



Meet Our New Military Makeover Family

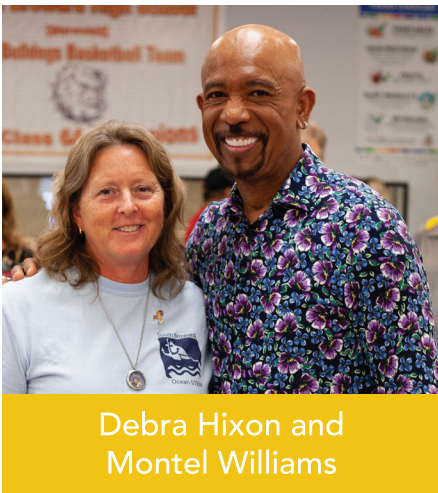
Military Makeover's renovation of the Hixon family home will air on Lifetime in February 2020.



Chris Hixon

U.S. Navy Veteran Chris Hixon sacrificed his life on Feb. 14, 2018, when the athletic director ran into Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School's freshman building to try to save the lives of students by disarming an active shooter. The tragedy, which would see 16 other lives lost, will forever impact Broward County and the MSD Community.

Hixon, a 27-year veteran (5 active, 22 reserve) who served in Desert Storm and Desert Shield, is survived by his wife Debra and their two sons, Thomas and Corey. Debra, also the daughter of a Navy veteran, has been a teacher for 29 years, serving as a Magnet Coordinator at South Broward High School's Marine Science Maritime Magnet Program.



Debra Hixon and Montel Williams

"He loved being American and serving his country, and he instilled it in his students," Debra said. Chris Hixon received Military Funeral Honors before he was laid to rest at the age of 49 at the South Florida VA National Cemetery in Lake Worth, FL, on Feb. 21, 2018.

In partnership with major national and local brands, the Military Makeover team comes prepared with building supplies, designs, furniture, gifts and much more from the generous partnerships cultivated by the show. Additionally, volunteers will be invited to participate and lend a hand in support of the Hixon Family during the renovation of the home they shared for 28 years.

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Thurs. & Fri. at 7:30 a.m. (ET/PT)



Military Makeover with Montel is a very special home improvement series that aims to respect those who have served our country, rebuild the homes—and even the lives—of these brave service men and women, and repay veterans for the service and sacrifices they've made for us.

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