

With just the clothes on her back and a few dollars to her name, Mary escaped her extremely abusive situation in desperate need of help. Larger organizations could not assist her, so another non-profit called A Stepping Stone and we quickly evaluated the best way to aid Mary. Two local thrift stores provided her with clothes, shoes, and other necessities, and A Stepping Stone set her up with personal hygiene items and some furniture. A local family generously opened up their home to Mary, giving her a safe place to live while we worked to find her something more permanent. In the meantime, we assisted her with resume writing, job applications, and interview practices.

Feeling a new found confidence and hope, she was able to secure a job within a matter of weeks. A Stepping Stone was delighted to celebrate such a victory with Mary. We worked closely with another non-profit that provides a group home for single women, and Mary was eager to be part of that setting while she continued to get on her feet. She is currently there, thriving, stable, safe, and independent.