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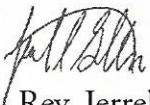
I am writing to personally thank you for your recent gift of \$100.00 and welcome you to the Light of Life Rescue Mission family. Your gift to Light of Life truly does make a difference in the lives of homeless men, women and children in Pittsburgh.

I have enclosed some information about our mission and programs. To learn more about upcoming events and to sign up for news and stories of change, visit [www.lightoflife.org](http://www.lightoflife.org). Be sure to also connect with us on Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter for behind-the-scenes updates. We'd love to give you a tour or have lunch with you. If you would like to be more connected to the Mission, call us at **412-258-6100**.

Thank you again for your support. Please remember Light of Life and those we serve in your prayers.

I look forward to partnering together to transform the lives of the poor and homeless in our community.

In His Grip,



Rev. Jerrel T. Gilliam

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Dear Emails to Heaven, Inc,

For many of the women in our program facing homelessness, there is a history of trauma and tragedy. We'd like to share the story of one recent Light of Life graduate, Barb. Her story is a reminder that at a given moment, any one of us can become a victim of homelessness.

*"Three months out of high school, I was pregnant with my first son. Six weeks after he was born, his father and I were in a terrible car accident and his father died. I felt lost and alone. The pain and trauma of losing my son's father and having a newborn baby at 19-years-old was too much to handle. I turned to drugs to cope with the pain. For two years following the accident, my addiction manifested into more dangerous drugs. When I turned 24, I was using a needle for anything and everything.*

*When I discovered I was pregnant with my second child, I knew I needed a change. It was then I found Light of Life. I was amazed by everything their programs did for mothers with children. Through the Mission, I found God and my life changed. I was able to get my Bachelor's Degree, and am currently working toward my Master's Degree. I know without God, none of this could be possible. I am a mother to my children today because of Light of Life. My children know God because of Light of Life. Now- I volunteer at the Mission and am on the Alumni committee. Light of Life is in every part of my life, and I love it. I am eternally grateful. God is good."*

*-Barb, Light of Life Graduate*

Through your continued partnership and support, Barb was able to turn her life around and become the mother she always knew she could be. Barb now has the opportunity to pursue her dreams. We are so excited to walk alongside Barb every step of the way. Thank you for helping give people like Barb and her children a new life.

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P.S. If you have any prayer needs, please email [prayer@lightoflife.org](mailto:prayer@lightoflife.org) and your need will be shared with our prayer team.