

Baby Isabella



**YOUR SUPPORT OF THIS LIFE-SAVING MISSION HELPS MORE YOUNG MOMS, LIKE ISABELLA'S, CHOOSE LIFE FOR THEIR BABIES.**

**Women's Care Center?**  
*Helping women choose life!*

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## ULTRASOUND "CHANGED EVERYTHING"!



Amanda and baby JJ

**"I'm so glad I didn't listen!"** Amanda says now.

She had a goal to be the first person in her family to graduate from college. She was studying radiology when she found herself unexpectedly pregnant. People close to her told her, *"You can never be a mom and finish your degree."* They told her abortion was the only way out of her situation.

But when Amanda came to Women's Care Center for an ultrasound, she says, *"I heard his heartbeat. It changed everything."*

Our counselor helped Amanda find the confidence to choose life. *"So many people told me to just quit school, that I couldn't do both."*

But because of partners like you, Amanda is still following her dream, going to college full-time, **just now with baby JJ by her side.**

**"I heard his heartbeat!  
It was a life-changing moment!"**

— Amanda



Baby Chloe loves to "read"...*thanks to you!*

## BABY ELI IS JUST ONE!

**One of over 150,000** Women's Care Center babies saved because of the love and support of partners like you!

Throwin' it back to 1984 and our very first center, "the little blue house" near the University of Notre Dame!

Founded by Dr. Janet E. Smith when she was a young professor, our tiny staff saw 300 women that first year. **We now serve 26,000 women annually** from 28 centers in 10 states, including Florida, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, Ohio, Pennsylvania & Wisconsin!



Baby Eli



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## PARTNERS LIKE YOU

**HAVE MADE WOMEN'S CARE CENTER THE NATION'S LARGEST PREGNANCY CENTER (28 CENTERS IN 10 STATES).**

## YOU CREATE FAMILIES

When you support Women's Care Center, you not only help women choose life, you help them create a family! Moms and dads are encouraged to work hard, attend parenting classes, set goals and stay in school.

**And thanks to your generous support,** every small child who visits one of our centers leaves with books to encourage a love of reading!



YOU PROMISE TO WELCOME ALL WHO WALK THROUGH OUR DOOR AS THOUGH THEY ARE FAMILY

### PROVIDING WELCOME

"My wife Sharmila and I are from South India. We came to know my wife was pregnant... this was still a new town for us, and we had no friends or relatives. I googled and found Women's Care Center. Before visiting, we had no idea or information about pregnancy. But after each session, we had a good knowledge. Also, **Connie (our counselor) was so sweet and kind to us that my wife didn't feel she was missing her relatives and friends.** As a family, we are so grateful to Women's Care Center.

*Thanks, Karthick"*



*Sharmila and baby Murshikki*



YOU PROMISE TO LOVE UNCONDITIONALLY EVERY WOMAN SERVED

### CONTINUING TO LOVE

**When Zoe first came to our center, she was certain she would have an abortion.** She was teary during the ultrasound, but still convinced she had already made her decision.

But Zoe's counselor didn't give up. She let Zoe know that whatever her decision, Women's Care Center was there for her. And ultimately, our counselor got a joyous response, **"I've decided to keep my baby. 100%! I was wondering if we can meet up and talk sometime."**

Our counselor helped Zoe make a pregnancy plan.

Zoe says, *"I could not stop thinking about that heartbeat!"*

And she says of her baby girl, *"I've never felt so much love in my life."*



*Zoe and her baby*



YOU PROMISE TO BE WITH HER EVERY STEP OF THE WAY — FROM CONFIRMATION OF PREGNANCY THROUGH YEARS AFTER BIRTH

### EVERY STEP OF THE WAY

Naira and Raul came early in pregnancy. During their ultrasound, they were shocked to see, not one but three heartbeats! **TRIPLETS!**

The couple was in a panic. But our counselor assured them we would help them every step of the way.

Together, they created a pregnancy plan to have three healthy babies.

Naira spent all her free time at our center learning about having a healthy pregnancy and baby basics. Along the way, she earned three car seats, three swings, three cribs ...and lots of baby clothes and diapers.

*"Women's Care Center is my second home. The staff are my second family. I am so grateful,"* says Naira.



*Naira and Raul's triplets*



YOU PROMISE PRENATAL CARE, TANGIBLE ASSISTANCE AND ONGOING PARENTING SKILLS EDUCATION

### MEET MOM PAMELA & BABY ABIGAIL

Pamela made dozens of visits to our center when she was expecting Abigail. She received prenatal vitamins and healthy pregnancy education. She also participated in many of our classes where she learned how babies communicate, how to teach patience, and early childhood development. Pamela is now married to Abigail's daddy, Arturo, and is loving every minute of being Abigail's mommy!

### A LIFE-SAVING MOMENT

Ty's mom, Deanne, was awed seeing her tiny baby on the ultrasound screen. Such a big moment for her, she saved up her Crib Club coupons to "purchase" a picture frame from the Crib Club to memorialize this experience. Today, Ty's ultrasound picture hangs proudly on the wall in his nursery.

**Seeing Ty on the ultrasound helped Deanne bond with her tiny baby.**

This motivated her to find her own place and make a home for her baby. We are blessed that Baby Ty and his mom continue to "drop in" our center to attend a class...and sometimes just to say "hi".



*Baby Ty*