



# WT Walking Tall

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LIFE COACHING

FAITH-BASED MENTORSHIP

HANDS-ON EXPERIENCES FOR JOB READINESS

AUTOMOTIVE WOODWORKING FABRICATING & WELDING SMALL ENGINE COMPUTER DESIGN CONSTRUCTION AND MORE

## Motivating Devotionals

Paul grew up in Southern California and was fortunate enough to attend a Christian High School, which gave him his first opportunity to play sports. You see, he had Rheumatic fever as a child; and his parents had a constant fear that he would drop over dead at any moment, especially if he became very active. He then graduated from CA State University.



Paul was drafted into the army, and by God's grace, he was able to serve in a psychiatric clinic, and not on the battlefield. Afterwards, he was selected to replace a lieutenant colonel as the liaison officer at the Defense Language Institute Foreign Language Center in Monterey, CA. He worked as a psychologist for 42 years and was able to see anyone God sent him, regardless of their ability to pay, because he had his own practice. God blessed Paul by providing him with enough income from his clients to cover his rent and save for his retirement in 2017. After retiring, he and his family relocated from Southern CA to Eagle Point, Oregon. During a speech at Trail Christian Fellowship, Tom talked about Walking Tall, which prompted Paul to come and check it out. Although he had volunteered for various youth groups and taught Sunday school for 45 years, he didn't possess any hands-on skills. Paul, a psychologist, revealed his past experiences to Tom and Judy, who eagerly had prayed for someone with his expertise to help the struggling boys. Mentor Jeff provided private lessons to Paul on pen-making, which allowed Paul to teach new young men. Over time, Tom and Doug asked Paul to lead the evening devotionals. Paul believed in sharing biblical thoughts to help young men better understand and trust the bible. He aimed to make the devotionals engaging with secular examples while reinforcing his teaching principles. His goal is to teach the young men how to live a Christian life and gain a deeper understanding of Jesus' teachings.

Paul

*Thank you for your prayers and support*



My son, pay attention to what I say; turn your ear to my words.  
Do not let them out of your sight, keep them within your heart.

Proverbs 4:20-21

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