Caring Together

The Truth Will Set You Free...

Your support saved another life!

Care Net's Pregnancy Decision Line (PDL) is on the front lines, defending lives. Our greatest weapon in the fight? The truth. PDL coaches lovingly share a message of truth and life with women and men considering abortion.

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REAL TRUTH

That's exactly what Emma* found the day she placed the call of her life. The call that ended unexpectedly for her and demonstrated the power of John 8:32, "Then you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free."

Thinking she was calling an abortion clinic, she reached one of Care Net's Pregnancy Decision Coaches.

Like so many, Emma believed abortion was her only option. Already a single mom, she was 14 weeks pregnant and completely overwhelmed every time she tried to think of how she could provide for another child. To make matters worse, her family was unsupportive and her baby's father was facing jail time.

Then Emma shared something else... this would not be her first abortion. In fact, when talking about her last abortion, she told the PDL coach that she had "given it over to God" and could do it again without any consequences...

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INSIDE: Learn how your support turned GUILT into HOPE!

Names throughout this newsletter have been changed to protect the privacy of individuals.



LEANING INTO TRUTH

Realizing that Emma was trapped in the lies of the Enemy, Care Net's PDL coach prayed for what to say next. And then it came... The truth. Yes, the truth that would ultimately set Emma free!

The PDL coach shared with Emma that her child already had a heartbeat... and that heart had already been beating for more than two months!

This stopped Emma in her tracks. She was stunned, but she was NOT speechless. She

responded immediately by declaring that she was "going to have this baby!" In that moment of truth, Emma knew the right thing to do. Regardless of the challenges she was facing, she knew the answer was NOT abortion. It was LIFE!

GIVING THE GIFT OF TRUTH

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You share a message of truth, life, and hope with women like Emma every day through your generous support of Care Net's Pregnancy Decision Line and affiliated pregnancy centers. These mothers are trapped in the lie that abortion is their only way out and don't know how their child is growing and developing, but they gladly receive the truth when it is presented in love. Since that first call to PDL, Emma has seen God working in her life. The family of her baby's father has offered to support her and the baby. And, as Emma learns to trust God to provide for her needs, she is finding a peace that only He can give!

MORE WORK TO DO

Because of the many stories of incredible transformation that we hear every day, Care Net is more committed than ever to reach more parents like Emma. There are so many more women and men who do not know that their child already has a heartbeat...

The stakes are high and we need your help to spread the truth about life and Christ to the women and men who are still out there, thinking abortion is their best or only option. Care Net's PDL and our network of 1,160 affiliated pregnancy centers are doing great work every day.

However, we must expand PDL by adding more coaches in the year ahead and continue supporting our network of affiliated pregnancy centers by ensuring they have the most up to date information and technology to empower women and men to choose life!

Because Care Net receives no government funding, we depend on you to bring a life-saving message to women like Emma. We must raise \$355,000 every month in order for us to continue this life-saving work.

Every dollar helps to give women like Emma the truth about life and abortion. The truth will ultimately set them free! Please help today.

Thank you, Mom & Dad! On behalf of everyone here at Care Net, we want to be the first to wish you a very Happy Mother's Day and Happy Father's Day. Thank you for everything you do and have done for your own children. -1983 En 4 And thank you for fighting to give thousands of unborn children the chance to meet their own 3 moms and dads... one unborn life at a time. (1) 6.91



He who fears the Lord has a secure fortress, and for his children it will be a refuge. — Proverbs 14:26

Confusion. Betrayal.

How your support transformed grief into JOY!

When Zuria* contacted Pregnancy Decision Line (PDL), she was burdened by guilt.

Her son's father had passed away, and she was in a new relationship. When she found out she was pregnant, she emailed us. She felt conflicted, wondering whether having the baby would betray the memory of her young son's father.

While the father of her unborn child was supportive of the pregnancy, she still wasn't sure.

