



A Letter of Appreciation

Abandonment through physical absence, abuse, divorce, rejection, or death can leave a child with a desperate need for emotional connections in their life. A father's rejection of his son is likely to cause avoidance of feelings, a lack of self-discipline, low self-esteem, depression, and addiction problems.

Ultimately, every young man makes his own decision concerning faith. However, Walking Tall provides Godly male role models with a listening ear and support for these young men that can help them make meaningful choices to set them on a path toward becoming grounded, spiritual men.

"Dear Tom & Judy,

I just wanted to thank you guys for all the help you guys have given me. You have taught me a lot of cool skills with woodworking, and I now have something that I know I'm good at to fall back on, also thank you for all the amazing food. I also wanted to thank the mentors for showing me many woodworking techniques and putting up with my squirreling. Tom, you guys helped me unblock my path to my higher power and taught me how to appreciate Him. I have never done many things in my life, and I haven't cried for a couple of years, but when I prayed aloud when I was there last time, something broke inside me, but it was a good break. I cried, and it felt good; I opened up in front of all the people there, and I didn't feel judged. It was amazing! I have a job now, and I just wanted to tell you how appreciated you guys are and how much help you are to kids like me."

—Colton

Therefore welcome one another as Christ has welcomed you, for the glory of God.

Romans 15:7



We appreciate all your support, and prayers!

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