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DANCER—NOW SAFE IN CHRIST

Some of the women have obvious wounds when they come through the doors of Solus Christus, broken noses, black eyes, cuts and scars. But the long-lasting wounds are hidden deep inside them. Many have PTSD which changes their personalities and ruins relationships. Many have abandonment issues which makes healthy relationships difficult. Most are hopeless, but God is all-powerful.

Trish's family was just waiting for the next explosion. When she was 11 years old her mother was tired of the constant upset family because of her husband and she left. Trish had learned to put on a happy face in order to try and keep her dad's anger at bay. She didn't believe there was a God. Feeling unloved and alone in the world she hardened her heart to pain at a very early age. Angry at her mother for abandoning her, all she wanted was someone to be there for her. No one was.



She was put in a position that no child should ever have to experience. For a year her father slept with her and confided in her. He said they were going to visit her mom, took her to

Winston and disappeared. He was gone. She learned to keep everyone in her life at a safe distance to keep from getting hurt. She shut down and started using drugs to cope with life. For 5 years she was numb going from man to man taking from them what she wanted. She started dancing to keep up her drug habit.



Trish found heroin and thought it was what she had been looking for. That's what Satan wanted. It destroyed everything in her life that wasn't already

destroyed, including her. She wanted to die. She attempted it 3 times only to find herself still alive and still ashamed of her life.

Her mom told her about Solus Christus. Trish cried out to God to do something, change her. But she had no hope He would ever want her because of the person she had become. All of the thinking she had acquired over her life changed in a split second. She came to Solus Christus and finally felt true love for the first time in her life. She has learned so much about God and herself. "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me."

FREE INDEED

“**T**he two angels reached out, pulled Lot into the house and bolted the door.” Gen. 19:10 The Lord reached out to me and snatched me from the wicked life I lived and through Jesus this is “bolted” also. Satan cannot grab me away! I am protected from Satan because Christ lives in me. Doesn’t mean all is good, peaceful and joyful all the time. I have so much praise for God today—for great and small things like I’ve never had before! I know God’s presence is always with me, wherever I go. I am chosen by God, saved, justified, bought!

Candace

TWO NEW TEACHERS

We welcome two new teachers who are working with the ladies, Dave and Bronwyn Barricklow. Boundaries, scones, apologetics, and mowing the lawn all summer, loving it! Both were trained to be educators. Bronwyn taught in Michigan for many years. Dave owned Dom Bakeries in Ann Arbor where he had over 100 employees. They now reside in Wilkesboro where they have an Anytime Fitness franchise. The Lord bless them as they serve the King.



SHATTERED LIVES

What a blessing to have heat, electricity and food. Ladies come to us from the woods, no heat, no food. They come to us from jail and prison, no where to go, no safe place. They come from sleeping in abandoned cars and houses. Shattered lives.

651 women have come through our doors. Addiction is growing at a rapid pace in our country. But today, God is drawing hundreds of women to hope, peace and victory through His all-powerful love. We have seen openness and hunger for the wonder of a loving Father, a new life through Christ’s sacrifice.

They could be your daughters, your sisters, your wives. Your support of Solus Christus makes a real impact on the ladies’ lives. Please consider a substantial gift this Christmas season as we look forward to building an additional facility across the street from the farmhouse to provide more women with a safe place to learn of our Reigning King of Kings.

Thank you for your faithful prayers and generous support of Solus Christus as we meet the physical, spiritual and emotional needs of the ladies that call out for help. Many have come to faith because of your support. Great is your reward. God is building His Kingdom.

PRAISE & PRAYER

- Praise the Lord for Angie and Candace, our new interns. What a help.
- Praise God for Dave and Bronwyn, new teachers.
- Please pray for our ladies during the holidays. Separation from their children can be very hard during this time.
- Pray for the Lord’s direction and timing on the property across the street.
- Please pray for broken families its always hard, but more so during the holidays.

For I am confident of this very thing, that He who began a good work in you will perfect it until the day of Christ Jesus.
Phil. 1:6

MORE THAN A CONQUERER

Ann was physically, mentally and sexually abused from the earliest age she can remember. At 7 her father injected her with drugs. She was addicted by 9. From 7-14 she was brutally abused her by her father and a satanic cult.

She turned to crime, violation, gangs and drugs. There were several suicide attempts, medical and mental institutions, group homes, jail, prison, foster care and rehabs.

Through a pastor Ann found Solus Christus. She now is working on a solid relationship with God. A new roadway in the wilderness has been made for Ann. “Jesus is definitely here,” Isaiah 33:6 “In that day He will be your sure foundation, providing a rich store of salvation, wisdom and knowledge. The fear of the Lord will be your treasure.”

She is now at a year-long Christian rehab. Ann left us quoting Rms. 8:37-39 part of which says, “But in all these things we overwhelmingly conquer through Him who loved us.

Go forward with Christ, we are so proud of you.

CONTINUING STORY OF GOD ON THE MOVE

There is a small building on the backside of the property. Paula wanted to turn it into a chapel. Some men from Pinedale Christian church in Winston Salem came and decided instead to build a small building as a summer mission project. God led them into something quite different as the plans for the building continued to change. In the end they teamed with many other churches and people to construct a 1,500 sq. ft. Activity Building.



Who could have planned for this? Here the ladies have Bible study and meetings with many people in the community. This building was a gift from God and is being used by this ministry in great ways. God knew we would need such a place and provided through His people.

To God be the glory!!

“You shall call His name Jesus, for it is He who will save His people from their sins.” Matthew 1:21

T-SHIRTS FOR SALE

Get your Solus Christus t-shirt just in time for Christmas. 100% cotton, navy, all sizes. \$12.50/ea plus shipping. Call 336-813-3007 to order.



NEW INTERNS!!

Angie and Candace join us to intern here. They both came through Solus Christus in 2013, went to a year-long Christian rehab and now are serving the Lord among the ladies. God is sending workers into the fields that are very ripe unto harvest.

Angie and Candace have very different skill sets. They are filling much needed areas. Both interns come with LOTS of training and leadership experience from their rehab. THANK YOU LORD!!



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Our thrift store, Furniture Plus Thrift, needs volunteers, a day, half a day, an hour. Come sort through donations, run the register, work with customers. We will appreciate any and all help. God has blessed us wonderfully at the store. 336-945-0202.



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- Bo Winn by Carol Winn
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"When the fullness of the time came, God sent forth His Son, born of a woman, born under the Law, that we might receive the adoption as sons."

Galatians 4: 4



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