

# RAYMOND JAMES

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Matt Brown/Raymond James partners with Heart of the Cumberland

**COOKEVILLE-** Raymond James Financial Services (RJFS) off North Washington Avenue has chosen to partner with Heart of the Cumberland for their Q3 charitable donation. Since opening their doors in 2009, their mission is to bring hope and healing to grieving children, teens, and adults by providing peer support groups to those on a journey through grief. Peer support groups are offered in the community and in Putnam County School BEST Groups. All services are free of charge and funding is provided through individuals, businesses, and churches.

The \$1500.00 donation was divided between supplies from their wish list and a monetary donation. The supplies donated will be used for BEST Groups in Putnam County Schools during the 2023 school year. BEST Groups, which stands for Be Each Other's Support Team are for students in 2<sup>nd</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grade. The goal is to provide a safe place to share feelings, learn to talk about changes in your family, and help process the feelings with those changes.

Financial Advisor Cassie Brown chose this quarter's charitable donation. Brown said "I met Diane and Tammy at a networking event. I have lost a few important people in my life recently, so my heart connected quickly with their cause. I believe it is really important to have emotional support during times of grief. Heart of the Cumberland provides love, education, and support to make tough times easier."

To learn more about Heart of the Cumberland visit: <https://www.heartofthecumberland.org/>.

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