Dancing with Their Heroes
A Celebration of Fathers and Daughters in Trenton

On the evening of November 8th, The Children’s Home Society of New Jersey (CHS of NJ) with its two Trenton-based Family Success Centers, UIH Family Partners and Fathers & Men United for a Better Trenton jointly hosted a celebration of fathers and daughters in Trenton. Over 70 young Trenton girls attended special evening at the Lighthouse Outreach Ministry on Bellevue Avenue with their fathers, father figures or other important male role model in their life. Local Girl Scout troops donated over 100 fancy dresses for the girls, and UIH Family Partners “Dress to Impress” Program has provided suits, shirts and ties for many of their proudly accompanying heroes. A buffet dinner was donated by Trenton Area Soup Kitchen (TASK) and DJ DaeDae had everyone moving on the dance floor. The Planning Committee for this special event worked hard to bring together community partners and guests including leadership members of each sponsoring organization, Cynthia White (singer & songwriter), Walker Worthy, Jr. (Mercer County Deputy) and other Trenton Representatives.

Inspiring these families to build and strengthen the healthy relationships between fathers the children in their lives was the goal, and the smiles on the faces of these fathers and their daughters said more than words.