"I'm going on 7 years with Jeremy, my Little. I have gotten more from this relationship than anyone can possibly imagine." -Bruce, Big Brother

## We know this relationship works...

Research has proven that Littles who regularly see their Bigs are:

- Less likely to use drugs and alcohol
- More likely to stay in school
- More likely to resolve conflicts with words, not fists

### Big Brothers Big Sisters

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JBFCS helps New Yorkers of all religious, ethnic and socioeconomic backgrounds throughout New York City and in Westchester.

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Putting a smile on a child's face is just the beginning.





## Join us if you would like to

- LOOK at the world anew with a child *A child sees with fresh vision.*
- **LISTEN** to what a child says Sometimes a child just needs a shoulder to lean on.
- LEARN from a child Every child has a lot to teach us.

## The JBFCS



We provide a child from a single-parent home with a well-matched Big Brother or Big Sister. Children in our program come from all religious, ethnic, and socioeconomic backgrounds.



# To become part of this wonderful program, here's all it takes:

- Make a one-year commitment
- Spend two weekend afternoons a month with a child on a one-to-one basis
- Play ball, go for a walk, talk, just be a friend

Friendship is the essence of the relationship between Bigs and their Littles. Your time together lets the Little

- Enjoy the pleasures of childhood
- Gain a more hopeful outlook on life
- Benefit from having a positive role model

# Sister Program

#### Volunteers must be

- At least 21 years old
- A responsible and caring adult who enjoys and relates well to children
- Able to provide the consistency that is key to a successful friendship