



NEW LIFE CENTER FOR CHILDREN & MOTHERS

Every good and perfect gift
is sent from above.

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James 1:17



Robin's Story

It is really hard to put into words my journey here at New Life for Girls. I came to New Life on March 1, 2002, never imagining how loving and full of Grace my Heavenly Father really is. God has taken my broken, battered, shame filled, addicted life, and completely transformed me from the inside out, giving me a life that is rooted and grounded in Christ. During my journey here at New Life I have been taught that the world tears us down, but He builds us up into His beautiful servants all the while giving us His glorious purpose.

I have had the privilege to serve God in this precious ministry at a capacity that I could have only ever dreamed would be possible. I have been honored to witness God transform life after life, and have seen entire families be reunited. I have seen the power of God work in the lives of many mothers, and have seen them transition back to society as successful, productive, Godly women. My favorite transformation story is that of Rachel Stull, my friend and sister in Christ. God's miracle working power continues to amaze me as a board member of the Mothers and Children's Center. This center has flourished under the Directorship of her, and her husband Bradley. Their submission to the direction of the Lord continues to grow and prosper this center, both in their staff and students alike.

As I am being called to San Diego, CA for the next season of my life, New Life for Girls is and will forever be a part of my heart, and I am thankful for the Lord allowing me to serve in such an awesome Christ centered place. There is no place on earth like it.

A Few Words From Rachel:

As I write this my eyes are filled with tears! I have a hard time determining where to start when I am asked what Robin has meant to me over the years. She has not only been a huge part of my spiritual growth, but she has become my true sister in Christ. There has never been a time that I couldn't call on Robin for anything, at any time, in any circumstance! Not only has she been a good, godly, example to follow in my life, but she has loved me through some difficult seasons of my own walk. Her wisdom has been far more valuable to me than rubies! I am so excited to see how the Lord is going to continue to use her in the next step of her journey. I have no doubt in my heart that she is going to continue to touch the lives of others, just as she touched mine; not to mention, I truly believe there are souls to be saved, just waiting for her to cross their paths! We are taking a big loss here at the Children's center with her transition, but she is not leaving without leaving a legacy, and an imprint on each of our lives. I believe this is not the end of our relationship as sisters in Christ, but it is only the beginning of a sisterhood that will last a lifetime!

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Director's Corner

Greetings in the Name of Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior!! A huge thank you to the entire community for making it possible for each family to have an amazing

Christmas!! Prior to giving their lives to the Lord, most of our families have never really had a true understanding of why we celebrate Christmas, and during their time here they learn the true meaning of Christmas! It truly overwhelms me with gratitude to watch the Lord use each one of you to provide such an amazing, blessed, filled Christmas, and none of it would have been possible without you! Brad and I continue to be blessed by having the opportunity to watch the Lord transform each family into a strong familial unit!! There is nothing more rewarding than to watch each mother grow, and build on the foundation that has been laid before her by our Lord, Jesus Christ! His favor continues to cover each family, allowing doors of opportunity to swing wide open. We all know that His blessings do not come because of our works; we must take the initiative and the steps as He leads us on our journey. In Proverbs 3:1-4 it says: "My son, do not forget my teaching but keep my commands in your heart, for they will prolong your life many years and bring you peace and prosperity. Let love and faithfulness never leave you; bind them around your neck, write them on the tablet of your heart. Then you will win favor and a good name in the sight of God and man." These women are taking everything that is being taught, and they are walking it out. Because they are walking in obedience, God continues to perform His miracles in their lives. Our Lord is a God of relationship, and I would like to invite each one of you to attend our yearly banquet to take the opportunity to get to know our families on a more intimate level! Our annual banquet is not only a chance to fellowship, but a time of worship, food, and an opportunity to see how God has moved in the ministry over the past year! Thank you to all who continue to pray, and support us as we move along in this journey that the Lord has us all traveling on together.

We are so excited to announce that we were able to raise \$5000 in December, and our anonymous donor matched ever penny! As a result, we were able to replace the flooring in the kitchen that recently sustained water damage. Praise the Lord!!



Thank You

Thank you to everyone who helped make our Christmas Project a success. Each family was BLESSED beyond measure, and it wouldn't have been possible without your love and dedication to this ministry! May the Lord bless your upcoming New Year!

This year's golf tournament will be held on Saturday, September 29th at Briarwood East Golf Club. Registration is now open, get your foursomes in today. Also, if you're interested in a corporate sponsorship, or for more information, please contact Teri Sheffer at 717-758-8706 or email tmsheffer82@gmail.com. Can't wait to crown this year's champion!

OUR LAUNDRY LIST.. BIG AND SMALL!

- Finances
- Volunteers
- New 7 Passenger Van
- Gas Cards
- Postage Stamps
- HE Laundry Soap
- Paper Towels
- 13 Gal Trash Bags
- Recycling Bags
- Foil & Ziploc Baggies
- HE Bleach
- Cleaning Supplies

We ask that you would pray and consider a financial gift this month to help with our current budget needs. If you have any specific questions as to how you can direct your giving, please contact Rachel at 717-235-6295. God Bless You!