

AUTOMOTIVE WOODWORKING

FABRICATING & WELDING

SMALL ENGINE COMPUTER DESIGN

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HANDS-ON PERIENCES OR JOB READINESS

Obey Today

Obey today, with expectation-not begrudgingly, nor with reservation. But listen when, He speaks to you-to all He says, He wants to do-in and through, your life anew. In pictures, feelings, He'll give you meaning-vision, direction and new perspective. And when you do, great things will happen- much more than you, could ask or imagine. Joyanne M Ferrara

My youngest son, Joshua, was 11 years old when we first became involved with Walking Tall. At first, I was uncertain I wanted to hang out at an "all guy thing", but quickly found my place in the kitchen with Judy. Within the first few weeks, I witnessed such a profound change in the way Joshua interacted with his older brothers, Peter and Joseph, who are four years older than he is.

I witnessed this change, not just at Walking Tall, but most notably, at our home. Joshua had always been the 'little brother'. I do not know if it was the fact that Joshua was successfully training on the same tools in the woodshop as his older brothers or the mutual respect taught to the young men--skills like- always look a man in the eye and acknowledge the others you meet with a firm hand- shake, or if it was the incredible number of Walking Tall mentors setting a godly example of respect, personal responsibility, and integrity that caused the transformation, but Joshua had suddenly become an equal to his older brothers.



He was not simply the 'little brother' anymore. This positive change not only occurred in the older brothers, but I believe Joshua grew in self- confidence and maturity being involved with Walking Tall. My three 'boys' are now grown men, serving the Lord and their communities, often side by side and always with mutual respect. I know Walking Tall and the mentors and other young men involved have played a vital role in that development.





He has shown you, O mortal, what is good. And what does the Lord require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God. Micah 6:8

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