

For all the Followers, Donors, and Prayer Warriors of CFS:

Do you ever wonder what happens to a baby who is exposed to a *heroin* addiction for 9-months before he is born? To a child being carried by a mother *living out of her car* for 6-months of her pregnancy?

"Joshua" came into the world 3-5 weeks early and weighed less than 5 pounds. He was immediately rushed to the NICU of the hospital where he would spend the next 17 days of his young life.

Highly educated, Joshua's mother was aware that she was in no position to parent a child. She immediately contacted CFS upon learning that she was pregnant. She began the difficult journey of making an adoption plan. She ultimately chose an adoptive family that she believed would be the best gift for her new baby boy. *Because of a Christ centered donor base, she did not have to do this alone.*

"Joshua's" forever family was at the hospital with him every day until he was discharged. They both have family and experience with adoption, and especially babies born to addictive parents. They openly shared how God had prepared them to bring little "Joshua" into their family.

There are a lot more "*Joshua's*" out there! With your help, CFS will continue to be a conduit of God's mercies and grace for the sake of these babies, for the sake of these mothers! *Who knows the impact you may have on the next mom who contacts CFS for help!*

Prayerfully ask what God is calling you to do for the next "Joshua." What **awesome** plans might God have for him OR her, if saved and placed into a loving Christian home.

We know that God does have a plan for the next mom and her baby with whom we are blessed to work.

Will you be part of His extraordinary plans as you consider what you will give to help CFS minister to women and their babies?

For His Children,

Jerry D. Callens Executive Director

P.S. *An update*: "Joshua" was discharged from the hospital as a happy, healthy baby boy. His Birth Mother is now in drug rehab. Will you be a blessing to the next mom and baby?