



# THE POWER OF **PRAYER**

THEY STAND WATCH FOR US  
LET OUR PRAYERS STAND WATCH FOR THEM



## ABOUT ADOPT-A-COP MINISTRY

Adopt-A-Cop is a prayer ministry that covers our communities' Law Enforcement officers with prayer on a daily basis.

Besides the obviously high physical risk in their profession, officers also have a higher probability of becoming cynical, feeling hopeless, having relationship problems, succumbing to alcohol abuse, drug abuse, involved in domestic violence and becoming suicidal. The divorce and suicide rates among law enforcement personnel far exceed the national average.

While a bulletproof vest affords a certain level of protection for our officers, an even greater blessing and shield of protection can be found in the power of prayer.

The goal of Adopt-A-Cop is to assign every individual officer to a person or family who will pray for them on a daily basis and send an occasional note offering encouragement, prayer support and gratitude for the service they provide.

Imagine the difference YOU can make  
in the lives of those who put  
their lives on the line  
for us every day.

# ADOPT-A-COP MINISTRY REQUIREMENTS

## **PRAYER PARTNERS**

We ask that an Adopt-A-Cop Prayer Partner commit to praying for an individual law enforcement officer every day. Please do not contact your assigned officer except through notes or letters sent to the agency address of the law enforcement officer. The notes are to serve as a means of encouragement and appreciation only. You may include Scriptures if you desire. Please do not attempt to evangelize or preach. We are providing prayer coverage and support only. We ask that you do not send tracts or gifts of any kind with your note.

## **OFFICERS**

If you are a law enforcement officer and would like to receive support, encouragement and prayer for your work, we invite you to submit your information to the Adopt-A-Cop website. The ministry will assign your name to a committed prayer partner. If possible, this will be a person who lives in your area.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION about  
Adopt-A-Cop Prayer Protection Ministries  
Go To: [Adopt-A-Cop.org](http://Adopt-A-Cop.org)**

# FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

## **How Do I Participate in Adopt-A-Cop as a Law Enforcement Officer or Prayer Partner?**

Go to [Adopt-A-Cop.org](http://Adopt-A-Cop.org) and click on "Get Involved"!

## **How do I contact my Cop?**

YOU DON'T. In order to enlist the cooperation and involvement of various law enforcement agencies we have promised that there will be no contact from the prayer partners except through prayer cards and notes of encouragement sent directly to the department unless the law enforcement officer initiates the communication. There is to be no solicitation of any kind.

## **Is it necessary to sign our names?**

Sure you may, but the officers don't need your address, phone number or email. If they would like to respond, they may contact an Adopt-A-Cop office and they will be happy to provide them the information they need.

## **May I buy or make my own cards?**

Yes you may, but we ask that you do not include anything in the envelope except the card.

## **What do I do with my completed Adopt-a-Cop cards?**

We ask that you mail them directly to the Law Enforcement agency of which your officer serves.

## **How do I begin a local Adopt-A-Cop chapter?**

Most of the information you need can be found at:  
[Adopt-A-Cop.org/get-involved/](http://Adopt-A-Cop.org/get-involved/)

If you have more questions or would like to learn about other available resources to help initiate a local chapter, contact Chaplain Clif Cummings at [chaplainclif@Adopt-A-Cop.org](mailto:chaplainclif@Adopt-A-Cop.org).

**Sign up for the Adopt-A-Cop monthly e-newsletter at:**  
[Adopt-A-Cop.org/newsletter-signup](http://Adopt-A-Cop.org/newsletter-signup)