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### A Helping Hand

YouTube, a website dedicated to sharing and viewing videos, has recently aided a ten-year-old in a tricky process that even adults may have trouble undergoing. A midwife does not have an easy time helping their patients, but ten-year-old Chloe Carrion filled this role when her aunt suddenly gave birth, with a little help from YouTube (Burke).

Chloe and her aunt, Dominique Spann, were home alone when Spann decided to use the restroom; not long after, she screamed Chloe's name and informed her that she was giving birth (Burke). Chloe was scared as she watched her aunt pass out in the bathtub from blood loss, but she knew what to do, thanks to her love of baby dolls (Burke). "I watch YouTube videos about people playing with dolls and I see them care for the babies, so I used the stuff I knew from the videos," Chloe states (Burke).

When emergency medical services (EMS) arrived, Chloe had the baby boy swaddled, with his umbilical cord already cut (Burke). Spann is proud of Chloe and how she was able to help her in her time of need, especially since no one in the family had known about her pregnancy (Burke). Chloe was even allowed to pick the baby's name, settling on the name Isaac (Burke). YouTube may be full of videos with no relevance to everyday life, but the role it played in Chloe's heroic rescue is no small one.

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