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Meet Victoria

Victoria lives in Ohio and is the busy mom of three children, ages 8 to 14. She lost her left leg initially due to infection following an injury in 2018. She became a bi-lateral amputee as a result of further complications last year. Victoria (35) is active and works full time while caring for her family.



Thanks to the terrific clinic team at Optimus Prosthetics in Columbus, OH and her clinician, Robert Hinks, CPO, Victoria is up and about on her new prosthetic limbs. We are so happy to see her smile and love the awesome socket design, likely a big hit with her kids!

The Optimus Team shared:

"Victoria walked out of here smiling from ear to ear, knowing she could now do the things she's been wanting to do, but couldn't because of her old ill-fitting leg. This would not have been possible without your help to provide Victoria not one leg, but two. Thank you so much. You make such a huge impact on these patients' lives."

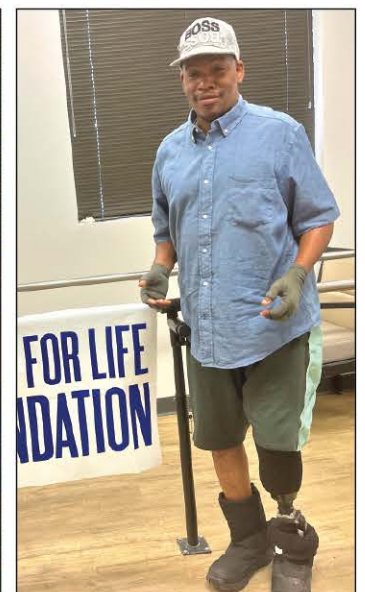
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Living on Purpose

What does it mean to build a LEGacy?

When I think about building a legacy, I get incredibly excited because I realize how easy it is. It is as easy as making things better, leaving things better, and making people better. When someone tragically loses a limb, I know they are terrified and uncertain of the future, but that is why we exist. We are here to make things better. We are here to build a legacy.

John Bunyan, an English preacher once said, "You have not lived today until you have done something for someone who can never repay you." This phrase is the essence of our work and of my life's work and I am passionate about this mission. Nearly every day I get the honor of calling someone and tell them we are funding their prosthesis. I get to tell them that someone like you has donated money to fund a prosthesis and in fact, to leave a legacy.

Leaving a legacy or building a LEGacy is something you can easily help us do. You can help raise funds with a fundraiser. You can donate money, or you can help with an event. A \$150 donation will provide a liner for a prosthetic patient and \$2,500 will fund an entire prosthesis for someone in need.

If this is something you would like to help us with, we would be honored to have you join us and let's build a legacy!

Randy Titony
Executive Director

Partner Profile:

300+ Clinic Partners across the U.S. make it possible for LFL clients to receive care in their local area.



We are fortunate to partner with many Hanger Clinic teams across the U.S. Shout out to the nine locations in Oklahoma for their tremendous support.

<https://hangerclinic.com>

We Love Mail!

Messages from clients after receiving their new limb

Thank you kindly for the replacement limb. It has made all the difference in the world to be up and walking and keeping up with a busy lifestyle. I can drive!
~ Quinton ~

I've been able to go fishing a couple times. Thank you from my family and me. This would not have ever been possible without you.
~ Don ~

My goal on Christmas Day was to walk on my prosthetic to go to celebrate with friends. I did not take my wheelchair!
Thank you!
(Big Smiley Face)
~ Raymond ~

I appreciate you guys giving me the ability to walk again. Means more than you know.
~ Jennifer ~

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Special thanks to our new Monthly Donors!
Your consistent support is deeply appreciated.

In Memoriam:

James
Brooks

Beverly
Deiningner

Jeffrey
Richardson

"I'm Gonna Rock My New Leg With These Heels!"

Monix Hetemeyer of New Amsterdam, Guyana was enjoying a quiet al fresco meal late one afternoon when suddenly a driver veered onto the sidewalk pinning her to the wall. Despite the valiant efforts of teams of doctors, her significant injuries resulted in amputation of her left leg. The young mother of two small children, a teacher at the new Amsterdam Secondary School, faced stark challenges in her home country without access to prosthetic care. Friends in Guyana and family in the U.S. rallied around her and Monix travelled to ProCare Prosthetics & Orthotics in Conyers, Georgia for quality care in February. Limbs for Life provided parts and components, and by March, Monix had her new limb.

Thanks to our unique network of clinic partners and monetary and in-kind donations, we are able to assist amputees in the most trying circumstances to enable their return to a full active life.

Monix has returned to lecturing at the University of Guyana and serves on the Board of the New Amsterdam Technical



Institute. She is a worship leader and inspirational speaker. Monix remains positive and we are certain she will continue to inspire others with her energy and unwavering commitment to accomplishing her goals.

Monix is pictured with her prosthetist Rebecca and said, "I'm gonna rock my new leg with these heels!!!"



Please give now to help others like Monix. Donations of used parts and limbs provide inventory to share with clinic partners like ProCare. **Your gifts of cash, stock, DAF donations and crypto will fund even more limbs.**

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Thanks for your generosity.

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LEAVE A LEGACY

Host an Event & Fund a Limb!

Many groups create fun events to support amputees in need. Choose something you enjoy and get started. Coming events include:

**Bowling
Tournaments**

**Charity Night at a
restaurant**

**Fun Run
or Walk**

**Pickleball
Tournaments**

**Charity Game
Streams**

**Cornhole
Tournament**



April is Limb Loss Awareness Month.

Limbs for Life partners with other organizations including ROMP Global and AOPA to educate the public using **#MobilityIsNotALuxury**.



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