

Because of You, Venezuelan Teens Learn About Human Dignity for the First Time

Thanks to your mission, Manuel learned why abortion and premarital sex are wrong. Now, he's helping others live chastely!

"...and God created you with a special dignity. You have value simply because you're a human being."

Manuel's jaw dropped.

He'd never heard about human dignity before. He didn't know that God treasures each person He creates.

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Thank you for helping these students embrace God's plan for life and family.

Dear Friends in Christ,

Thank you for making the small miracles you see in the Mission Report possible.

Abortion groups are doing their best to enforce an anti-child culture. **In many countries, the missions you support are the only pro-life voice.**

You can see in these pages how one voice of truth can cut through lies and move a heart to conversion.

We can never let that voice be silenced. God will bring the victory in the end, but until then we need to keep reaching out to souls at risk.

Please remember our pro-life mission in your prayers. And **please continue making change possible** by supporting our mission through your generous gifts.

Thank you for all you do to defend life and family.

Praying for you,



Father Shenan J. Boquet



Fr. Shenan J. Boquet
President

Because of you, Manuel learned that every person is special to God. He could finally understand why abortion and premarital sex are wrong.

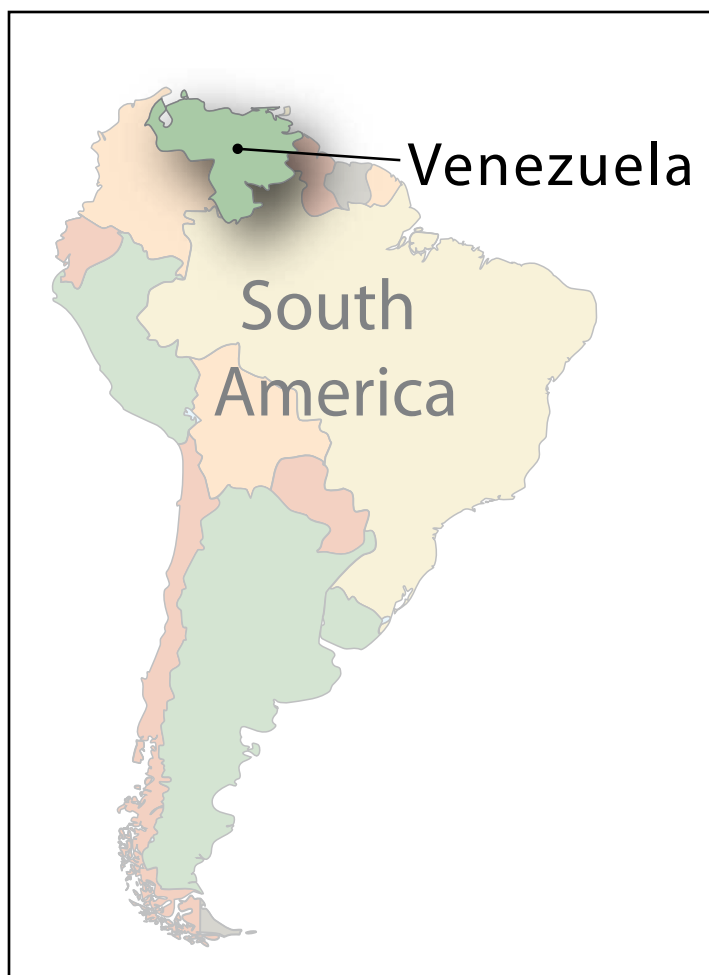
Thanks to you, Manuel finally understood the depth of God's love.

MANUEL'S PARENTS NEVER TAUGHT HIM ABOUT HUMAN DIGNITY OR CHASTITY

Manuel is a teenager from Venezuela.

Last spring, your missionaries visited his school. They taught the students about God's plan for marriage and family life. They also taught the students that God values each and every person.

Manuel had never heard about human dignity before. Even though he grew up in a culturally Catholic community, he'd never really learned about God's



plan for humanity. His parents hadn't even taught him about chastity, respect for life, or the value of marriage.

You gave this 16-year-old teen the keys to understanding God's plan for his life.

