



## Christian Voices for Life

### Weekly Pro-Life

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### How is God Calling You to Help Prevent Abortions?

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**Education:** She already had 3 children, and her boyfriend was cheating on her. She sat in the abortion clinic, waiting, and crying. She didn't believe in abortion; she felt like she was about to make a horrible decision. She felt like God was trying to stop her – her daughter was sick and she had to find a sitter; she got lost, her car broke down. But still she came to the clinic and tried to justify her need to abort. She prayed for God to give her the strength to walk out. She was finally called to the desk and when she fumbled for her driver's license, a card fell out. A couple had left it at the table when she was

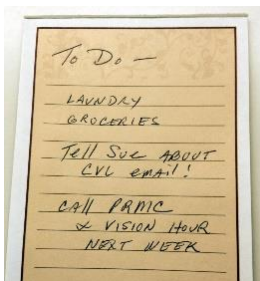
working... It had a bible verse on the back: "Don't be afraid, for I am with you. Don't be discouraged, for I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you. I will hold you up with my victorious right hand." Isaiah 41:10 She knew God was talking to her. Two of her friends called her and said they would be there for her. She told the lady she changed her mind and walked out. (1)

The story above is a true story, about Kimberly Henderson. Her YouTube music video "Tiny Hearts" was inspired by her experience as a young mom with her first daughter, with whom she became pregnant at 16. In March of 2015, she posted her abortion story on Facebook, two years after she walked out of the clinic. God seemed to be using many ways to draw her away from the abortion, but it was the actions of a couple leaving a card on a table, and her friends making a phone call that seemed to make the difference. They must have been listening to God calling them to be His voice to her, to give her the courage she had prayed for.

1. Brown, Kristi Burton, "Waiting in the abortion clinic, here's why she changed her mind", retrieved 3/22/23 from <http://liveactionnews.org/singing-sensation-kimberly-henderson-publicly-tells-her-abortion-story/>



**Prayer:** Dear Jesus, Please help us to recognize your voice in our hearts. Give us confidence that you will never ask us to do anything that will bring us harm, but even if you call us to make a difficult choice, you will always give us the strength and the grace to get through the difficult times to reach the blessings you want us to have. Thank you for the many ways you speak to us. When you call us to be your voice to reach out to someone else, help us to have the courage to do so, and not be deterred by fear of getting involved. We pray that you will send your messages of hope and encouragement to many young women who are mistakenly thinking that abortion is the best choice for them. Please give them the courage and grace they need to choose life.



**Action:** Praise mothers who choose adoption for providing parents for their child when they feel unable to parent themselves. Be understanding toward women who feel so totally unable to continue a pregnancy that they would consider abortion. Ask God to let you know how He wants to use you to prevent abortion. Maybe he wants you to be prepared to refer someone who is tempted to abort to the [OptionLine](#), and spread the word about the Option Line to all your friends. Does He want you to keep a supply of Option Line business cards to put on store shelves next to pregnancy tests? (We can supply you with some.) Maybe He is calling you to take some [training to](#)

[speak to your pro-choice friends](#) in a way that will move them closer to being pro-life. Maybe He wants you to get involved with the [Pregnancy Resource Medical Center](#), or your local center. Please listen to whatever God is calling you to, and let Him use you.