

Rockville Pregnancy Clinic

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Dear friend of RPC,

Thank you so much for helping to make a difference in the lives of so many unborn children and their families!

As you undoubtedly know, one of the distinctives of our clinic is that we offer hope and assistance to young women who are either pregnant or think they're pregnant, and we do so without judgement – and without an agenda. This is a powerful approach to women who are often facing their unplanned pregnancy with shame and fear. When I see their struggle and journey, I frequently remember Jeremiah 32:27:



"I am the LORD, the God of all mankind. Is anything too hard for me?"

Recently, a young girl named Maria was referred to us by her high school nurse. She was frantic. She was pretty sure she was pregnant and knew that her mother would be furious if she found out. Maria felt that eliminating the pregnancy quickly was her only option. She came to our clinic with two of her friends – all had backpacks full of textbooks and school papers. Maria's pregnancy test was positive. We immediately prepared her for a sonogram. The teen chatter quickly subsided when the images of Maria's 13 week old baby came into

focus. There's something powerful that happens when a discussion is no longer merely an intellectual exercise but a reality. Seeing a real baby makes a huge difference.

Our advocate took a somber Maria into a private counseling room. There she educated Maria on her options. Maria knew she couldn't terminate her pregnancy but she also knew she couldn't do this alone. Our advocate then took this opportunity to introduce Maria to the One who could walk with her through every step of this experience. And Maria accepted that idea. Right there in our RPC offices, Maria accepted Jesus Christ as her Savior. How cool is that?

Maria ultimately moved in with another family member after she told her mother. And we (meaning the community of people who make up RPC) helped Maria with Uber rides to a clinic to assist her with accessing pre-natal care. While we understand how Maria's mother feels, we are praying that she'll soon start to be supportive of Maria and her unborn grandchild. As I just

mentioned earlier, “Is anything too hard for me?” said the Lord, the creator of the heavens and earth.

Next, I have some very BIG clinic news! After decades of going under the umbrella of Rockville Pregnancy Center, the board and I, along with our staff, came to the conclusion that we needed to enact a name change for RPC in order to be more effective at fulfilling our mission.

Our mission, at it’s core, is about helping abortion-vulnerable women choose life. However, women who are vulnerable to having an abortion have figured out that “pregnancy clinics” (and there are many around the country) are basically pro-life counseling centers. In other words, the very women that we want to walk through our doors often aren’t simply because of our name.

In light of that, I’m very proud and excited to announce to you our new name and logo, both of which are a part of our ongoing brand building and marketing strategies that are all designed to help us reach more and more abortion – vulnerable women so that they’ll choose life – for them and for their child to be.

Note: You can see the logo below. I hope you like it!

Finally, in light of all the good that’s happening here at RWC, and in light of all the women and unborn children in our area who need our help, **I’d like to ask you to consider helping us out financially this month!**

Without the financial and prayer support that comes from people like you, abortion-vulnerable women like Maria and her unborn child, would have radically different outcomes. So, will you consider giving a special financial gift this month in order to make an eternal and an earthly difference in someone’s life? I hope so.

All Praise Be to Him,



Betsy Evans, Executive Director
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