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PREGNANCY RESOURCES of DORAVILLE, Inc.



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AS WE LOOK BACK OVER 2015



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Mission Statement



**Pregnancy Resources
of
Doraville, Inc.**

is a Christian pro-life ministry created to empower women and their families at the time of an unplanned pregnancy to make positive and healthy choices related to sexuality and child bearing which are consistent with a reverence and respect for human life.

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“Even so it is not the will of your Father which is in heaven, that one of these little ones should perish.”

Matt. 18:14

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What a year 2015 has been! Our world has had good news, shocking news, happy news, surprising news, & bad news but one unchangeable fact remains — PROD continues to have open doors for women who are upset by an unplanned pregnancy. Volunteers who are caring, prepared and willing to assist these women are remaining consistent in taking time from their own lives to love, teach and guide our moms.

You who are consistent donors have stood with PROD financially to enable us to provide the tools for volunteers to use, supplies for lessons, Bibles for distribution, and so much more. By including PROD in your Christmas giving plan, you show that you are aware of the needs we have and the importance of our belief that life is worth protecting no matter the age or stage of development.

YOU allow PROD to save the lives of precious children while at the same time sharing the hope of Jesus Christ with moms, dads, and families. And let’s not forget the educational programs, sexual purity programs, the Stork’s Basket bounty of infant items, the medical referrals, and community resources that were provided for the 634 clients who recently sought our help. All of these things are because of YOU. A friend once told me that there is “no need to ponder about what you should do when you are standing in the gap for little children—His children yearning to be born!”

In this most wonderful season of the year the greatest gift that has ever been given to mankind is that of our Wonderful, Counselor, the mighty God, the everlasting Father, the Prince of Peace, Savior — Jesus Christ! Mr. Roy Lessin penned it this way:

If our greatest need had been information, God would have sent us an educator.

If our greatest need had been technology, God would have sent us a scientist.

If our greatest need had been money, God would have sent us a economist.

If our greatest need had been pleasure, God would have sent us and entertainer.

But our greatest need was forgiveness, so God sent us a Savior!

All of us at PROD wish for you and yours a safe, happy, and very **Merry Christmas** and a prosperous and **Happy New Year**.

Any donation you choose to send for tax purposes needs to be in our hands before 12/31/15. Thanks for caring and then for sharing.



In His Service, *Deborah*



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PRAISES, PRAYERS & A WISH LIST

PRAISES

- For **George & Valarie Layne** in donating an audio-visual cart for use with our 42" TV
- For the wonderful Bible study time presented by **Maria Hanik** on the subject of "Bad Girls of the Bible."
- For the donation of infant items and diapers from **St. Benedict Catholic Church**
- For a new local business, **JR's Log Cabin BBQ**, helping to honor our Volunteers by assisting with a dinner for them
- For a new volunteer, **Hala Hanoosh, & her husband** who are translating lessons into Arabic for new clients.
- Safe arrival of a new baby boy to the family of one of our Board members, **Chris Millen and his wife Suzanne**

PRAYER NEEDS

- A couple of our moms who are close to delivery
- Guidance in preparations for the Fundraising Banquet to be held on April 21, 2016
- Pray for our Board of Directors as they make decisions regarding invitations to prospective new board members. Then pray that those who are invited will be moved to accept the invitation.



WISH LIST

- We are in desperate need of Godly men and women to serve our clients as mentors
- Bottled water for our moms to have while in classes.
- 4 couples to help revamp the Stork's Basket — men to do the heavy lifting and ladies to sort baby clothes — then together put the store back together again!

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Thanks in advance for your support!

PONDER THIS!

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Every good and perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of heavenly lights, who does not change like shifting shadows.
James 1:17 NIV

Everything God made gives!

We are never more like Him than when we give.

Because God gave, Christmas happened!

Thanks be to God for His indescribable gift. 2 Cor. 9:15 NIV

Are you keeping your focus on THE REASON for the season?

SAVE THE DATE!

The next fundraising banquet for PROD will be on **THURSDAY, APRIL 21, 2016**

In response to you, our friends and donors, our pro-bono speakers will answer the most often asked question about PROD,
"WHY?"

Save the date and plan now to hear the answers!



Tags purchased by Georgia residents benefit PROD. Ask about them at your local tag office. Do you have yours yet?

THROUGH OUR DOORS

The doorbell rang late one Thursday afternoon. Outside there was a boy, who looked to be about eight years old, and his mother waiting for someone to answer the door. Mom was totally dressed in Muslim attire — head scarf and long dress — such beautiful colors. Through her son, who was the interpreter, she told us that she was pregnant but had not seen a doctor and wanted some help in finding one to see her.

She made an appointment for early the next week. We began trying to figure out how we were going to communicate with her since the son would be in school at that time. The answer came through a pastor in the missions department of FBC Woodstock who contacted a member of the church from a middle eastern country who spoke this mother's language. She and this mom have met each week via phone to get information on pregnancy, parenting, and fetal development. It is thrilling to hear the laughter and surprise in the voice of this mom as these two women grow in friendship! Yes, she was able to find a doctor from the recommendations we gave her.

We are waiting for God to show us the best time to present the gospel to her and her husband, who comes with her each week. The translator says she can tell this mom is gaining knowledge she did not know because of the excitement in her voice at the time of each lesson and how she responds to suggestions given in each lesson. Oh yes, this translator's husband is getting in on the fun too by translating the printed lesson materials and emailing them to us each week before mom comes back.

Please join us in praying for the salvation of this family as she continues to learn new things through *Earn While You Learn* lessons.