BECAUSE OF YOU, MANUEL IS COMMITTED TO DEFENDING GOD'S PLAN FOR MARRIAGE AND HUMAN LIFE

When Manuel learned about human dignity, he could finally understand why abortion and premarital sex are wrong.

Because of you, Manuel learned that every person is special to God. Abortion kills a living child, who is loved by God.

Manuel also learned that sex within marriage is a great gift, given by God. But sex outside of marriage disrespects human dignity. It treats the other as an object of pleasure.

Thanks to you, Manuel realized why it's so important to live chastely and defend life.

YOU INSPIRED MANUEL TO HELP OTHERS LIVE CHASTELY

Today, Manuel is committed to helping his family live out God's plan for marriage and human life.

Manuel has a young sister at home. Because of you, he's committed to helping his sister grow up living chastely and valuing human life.

Throughout your missionaries' presentations, Manuel took copious notes. He'll use this information to educate his community.

YOUR MISSIONARIES INSPIRE A RISING GENERATION

Manuel is just one of many teens who attended



your missionaries' presentation.

Sadly, many teens in Venezuela don't know about the dangers of abortion and birth control. Many suffer from the physical consequences of an anti-child lifestyle.

When your missionaries visit schools, they warn teens about the dangers of casual sex. But they also reveal the beauty of God's plan for marriage.

Because of you, students like Manuel are committed to live chastely. You're inspiring a new generation!

Anti-life groups are targeting Venezuela with contraception and abortion. Your education programs keep teens from falling into that trap!

Because of You, Violet Quit Using Dangerous Birth Control

Violet's doctor prescribed birth control to "fix" her health problems. Thanks to you, Violet found real healing.

Violet started using birth control pills when her second child was born. Soon afterwards, her health fell apart.

For months, she'd suffered from serious health issues. Finally, she'd gone to her local medical clinic in Zimbabwe to ask for help.

Her doctor's solution was a different method of contraception. He'd inserted a Jadelle implant in her arm.

Three years later, Violet was still suffering. The implant hadn't fixed anything.

WESTERN ORGS TARGET WOMEN LIKE VIOLET WITH POPULATION CONTROL

Violet is just one of many victims of the effort to create an anti-child culture in Africa.

Doctors get kickbacks to promote contraception

and abortion. Groups like Planned Parenthood are replacing healthcare with "progressive" ideology.

Last winter, Violet met your missionaries, Monica and Veronica. During their conversation, she mentioned that she suffered from frequent, severe headaches.

Monica and Veronica wanted to help, so they asked Violet when her headaches had started occurring. When the story came out, they knew that learning the truth about contraception could help Violet heal spiritually and physically.

EDUCATION YOU SUPPORT FREED VIOLET FROM THE CONTRACEPTION TRAP

Your missionaries educated Violet about contraception. They explained that birth control

damages women, spiritually and emotionally.

Violet's doctor was wrong. Switching methods of contraception wouldn't help. The implant was releasing toxic hormones into her arm, causing her headaches and other health issues.

It also erodes relationships. Violet learned that contraception kept her and her husband from loving each other completely and unconditionally. It left them both in a state of sin, and starved their marriage of authentic love.



Contraception was destroying Violet's soul, and her health. Backed by you, missionary Veronica (right) helped her choose openness to life.

Because of you, Violet decided to quit contraception.

MEDICAL STAFF RESISTED REMOVING VIOLET'S IMPLANT

When Violet went to the medical clinic to have her implant removed, the nurses were unwilling to help.

They urged Violet to keep her implant. Jadelle implants work for five years, and she'd only had it for three! It would be a waste to remove it early. They encouraged her to keep it inserted for another two years, at least.

Thanks to you, Violet stood her ground. Because of you, she knew the dangers of contraception. She insisted that the medical staff remove her implant immediately.

Thanks to you, Violet is free from hormonal birth control!

Her headaches stopped as soon as the implant was removed. Violet found true healing, all because of you.

THANK YOU FOR SHIELDING WOMEN FROM ANTI-LIFE EXPLOITATION

Unfortunately, Violet is just one victim of the anti-life agenda in Africa.

