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I heard about WT from one of the young men at church, and he introduced me to Tom two years ago; it's been really great. Walking Tall provides opportunities for

young men, and I really enjoy welding. For our upcoming yard sale, I've been working on making projects like a boot puller, so you don't have to bend over. I've been working with mentors Josh, Daniel, and Tom. They're upbeat, and they help me to do my best. WT has taught me to be a good example, and to be a man of your word. My main challenge is lusting, and every guy struggles with it even if they don't talk about it. Satan will give them what they want. If I could tell my younger self something, it would be that temptation will only increase, and it will only come back stronger. I want to work on controlling my eyes, looking away immediately when I shouldn't lust. I don't want to feel I'm enslaved; I want to be trusted. And I'd like to tell the young men being a Christian will help. Sin is like darkness in an alley, but God will show you the light. People who know me, might call me crazy, obnoxious, annoying and, difficult at times. Others say, that I'm happy, easy going, and I don't judge people. I'm most grateful for God's grace everyday even though we don't deserve it. Other blessings include my family, friends, and the mentors at WT, who encourage me. I'm also grateful for the church we go to and that we get to praise God and not worry, because It's sad to see other Christians around the world suffer. Helping others because I would want someone to help me if I was in need. I want to be encouraged by the mentors, because the younger generation is too focused on their phones, and they're not very respectful. Some younger people may look up to older people, and I want to be a good example, especially to my nephews. I don't worry about the future. Gods got me, and He has a plan for me, one step at a time. I do wonder what I'm going to do for a job, and who I will marry. I'm willing to learn how to help with things when I'm older and have a family of my own. So don't hold on to past mistakes. People have encouraged me not to hold on to them. It's still okay to feel ashamed but continue. Trust God and listen to Him daily. —Josiah B.

Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight Proverbs 3:5-6

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