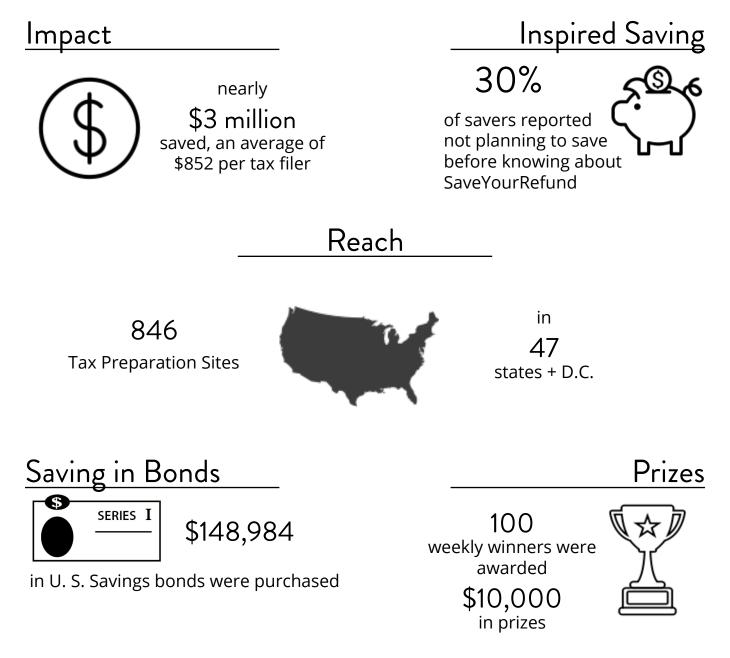
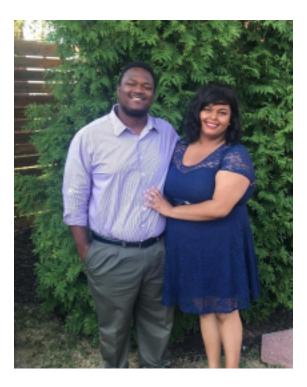


The SaveYourRefund campaign had another successful tax season in 2018. SaveYourRefund, a national campaign in its 6th year, encourages savings at tax time, when households making less than \$50,000 claim \$100 billion in federal tax refunds. The campaign creates a fun and rewarding experience to inspire Americans to use the moment of claiming a refund as an opportunity to save. SaveYourRefund is part of a broader portfolio of work by <u>Commonwealth</u> to help Americans build financial reserves. Some highlights from the 2018 SaveYourRefund campaign include:





"I plan to use my tax refund for paying down my debt, making some much needed repairs to my vehicle, savings for a rainy day, and spoiling my beautiful new granddaughter... If I win, I would definitely start a savings account or some type of savings plan for my special girl's education."



William, who did his taxes at United Way of Lancaster County, saves part of his tax refund every year to buy Christmas and b-day presents for his four children and 3 grandchildren. Every chance he gets, he puts some money into his savings account, including spare change and windfalls like tax refunds.

## -Kim

"My fiance and I are getting married in June of 2018 and many people know, weddings can cost a fortune. I saved my refund and am going to spend it entirely on our wedding. I am beyond grateful to win the \$100 through Save Your Refund as it will also go to the wedding of our dreams!"

## -Olivia



-William