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How you brought Christ-centered compassion to a mom struggling with a decision, and a dad breaking from his past.

When Brynn* first heard the news at her ultrasound appointment, she was overwhelmed.

Twins!?

Already the devoted mother of a one-year-old, she had not planned to walk through pregnancy again – especially not on her own. Though her first child's father remained supportive and present, the situation with her twins felt entirely different. The babies' father, Jayden, was sending mixed signals – one moment asking for a DNA test, the next talking about taking the children to live with him.

For Brynn, the confusion was *exhausting*. For Jayden*, the fear ran even deeper. He had grown up without a father. His own childhood had been marked by instability, shaped by a mother struggling with addiction and the absence of a steady, loving male presence. No one had ever shown him what it looked like or meant to be a dad. And now, he was challenged

to become one.

At Care Net, we often see how a father's voice can shape a mother's decision – towards fear . . . or hope. In Brynn's case, Jayden's uncertainty only added to her burden. But when she called Care Net's Pregnancy Decision Line (PDL) and spoke to Tabitha, something began to change.

Tabitha reminded Brynn that she was not alone – and that the lives she carried were a blessing, even with so much uncertainty and stress swirling around her. She talked to her about the many programs and resources available to help her through her local pregnancy center, and she even offered to pray for her before they ended their first call.

After being lifted up in prayer, and having a chance to think about her conversation with Tabitha, Brynn's heart began to steady. She made the courageous decision to continue her pregnancy.

And then, something unexpected happened. Jayden began to step forward. Instead of pulling away, he expressed a willingness to learn, to grow into the role he had never seen modeled. He agreed to attend parenting classes at the pregnancy center. He made plans to join Brynn at doctor's appointments. With each small step, fear began to give way to responsibility . . . and even hope.

It's a powerful reminder: fatherhood matters.

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RECLAIMING FATHERHOOD

If you are a man and abortion is part of your story, you are not alone and we want to get you connected with other men who have walked this same path and found healing.



Find out more at care-net.org/reclaiming-fatherhood

SERVING DADS IN THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST

As Care Net continues to pursue its Pro Abundant Life vision, we have launched an exciting new effort to save unborn lives, build strong families, and make disciples for Christ. This past fall, we launched a Pacific Northwest Fatherhood Project – a bold, three-year regional effort to strengthen families by engaging fathers like never before.

For more than 50 years, Care Net has faithfully served women facing pregnancy decisions. But we've also recognized a critical truth: you can't fully serve families without reaching fathers. When a man steps into his God-given role, it changes everything – for the mother, for the child, and for the future of that family.

From the launch of the *Joseph Project* in 2015, to national pilot programs that increased father engagement, to reaching thousands of dads through *Doctor Dad*®, we've seen what's possible when ministries intentionally include men.

Through a generous grant from the M.J. Murdock Charitable Trust and the support of additional partners, Care Net is investing deeply in Alaska, Idaho, Montana, Oregon, and Washington – regions filled with opportunity, but also unique challenges. Over the next three years, we will partner with 15 pregnancy centers, equipping them with training, coaching, and proven tools to build or strengthen fatherhood ministries.

This is about more than programming. It's about culture change.

We want to see a shift where fathers are not absent or overlooked, but welcomed, disciplined, and empowered. Where men facing an unexpected pregnancy encounter not just information, but transformation through the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Because when fathers thrive, families grow stronger. And when families are stronger, communities are changed, lives are saved, and disciples are made!

I'm deeply grateful for the donors, partners, and frontline leaders making this possible. Together, we are advancing a Pro Abundant Life vision that reflects God's heart for the whole family – mother, father, and child.

Blessings,



Roland C. Warren
Care Net President & CEO



Read more at <https://www.care-net.org/blogs>



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When a man chooses to be present – to support, to learn, to love – it changes everything. Not only for his children, but for the mother of those children as well. In many cases, it can make the difference between despair and the decision for life.

Today, Brynn is in a better place, strengthened by the support of her family, including an aunt who once walked the same road with twins. And Jayden is beginning a new chapter, one marked not by the absence of a father, but by *his decision to become one*.

Your support makes stories like this possible. Through prayer, guidance, and practical resources, you are helping men and women choose life – and helping fathers rise to the calling they were made for.



RISE TO THE CHALLENGE AND SAVE MORE BABIES' LIVES!


WHEN YOU RESPOND BEFORE JUNE 30

Your gift today will make an even bigger impact saving unborn lives thanks to our \$100,000 Fiscal Year End Matching Challenge!