Western, pro-abortion groups hand out free contraception, encouraging women to have casual sex. When birth control inevitably fails, they profit from abortion.

Originally, Violet's medical clinic inserted the implant for free. But when Violet asked to have it removed, the medical staff forced her to pay. They didn't want her to stop using contraception.

This is why your work is so important. Many women are exploited by pro-abortion organizations. Without you, women like Violet will continue to suffer. And preborn children risk a horrific death.

Thank you for your compassion.

Thank You for Saving Two Boys from Abortion

Your missionaries helped teen moms choose life. Now Shadnai and Patricia need your help to finish school.

Shadnai didn't know how she'd face her parents. Her face burned with shame as she walked drearily home from school.

She'd just been expelled from school for being pregnant. What would she do now?

Shadnai wondered if abortion would fix her problems.

SHADNAI AND PATRICIA WERE EXPELLED AND KICKED OUT OF HOME FOR BEING PREGNANT

Your missionary, Fr. Zikomankhani, met Shadnai and her friend Patricia last year.

The two girls had recently been expelled from school for being pregnant. To make it worse, their families had kicked them out of their homes. The 15-year-old girls didn't know where to go.

In Malawi, having a child outside of marriage is shameful. Often, women are tempted to kill their children with abortion, so they can avoid the disgrace.

Fr. Z quickly realized that Shadnai and Patricia were in a dangerous situation. **The girls were hoping that if they got abortions, they could return home and go back to school.**

Fr. Z knew he needed to help the girls choose life.

THANK YOU FOR HELPING SHADNAI AND PATRICIA CHOOSE LIFE

Fr. Z encouraged Shadnai and Patricia to keep their preborn children. He told them that their babies were a gift from God! Abortion would kill a tiny, human person. They would be wonderful mothers.

Fr. Z helped the girls understand the dangers of abortion. It wouldn't solve their problems. But it could seriously harm, or even kill, them.

Because of you, Shadnai and Patricia realized that compassionate people like you wanted to help! They weren't alone. There was hope for the future.

After a long, patient conversation, Fr. Z convinced Shadnai and Patricia to choose life.

LIVING A CULTURE OF Life

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Your missionaries want to help the girls return to school. But they don't have the resources. With help from compassionate people like you, Shadnai and Patricia can finish their schooling.

YOUR MISSIONARY REUNITED THE GIRLS WITH THEIR FAMILIES AND WITH JESUS

Fr. Z realized these girls had missed some crucial values. That's how they had wandered into sin. The result was broken relationships, and a narrow escape from a worse crime: the murder of a child.

To prevent the same thing from happening again, he taught them the value of chastity, and the beauty of God's plan for marriage and family.

Then he visited their homes and convinced their parents to welcome the girls home. Because of your generosity, Fr. Z also was able to give Shadnai and Patricia baby clothes.

Today, Shadnai and Patricia both have baby boys. The girls' parents are delighted with their grandsons. These boys are alive today because of compassionate people like you!

Thank you for saving these boys from a terrible death. And thank you for saving Shadnai and Patricia from the physical, emotional, and spiritual effects of abortion.

SHADNAI AND PATRICIA STILL NEED YOUR HELP TO RETURN TO SCHOOL

Because of you, Shadnai and Patricia reunited with their families and have adorable sons. But these girls still need your help.

Their families are very poor. **The money that used to pay for Shadnai and Patricia's schooling is now used for food and baby supplies.**

Without a complete education, Shadnai and Patricia will struggle to get a job. They may never be able to provide for their family.

Your missionaries want to help the girls return to school. But they don't have the resources.

With help from compassionate people like you, Shadnai and Patricia can finish their schooling. **You can help these two teen moms take care of their children.**

Thank you for your generosity towards moms in need.

THANK YOU for making change possible!

Every story you read in Mission Report is a snapshot of your impact. Your gifts are saving lives and souls all over the world. None of this amazing work would be possible without you.

Thank you for building a pro-life world. Please pray for the mission. I'll be praying for you.



Fr. Shenan J. Boquet