



## ROSE'S STORY

As soon as “Rose” did a pregnancy test and saw it was positive, she scheduled an abortion for the first available appointment. Warned by Planned Parenthood that “protesters” - A Moment of Hope volunteers - would be outside the building, she avoided talking to us until finally, lost and tempted by snacks, she rolled down her window to accept a gift bag from volunteer Elizabeth.

Elizabeth counseled and prayed with her. Although she was conflicted, she decided to go to the appointment anyway. She noted that all the way from the turn off the main road to the driveway entrance AMOH people were standing ready to talk and help. To her, it was as if each one was asking by their presence, “Are you sure? Are you really sure?”

When she found out she was 14 weeks along and not 6 weeks as expected, it clinched her decision: she would not abort! Driving straight to Elizabeth, Rose jumped out of the car. They hugged and cried and danced for joy.

A week later, over lunch, Valerie and Elizabeth pointed out how God has his ways of getting our attention. “Oh yes,” she tearfully agreed, “you have no idea how much I needed that prayer that day, how much I appreciated it.” They shared the good news of the gospel and how God’s people can come alongside her through this pregnancy. Afterwards, the three of them delighted in watching her baby dance during an ultrasound. Her little one is due spring of next year.