



Christian Voices for Life  
Weekly Pro-Life  
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## One Changed Mind Led to Another

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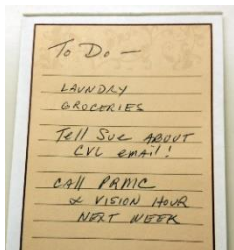
**Education:** “Jack” had been praying outside the abortion clinic for years. He was sometimes aggressive toward the workers at the clinic. But he decided to attend the training offered by the local Sidewalk Advocates for Life group. He realized “I’ve been doing this wrong.” He changed his approach and began to reach out to one of the workers with the love of Christ. He developed a powerful friendship with her and even made her a birthday cake. Eventually, she made the decision to leave her job and accept a referral to And Then There Were None (ATTWN), which was founded to help abortion workers leave the industry. Leaving the clinic on her last day, she hugged each of the Sidewalk Advocates and told them “Don’t stop doing what you’re doing. Women are changing their minds!” (1)

[Sidewalk Advocates for Life](#) trains volunteers to reach out to whoever they might meet at the abortion clinic: women seeking abortions, their partners, friends, parents, and yes, the abortion workers. Everyone is treated with love and respect and offered the information that could help them make a better choice. ATTWN reports that about 60% of the workers who come to them have been referred by sidewalk advocates. [ATTWN offers them help](#) in seeking another job, and temporary financial assistance while they transition. Each worker is also assigned to a Client Manager who walks with them through their long-term journey to healing and forgiveness. ATTWN also offers healing weekend retreats, and can help the workers connect with churches and pastors who can help them to continue to grow spiritually.

1. Story told in 9/25/20 email from Lauren Muzyka, Executive Director of Sidewalk Advocates for Life



**Prayer:** Please, Lord, continue to call many volunteers to reach out to women on the sidewalk outside abortion facilities. Guide the local group leaders in reaching out to their communities and help their programs to grow, with more and more hours being covered with prayer and sidewalk advocates. Open the hearts of the women seeking abortion and whoever might be accompanying them to the center, to accept the information offered and make the decision to leave the facility and make a choice for life. Bless the efforts of both Sidewalk Advocates for Life and ATTWN to draw both clients and workers away from the abortion facility and into your loving arms.



**Action:** If you hear someone say that pro-lifers only care about the baby and not the mothers, politely but firmly state your disagreement. Tell them how pro-life pregnancy centers offer all kinds of help to women to empower them to choose life for their babies, and some volunteers even go outside the abortion facilities, not to condemn but to offer a last chance to find the help they need to choose life. Sidewalk advocates show love to everyone, even the abortion workers, who are

referred to ATTWN. When a worker is ready to leave her job, ATTWN can help her find another job and also help her long term to find healing from her experiences.