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We want to send out a huge **'THANK YOU'** to everyone who helped to make our very first golf tournament a **HUGE** success! Together, we raised **\$4,040.70!!!** God provided wonderful weather. Everyone left with full stomachs and smiles on their faces. That's what we call **SUCCESS!**

Thanks again,
Sav-A-Life

Coming up:

Sav-A-Life's First Fishing Tournament!

Please be in prayer about how you or your church can help us out:

1. Pray that God will be honored.
2. Join our planning crew.
3. Sign up to fish.
4. Provide prizes.
5. Provide and serve lunches.
6. Pass out fliers.



Please call our office if you would like to help in any of these ways.

Thanks!

Prayer Requests

- *Counselors
- *Receptionists
- *Abstinence presenters (men & women)
- *That our clients would open their hearts to God.
- *Crafters: new signs for display



Tag money

Cost? \$50.00
We receive? \$41.25!
(Personalized at no extra cost.)



***2008-We received \$8,668.39!**
Thank you to all who participated.
Let everyone know that you choose life by purchasing a Choose Life tag at renewal time.

Jan-Mar 2009

*Touching lives...
one at a time.*

Clients seen	223
Spiritual births	29
Rededicated lives	15
HIV-antibody tests given	7
Life Choice classes attended	36
Ultrasounds given	20

Mission Statement

Sav-A-Life, Calhoun County is a life-affirming ministry that offers physical, emotional and spiritual help to women affected by unplanned pregnancies. Our mission is to help these women "choose life" for their babies and eternal life for themselves.

Vision Statement

Sav-A-Life's vision is to see the truth that Jesus Christ offers birthed in the hearts of people in our region, thereby making voluntary pregnancy termination unnecessary and undesirable.

Sav-A-Life Women's Resource Center
13 East 13th St.
Anniston, AL 36201

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I will praise thee; for I am fearfully and wonderfully made:
marvelous are thy works; and that my soul knoweth right well.
Psalm 139:14

April 2009

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Women's Resource Center
Calhoun County

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Tue., Wed. & Thur. 9-4

Services offered:

Pregnancy Testing

Life Choice Classes

Crossroads

Life Walk

Hope and Healing Recovery Ministry

HIV-Antibody Testing

Limited OB Ultrasound

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TAX-DEDUCTIBLE AND ARE SINCERELY APPRECIATED.

*Ministries of Sav-A-Life,
Calhoun County
Women's Resource Center*

Our center offers free, accurate pregnancy testing and confidential counseling. Trained volunteers present facts concerning fetal development, adverse effects of abortion, adoption options, including referrals to Lifeline Children's Service and maternity home care and abstinence counseling. We share Jesus Christ with each client.

LIFE CHOICE

Christ-centered, six-month educational program for first-time single mothers dealing with the realities of preparing for their babies, including time, finances, relationships, and decision-making. Classes also deal with prenatal care, post-partum issues, and successful parenting skills.

CROSSROADS

Abstinence-based educational program for middle school, high school and early college. It is available for public, private and Christian schools as well as churches.

LIFE WALK

Scripture-based Bible study for women and men who wish to mature in their relationship and walk with God. It includes such topics as who Jesus is, what He did, salvation, the Holy Spirit, prayer and how to study the Bible.

HOPE AND HEALING RECOVERY MINISTRY

Ten-week group Bible study dealing with the emotional, psychological, mental and spiritual healing from abortion.

HIV-ANTIBODY TESTING

We offer Orasure Oral HIV-antibody testing free of charge to all of our clients.

LIMITED OB ULTRASOUND

The purpose of the ultrasound is to show the baby and the baby's heartbeat.

From the Director:

**JUST A NOTE ABOUT
WHO WE ARE-
AND WHY WE ARE HERE**



Well-meaning people on both sides of the abortion debate ask us the question, "What do you do down there at Sav-A-Life Women's Resource Center?" We could offer a quick answer, but the solutions we offer are not quick-they **are** life-changing.

Many clients come to us with-at least on the outside-a "Whatever" attitude. She tells us that she only needs a test result; she knows what she will do. When we ask questions, she is non-committal. Oh, she might carry the child to term-or she might not. She will figure things out; no help is needed.

A positive pregnancy test, however, turns this "whatever" facade into stark reality within seconds. Suddenly she is faced with a true life-or-death decision. Questions that a moment ago were merely hypothetical face her squarely and demand answers, such as...

What is my boyfriend going to say? Will he support me at all? Will he tell me it isn't his? What will my parents think? Are they going to turn on me?

And there are questions she thought she would never consider: *Is my baby healthy? Is she going to be okay? If I go to the abortion clinic, will God forgive me?*

Suprisingly, those two questions sometimes go together. The same young woman wondering if the child she carries is healthy is also wondering how she can end her pregnancy with that very child.

She is tremendously conflicted-and confused. In one moment she craves the support of her boyfriend and his child she carries. In another, she wants to run as far away as possible without a thought of a baby.

As we know, there are clinics where someone will tell her in soft tones, "Ending this pregnancy means you can go on with your life. It will be over in minutes." Then, they ask for the fee!

We are here to do something much different. Instead of selling her a product, we listen. And as we listen, we share the hope of life. We do one more thing as well: We volunteer to walk with her, to support her, to encourage her and to love her throughout this time in her life and beyond.

In the process, we share the hope of Jesus Christ. So, when well-meaning people ask, we have an answer. This answer, we believe, changes lives. And when lives are changed, the result is that the lives of little ones-more and more-are saved.



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*Mother's Day and Father's Day
coming up! Consider giving to
Sav-A-Life in memory or
honor of your mom or dad.*