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You Stopped Dangerous Anti-Life Agendas at the Organization for American States (OAS)

Thank you for leading the fight to protect children's innocence!

Ana's brown eyes opened wide in shock.

Her teacher was talking about sin like it was normal and healthy!

LGBT unions, types of birth control, ways to get abortions...Ana's sex-ed class was basically a how-to manual for grave sins.

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You're uniting pro-lifers in Latin America! Because of you, missionaries are protecting families from proabortion attacks. Dear Friends in Christ,

Thank you for being a light in the darkness.

Your support gives me hope for the

future. The stories in this report are just a small snapshot of the work you're doing all around the world.

When Collette thought abortion was her only option, you gave her hope. Because of you, Collette saw her child



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on an ultrasound. She even heard her daughter's heartbeat! You can read the rest of her story on page 5.

Collette's story is one of many. Your missionaries work tirelessly to help moms, dads, and kids. Little by little, you're leading souls back to God.

This mission is only possible because of you. Thank you for your generous and compassionate support.

Yours in Christ and Our Lady,

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Father Shenan J. Boquet



Your ongoing support is critical. Each year, Anti-life groups use the OAS to push small countries toward abortion. You can stop them.

Sadly, this type of sex-education threatens lives and souls. And anti-life groups eagerly promote it. Recently, they tried to call it a "human right."

Thankfully, your missionaries at the Organization of American States were prepared. Because of you, they defended children's innocence!

YOUR MISSIONARIES ARE STOPPING ANTI-LIFE INTERNATIONAL PRESSURE!

If you've never heard of the Organization of American States, it's something like the UN. It mostly affects Central and South America.

Population control groups use the OAS to push anti-life agendas on pro-life countries.

This drags down grassroots pro-life work. International decisions affect small communities. **That's why your missionaries formed a coalition of pro-life organizations.**

You're leading the way in this fight to protect



You helped ambassadors see how perverse sex-ed would undermine their country's values. They heard you and acted! children!

YOU PROTECTED SCHOOLKIDS FROM PERVERTED SEX-ED

This past June, the Organization of American States held its General Assembly. Anti-lifers tried to use this opportunity to push their agenda. Thanks to you, this year they didn't succeed.

For instance, anti-lifers wanted to include Comprehensive Sex Education in the document on human rights.

If sex-ed is called a human right, anti-lifers could bully countries into offering the program. This would tear down chastity and feed abortion mills. The souls of young boys and girls were at stake!

Because of you, pro-life countries refused to accept perverse sex-ed as a human right.

YOU STOPPED DANGEROUS LANGUAGE IN DOCUMENTS

Your missionaries impacted many other documents adopted at the General Assembly.

For instance, anti-lifers tried to add the phrase, "sexual and reproductive rights" to one document. This is a euphemism for contraception, abortion, and mutilation surgeries.

Your missionaries exposed this vague language. Thankfully, this phrase didn't make it into the final document either!

Thank you for protecting Latin American countries. You're making sure they aren't bullied or conned into legalizing abortion!

YOUR MISSIONARIES ARE SUCCESSFULLY PROMOTING LIFE AND FAMILY

You're empowering pro-life countries to stand up to anti-life giants.



Luis Martinez, your missionary in charge of the OAS mission, says, **"it is safe to say that there was not a single significant advance, in terms of the abortion or gender agenda"** at this year's General Assembly.

But this work is far from over.

Each year, anti-life groups will use the OAS to pressure small Latin American countries. Your ongoing support is critical. With your help, missionaries can continue to defend life and family at the OAS. Thank you for your generosity!

Thank you for sending missionaries to the Organization of American <u>States! You're reli</u>eving anti-life pressure in Latin America.

Thank You for Rescuing his Family from the Perils of Abortion

Your missionaries inspired Mary-Angel to choose life. Now, she's sharing her story with other women!

Mary-Angel almost caved to the pressure.

Her boyfriend kept insisting that she get an abortion.

Mary-Angel wondered if he was right. How could she handle another child? Her son was already a handful.

Thank you for bringing hope to Mary-Angel's family!

MARY-ANGEL'S BOYFRIEND PRESSURED HER TO GET AN ABORTION

When Mary-Angel first met your missionaries, she was two months pregnant.

The unmarried mom from Côte d'Ivoire didn't really want an abortion. But her boyfriend kept pressuring her. She was already taking care of a 5-yearold. Adding a baby into the mix would be too much. Besides, they were already strapped financially. They couldn't afford another child.

Sadly, Mary-Angel's boyfriend didn't understand that his son's life depended on him. He betrayed his role as a dad by urging Mary-Angel to abort their child.

Without you, this little boy might have suffered. And his parents would have endangered their own souls.

