

EXTREME MAKEOVER HOME EDITION

On February 26th, Ty Pennington and the design team from "Extreme Makeover: Home Edition" yelled the proverbial line, "Move that bus!" revealing a new, larger sustainable home for the Collins family built by the local town and surrounding community that joined forces with "Extreme Makeover: Home Edition".



Aegis Metal Framing, LLC of Chesterfield, MO. and Southern Components, Inc. of Shreveport, LA. teamed up as a contributor with RealSteel Homes of Rogers, Ark. to pull out the stops in building the Collins family a high quality, energy-efficient home in just one week.

Aegis and Southern Components provided the steel materials, fabrication, and installation of cold formed metal framing trusses to top the

**The Collins Family
episode will air
Sunday, April 29th,
2007 on ABC, 8/7c.**



"Green" home. According to Bob Ward, President, Southern Components, "We were delighted to participate in this most worthwhile project. Thanks to the quick response of Aegis and our steel division, the Collins family home was built on time and on schedule. I couldn't be happier with the outcome."

RealSteel and the "Extreme Makeover: Home Edition" design team's

focus was truly about helping one local logger's family persevere through tough times by giving them a home that is large enough to help raise their extended family of six children. Kim and Dennis Collins' teenage son, Mitchell, survived a rare form of brain cancer to become a positive inspiration to others. He now collects pop tabs from soda cans in an effort to help raise money for juvenile cancer patients and the Arkansas Children's Hospital. The Collins' also opened their small home to five more children when Kim's cousin was killed. Thanks to thousands of volunteers and committed neighbors, the Collins' will come home to a house large enough for this loving family of eight.

"Extreme Makeover: Home Edition" airs at 7 p.m. each Sunday on ABC television.