

NEW EMPLOYER HELPS MOTHER OF SIX AFTER FIRE DESTROYS HOME

High Point, NC. January 17, 2008. At the Liberty Tax Service in Thomasville last Friday night (1/11/08), Breanna Resper entertained a client's child as the mother's taxes were being prepared. After an intense week of study, Breanna looked forward to the test she was to take the next day which would qualify her to be a tax preparer, and help her support her own children. She thought that dream went up in smoke Saturday, lying in the rubble of the home she shared with her six children, which was destroyed in a fire accidentally set by one of them.

But Angela Williams, manager of the brand new Liberty Tax at Mainchester Shopping Center in High Point, was not about to give up on Breanna. "She is very outgoing, very smart, always asked questions, eager to learn – exactly the type of person we need on our team," relates Angela. And although Breanna won't be an official employee until she takes and passes the final test, the Liberty Tax stores of Thomasville and High Point already consider her a part of the family and are accepting donations to help get the family back on its feet.

The family lost everything in the fire and contributions of furniture, appliances, towels, bedding, dishes, gift cards, cash, clothes, etc. will be gratefully accepted at locations in both Thomasville (813-C Randolph St., next to Papa John's Pizza) and High Point (2200 N. Main St., corner of N. Main and Eastchester/Westchester, 336-889-0829). Please call if you have large items to donate. The girls are 9 months, 4, and 10. The boys are 13 and 6-year-old twins. All are big for their age; exact sizes are available at the stores. Anyone making a contribution will receive a \$25 off tax preparation coupon.

The High Point Thomasville stores will be especially easy to find this Saturday, Jan. 19, from 10 am – 5 pm when they host their signature "Roadside Party" complete with free food and waving "Lady Liberty" to kick off the tax season. They will also be giving away liberty crowns.

Founded in 1997, Liberty Tax Service is the fastest growing retail tax preparation company in the industry's history. Founder and CEO John T. Hewitt has 38 years of tax industry experience, the most of any CEO in the tax preparation business. Hewitt is also the founder of Jackson Hewitt Tax Service.

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