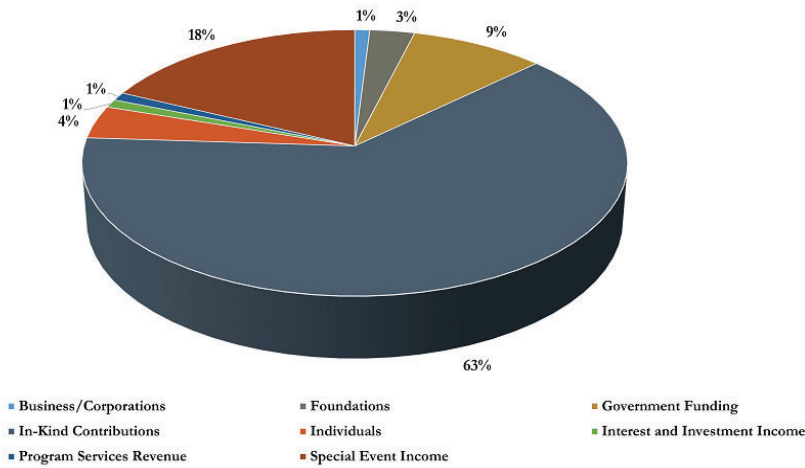


# 2022 TEXAS CENTER FOR THE MISSING ANNUAL REPORT EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

*Texas Center for the Missing (TCM), a Houston-based 501c3 missing persons organization formerly known as Gabriel's Gifts, was formed after the disappearance of 17-year-old Gabriel Lester who was reported missing from his high school. Gabriel's mother, a Houston-area businesswoman, decided after his remains were located four months later to turn her tragedy into a positive effort that would have an impact on missing children and their families in Greater Houston. Her personal story and extraordinary vision established TCM's mission to **bring hope and healing to the missing and their families through crisis intervention, prevention, and community education.***

## 2022 REVENUE SOURCES



# 60

NUMBER OF  
**FAMILIES REUNITED**  
BY TCM SERVICES

# 155

NUMBER OF  
**LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS**  
TRAINED ON MISSING PERSONS INVESTIGATIONS AND AMBER/SILVER ALERT ISSUANCE