IRREPLACEABLE

One of our PDL coaches set up a time to talk with Zuria on the phone, knowing that an unborn baby's life hung in the balance.

In that phone call, the PDL coach affirmed the expectant mother's feelings about the importance of the first father and assured her that no one could replace him. She then encouraged Zuria to see her new pregnancy as a chance to heal and grow as a family.

Having someone who truly listened to her made all the difference. After talking through her feelings and fears, Zuria chose LIFE!

FROM GUILT TO HOPE

A day after that fateful phone call, Zuria emailed back and said that she was so thankful for the support that kept her from choosing to have an abortion. She is now excited about her new family and is going to keep us updated on the baby!

YOUR SUPPORT SAVED A LIFE

Imagine parents' unspeakable joy as they hold their newborn child. Your prayers and support make that possible!

Every dollar you share offers parents truth and the opportunity to choose LIFE for their unborn children. Please give your best today to support this life-saving work!

DEFEND THE DEFENSELESS: AS A WARRIOR FOR LIFE!

We need you to lead the way as a WARRIOR FOR LIFE and fight for those who cannot fight for themselves... by sharing compassion and truth with mothers and fathers considering abortion.

As a Caring Partner, your monthly giving commitment of \$30 or more will help keep Care Net on the front lines in the fight to save children's lives. Caring Partner Benefits Include:

- Quarterly Reports
- A designated Care Net team member to serve you
- A monthly letter with updates on how your support saves lives
- An exclusive prayer devotional for your personal spiritual growth
- Invitations to special partner events
- The knowledge that you are fighting for unborn lives EVERY MONTH

To become a Caring Partner, please mark your decision on the enclosed response slip and return it with your first monthly gift. You can also **sign up online** at our website **care-net.org** or call us at 1.800.518.7909. Thank you!

Raising Up the Next Generation

Friends, I am encouraged about the future in our battle to save the unborn. It's easy to feel discouraged about the "kids" around us, but our movement has a great deal to celebrate.

Recent public opinion polls show young people aged 15-35, the Millennial Generation, are more pro-life than the generation before them, Generation X. 23% of Millennials believe abortion should be illegal in all situations, while only 17% of Generation X-ers believe this.

The abortion rate is at its lowest point since Roe V. Wade passed in 1973. Finally, the rate of out-of-wedlock childbirths, on the rise for decades, has finally started to fall.

I was inspired by what I witnessed at the March for Life in Washington, D.C. in January. Busloads of students pulled up and our nation's future leaders marched to defend the precious lives of the unborn.

As I looked out over the sea of young faces, I was reminded of Psalm 71: 18: "Even when I am old and gray, do not forsake me, O God, till I declare your power to the next generation, your might to all who are to come."

Those words sparked an overwhelming desire to capture the energy of those young marchers and turn it into ongoing action that will save lives!

Care Net works to strengthen young families so that both babies and parents can have the abundant life that God desires for them. We also work with churches to inspire leaders and congregants to become more active in the fight for the unborn.



Thank you for your support of Care Net as we strive together to raise up a new generation unborn.

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Celebrate Life Today

How many birthdays will YOU make possible?

Every dollar you share empowers Care Net's Pregnancy Decision Line and our affiliated pregnancy centers to save precious lives across the country EVERY SINGLE DAY.

Nearly 1.1 million unborn children will die in abortions this year, unless we do something about it! In the past six years alone, generous donors like YOU have saved the lives of over 388,000 unborn children through Pregnancy Decision Line and Care Net's affiliate network of pregnancy centers. Your support is critical!

Your immediate gift will help us provide resources for affiliated pregnancy centers to offer compassionate care and hope to parents and their unborn children, and keep Pregnancy Decision Line reaching out to share a message of LIFE and TRUTH with abortion-determined women and men through its website and call center.

We need to raise \$355,000 in the next 30 days to continue providing these critical resources. Please give your best to help empower mothers and fathers to CHOOSE LIFE for their unborn children and ABUNDANT LIFE for themselves and their families!

