



# Mission to Ukraine

*Meet Our Staff*

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*We serve the spiritual, emotional, and physical needs of women with crisis pregnancies, and their children, children with special needs and their families, and orphans in Ukraine with the love of Christ.*

## Meet Our Staff: Called to *Love* and Compassion



### Svetlana Korolyova Crisis Pregnancy Counselor and Abstinence Teacher

Svetlana is happily married. Together with her husband she cares for her nephew and niece who lost their parents in a car accident.

**Her conversion.** In 2000, a sign 'Women's Center' in the window of a neighbouring building caught my attention, and I decided to check it out. It turned out to be the Mission to Ukraine center. The ladies working there were first to tell me about our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. They gave me a Bible and invited me to a church. At church I felt immediately that it was my place. There I found understanding and love, I felt needed and at home. I accepted the Lord in my heart, repented of my sins, and was baptized.

**Her transformation.** Jesus totally changed me and made me a new creation. My thoughts, desires, and hopes yielded to Him, and the goal of my life and ministry became to bring glory to Him!

**Her calling.** In 2001, the Lord called me to a crisis pregnancy ministry at Mission to Ukraine. The main principle in my ministry is to stand for the truth in love. Inasmuch as we do it unto one of the least of these, be it unborn children, teen-age single mothers, deserted wives tired of providing for the families all alone, we do it to Jesus. Only Jesus Christ can set them free, and He called me to give love and compassion to them. The Lord has also called me to minister to teenagers and youth by revealing the truths about sex freedom, alcohol, and nicotine through the lessons for schools and colleges.

**Her gratitude.** I am grateful to God for the ministry of Mission to Ukraine, for every child saved from abortion, for every woman who came to know the love and mercy of God, for every teenager who found strength to say no to risky behavior.

Please pray for our ministry to grow and thrive and for Ukrainian OB/GYNs to turn pro-life.

May God continue to bless our labor in His fields.



Svetlana Korolyova on a home visit to Oksana, a refugee from Moldova and a mother of twins born thanks to the LifeSavers program

### Current Needs:

All of our committed missionaries depend upon faithful givers like you. If God moves you to support Sveta or any of our staff with a monthly or one-time gift, please contact the U.S. office or visit our new website to make a secure gift online. If you would enjoy receiving personal correspondence from one of our staff, please contact either office.



Teaching Abstinence at a college