

# VOLUNTEER SPRING NIGHT



Rachel

DART & TEXTLINE VOLUNTEER

**We are incredibly honored to introduce a volunteer whose commitment to our mission spans over a decade!**

**Rachel's journey with Laurel House began in 2015 at our very first Walk a Mile event while representing a local fire department. When she heard that DART (Domestic Abuse Response Team) was looking for volunteers, she knew it was the perfect fit. She signed up for training the following spring and hasn't looked back since!**

**Whether Rachel is responding to crises in person or answering texts, her goal remains the same: ensuring no one feels alone. As a member of our DART Team, she provides immediate support while also serving as a Textline Advocate to offer a digital lifeline to those in need. In addition to her crisis work, Rachel works part-time at Laurel's Loft to support our programs through our thrift store and frequently represents Laurel House at various community outreach and public information events.**

**While she often only plays a short role in someone's journey to healing, she recently had the rare opportunity to reconnect with someone she helped years ago. Seeing how far they had come and how much their life had changed was a powerful reminder of why this work is so vital.**