NUMBER OF  
**LOCATIONS HOSTING DIGITAL SAFETY TRAINING**

# 40

NUMBER OF  
**AMBER ALERTS ISSUED BY TCM IN 2022**

# 3

# 20

NUMBER OF  
**SILVER ALERTS ISSUED BY TCM IN 2022**

# 264

NUMBER OF  
**FAMILIES WHO ACCESSED CRISIS CASE MANAGEMENT SERVICES**

NUMBER OF CHILDREN WHO  
**RECEIVED INTERNET SAFETY AND CYBERBULLYING PREVENTION TRAINING**

# 2,026



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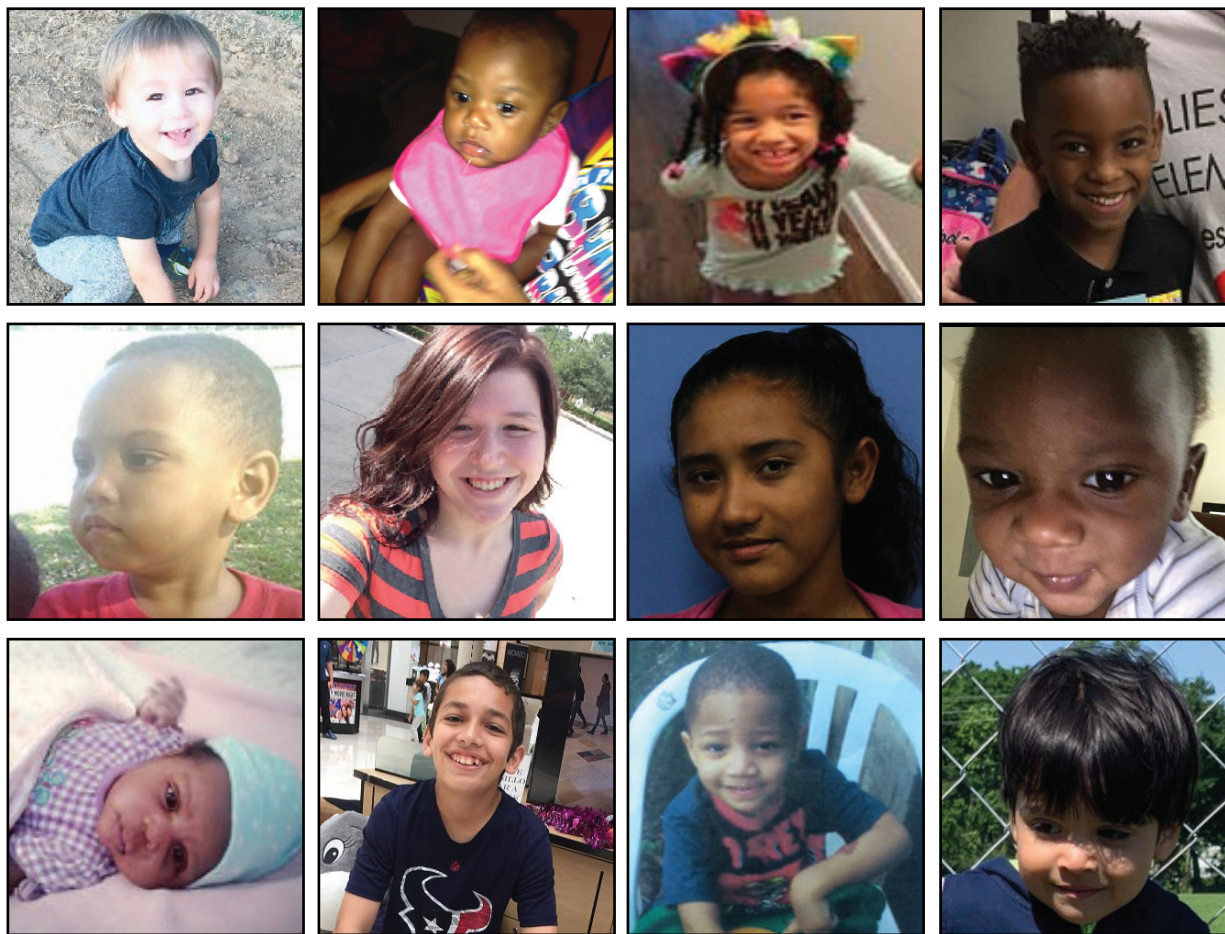
## AMBER ALERT PARTNERS SAVE LIVES

In 2022, TCM issued 3 Amber Alerts for 7 at-risk missing children!

There is no national system for Amber Alert activation. Each region relies on local resources to successfully implement the recommended national guidelines.

Texas Center for the Missing provides the training and activates all local Amber Alerts via a web-based platform designed specifically for the Houston-Galveston region. Through 2022, Houston's Amber Alert has issued 205 Amber Alerts for 255 endangered missing children with a 96% rate of safe recovery and is credited with saving 125 children out of the 1,127 recoveries directly attributed to the Amber Alert nationwide.

As the Administrator of the Houston Regional Amber Alert System, TCM remains dedicated to the families served in 2022. TCM truly appreciates the generosity and leadership of the community members who provide funding for this life-saving program.



TEXAS CENTER FOR THE MISSING HAS BEEN SERVING GREATER HOUSTON FOR 22 YEARS AND OUR DEDICATION TO SEARCHING FAMILIES REMAINS UNWAVERING. TO DATE, TCM HAS REUNITED 386 FAMILIES AS A DIRECT RESULT OF OUR CRISIS CASE MANAGEMENT SERVICES.

THANKS TO YOU, WE STAND READY TO RESPOND TO CALLS FOR HELP 24/7.

Texas Center for the Missing, Houston's Amber Alert AND Silver Alert Provider, brings hope and healing to the missing and their families through crisis intervention, prevention, and community education.