



NEW LIFE FOR GIRLS

CELEBRATING 40 YEARS OF MINISTRY IN ACTION

LOVING, CARING, AND SHARING SINCE 1972

Lisa's Story.....

FEBRUARY 2012



Hi, my name is Lisa. I am 26 years old, from Long Island, New York. I am one of three children, and mother of a 6 year old girl. At a very young age, my parents divorced, and then both remarried. I now have two loving step-parents. Growing up, I lived with my mother and step-father. When I turned 12, I started smoking cigarettes and cutting school. My behavior worsened, and I was asked to leave my mother's home.

I moved in with my father and step-mother who are active members in their church. They quickly encouraged me to become involved, which I did. I joined the youth group and was attending church on a regular basis. My behavior improved and I had my first real encounter with Jesus, but I eventually fell back into my old lifestyle. The next ten years of my life would be filled with rehab's, detox's, and arrests. I developed a strong drug addiction which left me broken and ashamed. In 2010 I knew that the problems in my life would take more than just a 28 day quick-fix program. At that point I recommitted my life to Jesus. Since giving my life back to the Lord, I no longer have a desire to live a self-destructive lifestyle.

I am so grateful to New Life For Girls and for God's everlasting faithfulness. I am looking forward to living a fruitful life, and to be the mother I know God created me to be. In my future I look forward to helping other women who struggle with life-controlling issues find freedom in Jesus Christ.

GOD HAS BEEN GOOD TO ME AND I LOVE HIM WITH ALL MY HEART!

WHAT DOES LOVE LOOK LIKE?

We see reminders all around us especially in the month of February. Up and down the aisles of every store, on the television, in the movies, magazines, newspapers, and on the radio. Hearts abound on every form of printed matter, on socks, sweaters, and all types of apparel. When Valentines Day is long gone, so are all of these reminders. How sad it would be if the only time we remember how important it is to love and be loved would be based upon one day out of 365. With all of these reminders, we still live in a world where so many are living a life not knowing what it is like to be loved. That fact however, is not the case here at New Life For Girls. Each time a hand reaches to wipe away a tear, or a hug is given, prayer, a smile, a word of encouragement, a thoughtful gesture (something as simple as putting a tube of toothpaste in someone's room who you know just squeezed the last drop out of theirs!)...these are examples of what love looks like to us. Love is also displayed by each one of you every time you call to see how we're doing, help paint a wall, fix a broken pipe, write a check, pull up on our property with your car filled with baked goods, kitchen supplies, clothing, or hundreds of other ways that there is not enough room to mention. With all of this, the most powerful example of love is when our loving Savior was born, and then crucified so that we might live. His outstretched arms nailed to the cross on Golgotha's Hill, are the same gentle, compassionate arms that reach out to us today. When you extend yourself towards New Life For Girls we not only feel God's love through you, we see it with our own eyes. We are so very blessed to know and experience this kind of love. We cannot live without it, nor could we sustain this ministry were it not for God using each one of you. 2012 is a milestone year for us. For 40 years, without fail, God has been faithful, and so have you. We say thank you for the countless ways you have shown us what love looks like. It is our hearts desire to continue building on the strong foundation both spiritually and literally here at New Life For Girls. Winter is one of our most difficult seasons financially, so we really need your help at this time. Each gift makes a difference, no matter how small or large!

GOD BLESS YOU



CHOIR MEETINGS

- 2/19 New Life Assembly Of God
Landisburg, Pa
10am
- 2/26 Zwingli United Methodist
East Berlin, Pa.
9am

**YOU ARE INVITED
COME AND HEAR
"THE GOD SQUAD"**

**A GROUP OF GIFTED MUSICIANS
WHO LOVE THE LORD AND HAVE
A STORY TO TELL!**

**PLACE: NEW LIFE FOR GIRLS
DATE: SUNDAY- FEBRUARY 26TH
TIME: 3PM**

**Please call Junie at 717-266-5614 if
you would like to schedule our
choir to minister at your church.**

**THANK YOU TO THOSE WHO HELPED
TO PROVIDE SNOW SHOVELS
AND SALT!
KEEP THEM COMING!**

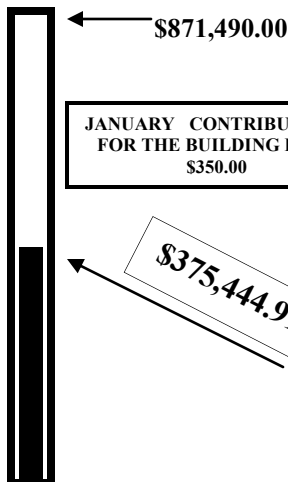
OUR BUILDING PROJECT

"CARMELA'S DREAM"



**TOTAL NEEDED
\$871,490.00**

**PHASE I \$476,021.00
PHASE II \$182,952.00
PHASE III \$212,517.00**



TWELVE DRESSERS



That is exactly what we need for the students bedrooms. It has been years since they have been replaced, and to be honest they are truly held together with much prayer. We have found a local source that will sell us sturdy, well-built, five drawer dressers for a discounted price of \$269.00 each. Would you care to help in this area, or do you know of a source that has a better deal? Please let us know either way by calling Kathy at 717-266-5614.

OUR 40TH YEAR IS HERE

**WE ARE PLANNING A BANQUET FOR SOME
TIME THIS SPRING AND WILL NEED ALL KINDS
OF HELP!
ARE YOU AVAILABLE?
CALL 717-266-5614**

PRAYER REQUEST

We are sincerely desiring to inspire and lead this ministry, the directors, staff, and students to a higher level of excellence in 2012 as we follow after the heart of God. This is our goal, both corporately, and individually. We ask that you join with us in prayer as God works in us, so that He may work through us. Thank you and God bless you.

New Life For Girls Executive Board

SPECIAL GIFTS

**GIVEN BY RICHIE & ALYSSA CALBI
IN MEMORY OF CARMELA PACHECO**

**GIVEN BY DOROTHY RADINO
IN MEMORY OF CARMELA PACHECO**

**GIVEN BY JOHN H. KEESEE
IN HONOR OF AMY J. KEESEE**

**GIVEN BY ROB TROVINGER JR.
IN MEMORY OF JOYCE E. TROVINGER**

**GIVEN BY A. CATHERINE MATHIAS
IN MEMORY OF MICHAEL SWIGERT**

**GIVEN BY PRINTED IMAGE
IN HONOR OF BETHANNE GURRERI
AND CAROL STOUGH**