

Rebecca's Reflections



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The Rest of the Story...

In my May 2012 newsletter, I wrote about Amanda and her friend Kim, who was pregnant and considering abortion. JFA staff member, Catherine Wurts, my roommate, encountered Amanda during an outreach at Wichita State University (WSU). Last year, I reported on how Amanda helped her friend Kim. Well, here is the rest of the story...

The picture to the right is a photo of Kim's daughter, who was born last August. It is such an encouragement to see the faces of those God chooses to save through our work.



Amanda and JFA Staffer Catherine Wurts were honored to attend the baby shower for Kim's daughter.

As you may recall, Amanda met Catherine that day back in January 2012 on the WSU campus. Catherine led her through a sort of crash course pro-life training to equip Amanda to share life-saving information (the JFA Exhibit Brochure, pictured left) with Kim, who was pregnant and considering abortion.

Kim had experienced abortion with a previous pregnancy, but she said the JFA brochure helped her realize **"that getting an abortion would be worse for my baby than the bad situation I'm in with my boyfriend."** Please join me in giving great thanks for the girl pictured above, her mom, Amanda, and Catherine!



Kim's daughter

Please also join me in prayer for the following:

• All of the employees, especially the abortionists, working at the Southwind Women's Center which recently opened in Wichita, KS. Please pray for their conversion of heart.

• The 219 volunteers that attended Seat Work in Arizona and Colorado during the month of April and the 96 from that group who joined us for Feet Work. Please pray that these volunteers will have the courage to engage in conversation regarding the topic of abortion in their daily lives.

- The first student I talked to during the Colorado State University (CSU) outreach. At age 13 she was raped, got pregnant, and had an abortion. Although she is prochoice, she shared with me that "the rape was much easier to heal from than the abortion". She also shared that if she were in the same situation today she "could not go through with the abortion". There were many quiet pauses during our conversation and we prayed together before she departed, but it was obvious that she did not want to leave the conversation and appreciated that someone took the time to listen to her story. Please pray for her continued healing.
- The six summer interns preparing to travel to Wichita for five weeks of training starting in June.

Thank you for your prayers and support that make stories like Amanda's a reality.

Defending life together,

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