

JULIE'S HEART CRY

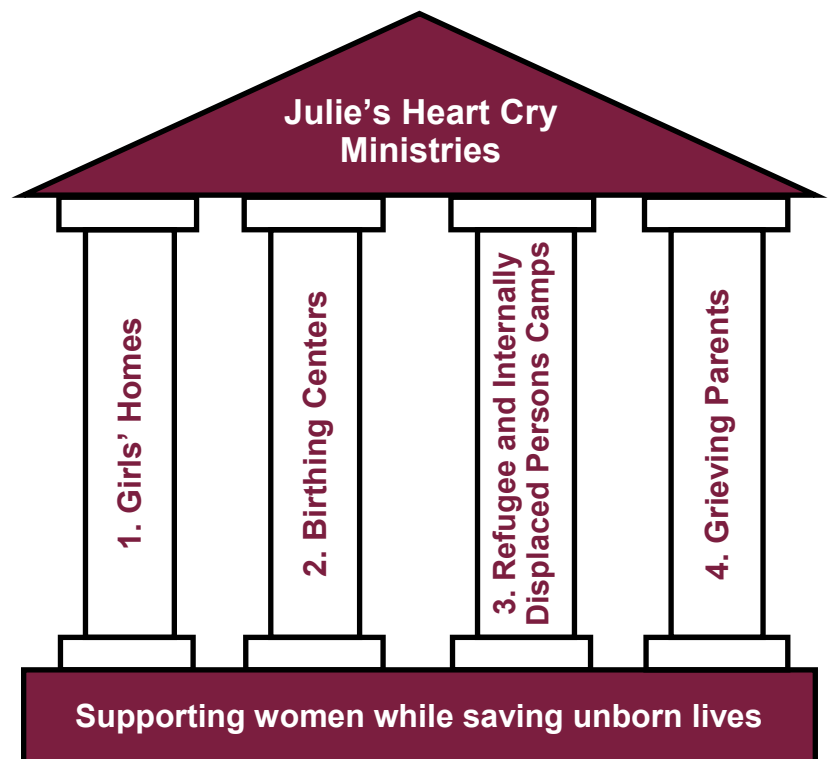
Bringing Hope to Women Globally

Dear friends and partners,

Many of you have been friends of Julie's Heart Cry ministry for a while, and I want to thank you for your ongoing support! Others of you are new to this ministry and I welcome your interest and involvement! I would like to give you all an overview of the ministry so you have a current understanding of how best to pray for these efforts as well as what your financial donations are being used for.

Julie's Heart Cry (JHC) is a global ministry for women with four several pillars. Although the pillars may seem unrelated, the common foundation is coming along side of women in their storms while saving the lives of the unborn. While our goal is to save the lives of the unborn, we must accept the fact that all of these mom's (married, single, teen girls, college women and older) will ultimately make the final life or death decisions for these innocent babies. So what must we do to make an impact in their hearts to the point where we can help with the process of choosing life for these precious babies?

Pillar #1: The Girls' Homes (we need to come up with a name for these homes!) Due to the staggering rate of abortions on university campuses, the goal for JHC is to collaborate with willing academic institutions who are onboard with the Biblical conviction that life begins at conception and abortion is an evil act against God. Building a Girls' Home on campus where the girls can move into, continue their education, be under specific Biblical teachings and have the baby will have a significant impact on the lives of these precious babies. They will have the option of keeping the baby or finding a Godly couple interested in adoption. We are currently in collaboration with a university in Kenya for a Girls' Home and they have donated free land. JHC is currently raising funds for the Girl's Home in Kenya.



Pillar #2 Birthing Centers

Did you know that in some of the most remote places in this world, women in labor are experiencing some of the most unimaginable physical abuse from the hands of many traditional midwives? For those of you who know my story, this was the cause of my mother's death after giving birth to me.

A young and healthy mother to be, who was able to walk to the local Maternity Center to give birth was so physically abused by the midwives that she and her baby both died. I'll spare you of some of the horror stories.

During one of the most traumatic and vulnerable times in a woman's life, she deserves to give birth in dignity and alongside compassionate and trained midwives. By building birthing centers or maternity centers, we have a facility where women can bring their babies into this world and also hear the gospel as they are cared for with dignity. JHC is currently raising funds for Birthing Centers.

Pillar #3 Refugee and Internally Displaced Persons (IDP) camps

Did you know that the majority of people in Refugee and IDP camps are women and children? Imagine running for your life for weeks or months before reaching a camp, possibly being raped along the way just to arrive in a camp where the probability of you or your daughter being raped yet again is quite high. Because of the stigma and shame attached to rape, getting the much needed data is quite difficult. Research done in an IDP camp (camp purposely not named) discovered that 70% of the women and girls have been sexually assaulted, one of the many reasons for the staggering numbers of abortions in these camps.

When families are able to make it to a safe location, as in the case of Central African Republic discussed in the June 2019 newsletter, we provide emergency kits, transitional homes, and land for them to farm for a certain period while finding some normalcy and healing.

Pillar #4 will be discussed in a future newsletter, stay tuned!

Where does Julie's Heart Cry come in?

We are grateful for the opportunities given us to help meet the needs of our sisters in Christ. This newsletter outlines some of the areas we're currently asking for prayer and support to pursue. As I talk with more people, the needs are great but we know that the Lord will provide through us, his servants!

We strongly believe in helping with their urgent physical and spiritual needs, simultaneously as the Lord provides.

Finally, yet importantly, would you thank and praise the Lord with me? As of last month, a couple that is a reader of this newsletter as well, donated \$25,000 toward the housing of the Internally Displaced Persons in Central African Republic!

May God be honored and be praised!

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