mail your donation to the Salvation Army c/o Old Fisherman's Grotto, P.O. Box 2289, Monterey, CA 93942-2289. **Please make all checks payable to the Salvation Army.**

Your gift will be acknowledged in the Monterey County Herald, and a receipt will be returned for your tax records.  
For more information, please contact Karen Rodriguez at (831) 645-9124.

**WISHING YOU A BLESSED HOLIDAY SEASON – THE SHAKE FAMILY**