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Baby Liam



Thanks to you, **1,645 babies**, like Liam, were born to Women's Care Center moms in Milwaukee and Madison over the last year. **You make this life-saving mission possible!**



Meki's baby

MEKI WANTS TO THANK YOU!

In her own words,
thank you!

"You helped me gain confidence to be a good mother. **Women's Care Center is the reason my baby is here. He is here because of you.**

"When my mom found out I was pregnant, she said if I didn't get an abortion, she'd kick me out of the house. I came here because I knew you would help me. After coming here, I couldn't choose abortion.

"My mom scheduled my appointment at the abortion clinic, but I told her, *'I can't do this. I saw him on the ultrasound screen! I can't go through with it.'*

"It was difficult and the odds were against me, but we got through it...with Women's Care Center.

"I got my own place. I started saving money. I came to every class, saved every coupon, and earned my own crib. I never stopped working and went to school full-time. I graduate college this year!"

THANKS TO PARTNERS LIKE YOU, Karla married Brandon and is starting college. She now says, "Baby Ezekiel is the best thing that's ever happened to us."



Karla, Brandon and baby Ezekiel

"I NEVER BELIEVED IN ABORTION, BUT THEN SUDDENLY IT WAS ME."

Karla wanted to be the first in her family to graduate from college and thought a baby would ruin everything. **THANKS TO YOU,** Karla and her now husband Brandon found loving support at Women's Care Center.

Karla: "I knew that pregnancy made me a mom, regardless of my decision, but I didn't know if I could give this baby the life he deserved. I thought I wanted an abortion."

Brandon: "At Women's Care Center, I learned the best thing I could do for my baby is just to give him a chance at life. I knew he needed to have that chance."

Karla: "When I came in for my ultrasound, I saw the tiniest little thing, like a jelly bean. And I thought, *'I can't do this! I need to keep him! There's literally another person inside me.'*"

Brandon: "When you see the ultrasound, you see — **that is a person in there.** A living person that we created. And he could be something so great one day."

Karla: "The best decision I ever made in my life is coming here...to Women's Care Center."

In their own words,
thank you!



Baby Ezekiel



YOU TOUCH HEARTS

“To the donors, I just want to say thank you so much—you gave me a place to come when I felt all alone. This place is my safe haven. I’m so grateful!”

“Sometimes I feel like the poster child for Women’s Care Center, I come so often. I know everybody here. They are all so friendly. Lots of times, I felt like I didn’t have an outlet. Here, I feel comfortable enough to share. I knew they would always lift my spirits. **My favorite part about being a mom is the unconditional love!**”

— Tisha

Tisha’s baby Skylir



YOU SAVE BABIES

Mira stood crying in front of Planned Parenthood in Madison. She had been dropped off by her boyfriend who told her to “take care of it.” Thankfully, *because of you*, Mira saw our sign and came across the street to Women’s Care Center.

Although Mira was scared, she wanted to do the right thing. Here, Mira considered what was in her heart...and chose life. But that wasn’t the end of the story. When Mira told her family, they also encouraged abortion. But Mira stayed strong through frequent visits to our center.

At goals appointments, Mira also became determined to make something of her life. Thanks to your support, she met every one of her goals, including going back to school and getting a job.



Mira’s baby Rosalee

YOU SUPPORT MOMS

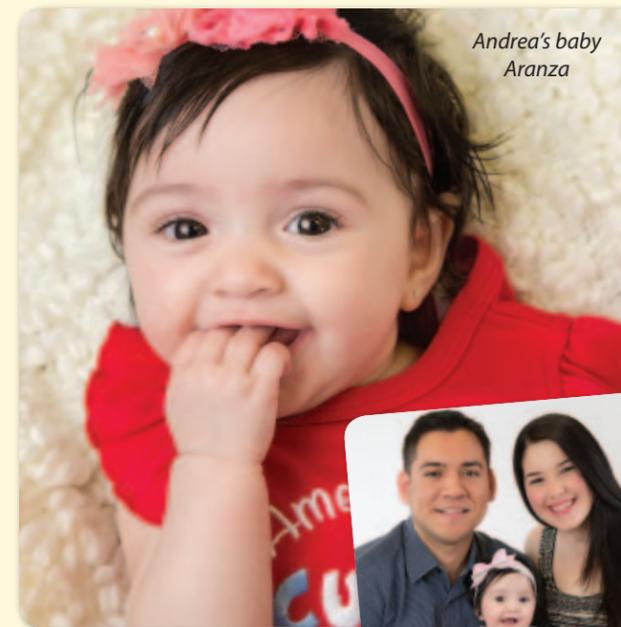
“I have continued to do the right things, and everything just started falling into place for me.

“I’ve been working full-time. I moved into an apartment. I’m feeling better than I have in years. And the love I have for this baby is almost too much to handle. **Thank you so much for keeping in touch with me and being supportive.** You really helped me to believe that I can do this!”

— Kirsten



Kirsten and Baby Conlin



Andrea’s baby Aranza

Victor, Andrea and Baby Aranza

YOU BUILD FAMILIES

Andrea and Victor were new in town when they found out they were pregnant with their first child. Far away from family and friends, Andrea was scared and lonely. **Thanks to your generous support, she found Women’s Care Center where she was wrapped in love.** Here, the couple was able to attend dozens of classes to learn about having a healthy baby and parenting. Through classes, Andrea also met a best friend, someone just like her, who was also expecting her first baby.



Nicole’s baby Dria

YOU EDUCATE PARENTS

Nicole googled “pregnancy help” and found Women’s Care Center as the top of her search. For Nicole, it was a visit to our Milwaukee center that changed everything.

“The minute I saw our baby on the screen sucking her thumb, I realized this IS a real life growing inside me, and maybe Archie and I can do this,” recalls Nicole.

As they prepared for their baby’s birth, the couple attended parenting classes and learned baby basics. They earned plenty of diapers along with coupons to spend in the Crib Club baby store.

Archie says, “Women’s Care Center promised they would be there for us every step of the way, and that is exactly what you have done! **This is a place of positivity, of encouragement, and of hope.** We are so very grateful!”