

# Industrial School for Girls, Toowong

1907 – 1956

**Other Names:**

- The Harbour, Salvation Army Girls Industrial Home
- The Haven, Girl's Industrial Home, Toowong
- The Salvation Army Industrial School for Girls

## Details

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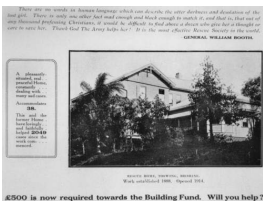
The Industrial School for Girls in Toowong was operated by the Salvation Army. It opened in 1907 and was licensed in 1917 under the *State Children's Act 1911*. In 1956, it became known as the Salvation Army Girls' Home.

In 1941 there were eight girls under the age of 16 in residence at this home.

The home was located in a two storey building on Jephson Street, Toowong, which was formerly called Church Street. The name change occurred c.1924.

## Gallery

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**Salvation Army Rescue Home for Girls, Toowong, ca. 1914**



**Toowong, Qld., 1914**

**Description:** This image shows the Industrial School for Girls, Toowong.



**Salvation Army Home at Taringa, Brisbane, 1914**



**Salvation Army Home in Church Street, Toowong, 1932**

**Description:** This library catalogue states the image was copied and digitised from an image appearing in the Sunday Truth, 28 February 1932, p. 11.

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# More info

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## Chronology

- **Industrial School for Girls, Toowong (1907 – 1956)**
  - Salvation Army Girls' Home, Toowong (1956 - c. 1961)
  - Kalimna Vocational Centre for Girls (1962 - 1977)

## Related Entries

### Run by

- [The Salvation Army, Australian Territory \(1880 - 1921\)](#)
- [The Salvation Army Australia Eastern Territory \(1921 - 2018\)](#)

## Resources

- The Salvation Army Australia Eastern Territory, [Submission No. 46 to the Senate Inquiry into Children in Institutional Care: The Salvation Army Australia Southern Territorial Headquarters \(VIC\), Appendix B, Eastern Territory Social Centres, A list of openings, closings and function](#), June 2003
- Cleland, Sharon, [Caring for the Children: A history of institutional care provided by The Salvation Army for Australian children and youth \(1893-1995\)](#), August 2012

# Records

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For more information and to access your records, follow the links below:

## Records

- [Salvation Army Australia, Records of Homes in the former Eastern Territory \(c. 1891 - 1990s\)](#)
- [Correspondence files, single number series with 'B' \[Child Endowment\] prefix \(1904 - 1974\)](#)
- [Miscellaneous Items and Correspondence - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander files \(1859 - 1997\)](#)
- [Health & Home Affairs/Education Department Batch Files \[Correspondence\] - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander files \(1884 - 1970\)](#)

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