Friends of Care Net have given \$100,000 and is challenging you to help match that amount!

Help ensure MORE dads and moms hear the transforming message of the Gospel that will help them choose not only life for their unborn child, but Abundant Life in Christ with your gift today!

Thank You for Your Partnership with Care Net!

Please scan the QR code to make your immediate impact. 

WILL YOU ANSWER THE CALL?



OUR CARING PARTNERS: SAVE BABIES 365 DAYS A YEAR!

Every single day, parents considering abortion encounter an online ad for Care Net's national hotline, one of our affiliated pregnancy centers, mobile medical units, or a church equipped for vibrant pro-life ministry through our church curriculum. You can help ensure they are able to find compassion, hope, and help 365 days a year by making a monthly gift!

As one of our heroic Caring Partners, you will also receive special benefits, including:

- Updates on how your monthly support saves lives
- Invitations to special partner events
- An exclusive monthly prayer devotional for your personal spiritual growth
- The knowledge that you are saving lives EVERY DAY!

3 EASY WAYS TO ENROLL AS A CARING PARTNER:

1. Select "Make My Gift Monthly" on the enclosed reply device and return it with your first monthly gift by credit card or with a voided check.
2. Visit us online at: care-net.org/give-monthly
3. Call us at 1-800-518-7909



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HOPE ON WHEELS

You helped a growing family move from despair to joy – and towards Christ!

When Maria* arrived at the ICU Mobile Medical Unit in Nashville, she hadn't spoken with anyone beforehand – but we knew why she was there. She and her boyfriend Ernesto, both new to the country and far from family, felt completely alone. With no support system, they believed abortion was their only option.

Maria thought she was about seven or eight weeks pregnant. But as our nurse prepared for the ultrasound, something didn't seem right. Moments later, the truth became clear. Maria wasn't eight weeks along . . . she was 22 weeks pregnant.

When she heard the news, she broke down in tears, and *not* the joyful kind. Ernesto held her as they both wept – overwhelmed, frightened, unsure what to do next.

Then came the moment that changed three lives forever.

"Would you like to see your baby?" the nurse gently asked.

Maria nodded.

On the screen before her was a living child moving, stretching, even sucking her thumb. A strong heartbeat filled the room.

"It looks like we're having a baby," they said.

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Steps to Help Save a Life

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2. Carry with you
3. Share with someone facing a pregnancy decision

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**ARE YOU READY TO
START A CONVERSATION?**

We are here for you at **877.791.5475**
or pregnancydecisionline.org

You can connect a parent with an unexpected or unexpectedly complicated pregnancy with the compassion, hope, and help they need to choose LIFE for the unborn child and ABUNDANT LIFE for their family!



Just 20 minutes for an eternal impact!

Who doesn't love June? The days are longer and filled with ballgames, vacations, cookouts and plenty more. This is the season to slow down and enjoy the simple blessings life offers. It's natural to put certain things "on the back burner" this time of year. But if something happens to you, is your family protected? They can be in just 20 minutes. And you can establish a lasting legacy of support for unborn children. Get a legal will – at no charge to you whatsoever – while saving babies right here: <https://www.care-net.org/make-a-will>

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What had felt like an impossible situation became something entirely different. Not a problem to solve, but a *life to protect*.

Through the compassion of the mobile medical unit team, Maria and her boyfriend were given more than medical information. They were given truth, dignity, and the love of Christ – right when they needed it most.

In the weeks that followed, the team continued to walk alongside them offering encouragement, practical support, and steady reminders that they were not alone in a new country with a new child on the way. God was with them, and thanks to donors like you, so was Care Net!

Today, Maria and Ernesto are the joyful parents of a healthy baby girl.

Recently, the team had the privilege of visiting them again. This time, delivering a stroller so Maria could take her daughter on walks and enjoy life as a new mom.

Because of you, hope showed up that day – on four wheels, at just the right moment.

BIG TRUTHS EVERY FATHER SHOULD KNOW: A 7-DAY DEVOTIONAL

This 7-day devotional is designed to ground men in God's design for fatherhood and call them into faithful, purposeful leadership at home and beyond. Get your free copy sent to your inbox today!

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*Names throughout this newsletter have been changed to protect the privacy of individuals. So many times, a hotline coach or mobile medical team member may be one of the only people to know a client is pregnant and considering abortion. Therefore, we never release names or pictures without permission.