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I've been a mentor at walking Tall for about two years. I grew up in the Rogue Valley but moved away for several decades. When I returned a few years ago, I discovered a ministry program that I've always thought was extremely important in these times. I was so glad to learn that this kind of Ministry was happening in my hometown. Better yet, I found out they were operating as nearby neighbors!

The Bible tells us Jesus was a carpenter. Many chosen as disciples had trades that required working with their hands or the skill of the mind. These "real world" ele-

ments are connection points to life and society but often

missing in our modern education systems. These "hands-on" training methods have spiritual value as well! If the Son of God used his worldly trade to exercise spiritually, we can too! From this connection to physical work, he drew material for the parables that still teach us today.

At Walking Tall, I've discovered additional blessings besides the excellent mentoring of young men. I found a community of men of all ages that mutually benefit each other by sharing their life skills and stories of God's work in their lives. In addition, I've met many professionals and tradesmen, working and retired, who have blessed me with encouraging stories of overcoming adversity and experiencing God's help. The Walking Tall community provides a fellowship experience that builds up everyone involved with encouragement, discipline, knowledge, and skill.



Everyone then who hears these words of mine and does them will be like a wise man who built his house on the rock.

Matthew 7:24

Thank you for your prayers and support

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