YOUR MISSIONARIES HELPED THESE PARENTS OVERCOME THEIR FEARS

Thankfully, generous people like you were ready to help.

Your missionaries met Mary-Angel at a conference. After they heard her story, they knew they needed to help her family.



You rescued Mary-Angel from the sin of abortion. Today, she's living chastely and helping other moms choose life.

First, your missionaries approached Mary-Angel's boyfriend. As they talked, they tried to understand his concerns. This way, they could help ease his fears.

Your missionaries offered to help financially. One of the father's biggest concerns was money. He couldn't afford to provide for another child. Your missionaries reassured him. There were compassionate people like you who wanted to help.

BECAUSE OF YOU, THIS FAMILY RECEIVED SPIRITUAL SUPPORT TOO!

But your missionaries didn't stop with financial support. Often, abortion-minded moms and dads need spiritual help too.

Your missionaries prayed for the young parents. God loved them and their preborn child very much. They weren't alone. Thanks to you, Mary-Angel and her boyfriend received the spiritual, mental, and emotional help they needed. And because of your generosity and compassion, they chose life for their son.

MARY-ANGEL IS SPREADING YOUR MISSION TO OTHERS!

There's even more to this story!

Mary-Angel didn't stop when she chose life. Today, she stopped cohabiting and sharing her story with other moms. She works with your missionaries to train pro-life leaders. And she inspires them to protect preborn children, just like her son.

Her son is now 7 years old. As you can see, he's a fun-loving boy, growing up in a happy family.

You're saving moms and dads from serious sin. And you're protecting preborn children from horrific deaths. **Thank you for your outpouring of generosity. You're the reason this mission continues.**



Thank you for saving this playful boy from abortion! You helped his father to love him and treat Mary-Angel with dignity.

Your Generosity Gave Collette a Bright Future

Because of you, Collette saw her daughter on an ultrasound screen. You inspired her to choose life!

"Before you get an abortion, you ought to get an ultrasound."

Collette froze as the nurse's words sunk in. An ultrasound? She couldn't afford that!

Her nurse continued, "Don't worry about the cost. The kind people who give to HLI will help you."

ABANDONED AND ALONE, COLLETTE THOUGHT ABORTION WAS HER ONLY OPTION

Collette didn't know that an ultrasound would change her life.

Her life had been filled with betrayal. As a young girl, she'd been hunted by neighbors during the Rwandan genocide. Collette fled to a local family, who took care of her. After her parents died, they welcomed her as their own daughter.

Last year, Collette ended up in a broken relationship. After she became pregnant, the man left her. He claimed the child wasn't his. The baby was her problem. Collette broke down. She felt so alone. She couldn't raise a child all by herself. She didn't even have her own home. Abortion seemed like her only option.

COLLETTE'S NURSE URGED HER TO GET AN ULTRASOUND AT YOUR PREGNANCY CARE CENTER.

Collette went to the public hospital, determined to get an abortion. To her surprise, the nurse kept telling her to get an ultrasound.

The young mom protested. She didn't have the money. She didn't need an ultrasound. She only needed an abortion. But this nurse wouldn't give up.

Collette didn't know this, but this nurse was one of your missionaries. She knew how powerful an ultrasound is. When abortion-minded moms hear their child's heartbeat, they often choose life.

So, this nurse urged Collette to go to HLI Rwanda. They would help her. And compassionate people like you would cover the cost of the ultrasound.



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YOUR MISSIONARIES HELPED COLLETTE CHOOSE LIFE FOR HER DAUGHTER, JOANA.

When she arrived at HLI Rwanda, Collette met your kind and loving missionaries. She says it was, "Like I met with God Himself...my eyes and ears have been opened."

Your missionaries helped Collette understand how serious abortion is. It's a grave sin. And it kills an innocent child. They also helped Collette get an ultrasound. Because of you, she heard her daughter's heart beating for the first time.

Thanks to your compassion, Collette chose life for her daughter. Little Joana was born last March!

YOU'RE TRAINING PRO-LIFE NURSES TO SAVE LIVES AND HELP MOMS.

Your pregnancy care work is so important. Because of you Collette received food and baby clothes. Your missionaries even helped pay for her medical bills. Now, they're helping her find a job, so she can take care of Joana.

But you did something else important too. You trained the nurse who helped Collette.



Because of you, Joana is about to celebrate her 6-month birthday! Thank you for helping her mom choose life.

Because of you, this nurse was prepared to help abortion-minded moms. Working at the public hospital, she meets many moms with crisis pregnancies. Thanks to your training, she encourages them to get an ultrasound. Then she sends them to HLI Rwanda for financial and spiritual aid.

Your generosity is saving lives and souls, all around the world!

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.

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