



Left, are two of Chris and Heidi Slaydon's three sons, Flint and Stryker. The boys helped organize the donated goods near the sales floor of Vernon Auto Group's frontage road location.

Below, a semi-trailer with a small portion of the goods gathered by Vernon Auto Group and donated by residents of Wilbarger County.



During his mission, Slaydon shared photos of their venture on social media. Slaydon and Echols were seen in photos with local law enforcement navigating Houston neighborhoods that are currently underwater, using their boat to bring people to shelter.

"I really just got a wild hair and called Kyle," Slaydon said after he returned. "I asked if he wanted to go to Houston and he didn't even hesitate. The next thing you know we are floating around on streets in floodwaters."

Two members of Vernon Auto Group set off to serve and assist rescue teams involved in hurricane Harvey.

Chris Slaydon and Kyle Echols reported after Harvey made landfall, that they were in route to help family and friends in Houston.

"Wish us luck and send prayers to Houstonians," Slaydon said on social media. "God gives in great abundance, those with an overflow in abundance are bound by duty to their fellow man to lend their hands. God speed all!"

Slaydon and Echols official donned the titles of captain and rode off to Houston as the "Vernon Navy," a themed name in reference to volunteers from all over the state and country using watercrafts to search and rescue as many victims of the hurricane as possible.

While Slaydon was in Houston, Vernon Auto Group began taking donations for Hurricane Harvey victims.



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## Pinnacle Solutions Now Serving Vernon

Glenn Tarter is the owner of Pinnacle Network Solutions, headquartered in Wichita Falls. The company recently expanded to offering wireless internet in Wilbarger County.

Tarter has worked in Wichita Falls area for several years with emphasis almost exclusively in sales and management. In 1995 he joined Clearwire Corporation, a wireless internet provider for this area, eventually becoming General Manager for the Wichita

Falls and Abilene markets.

In April 2017, he visited with the Vernon city commission to finalize bringing service to Vernon.

In addition to Wilbarger County, the company operates in Wichita, Clay, Montague, Archer, and Young counties of North Texas and Jefferson County in southern Oklahoma.

The company phone number is 940-247-0085.

