



# WT Walking Tall

Southern Oregon 1/14/26

LIFE COACHING  
FAITH-BASED MENTORSHIP  
HANDS-ON EXPERIENCES FOR JOB READINESS

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

## Made With Love

Wyatt's dad couldn't stop smiling when he opened the fish bank Wyatt had carefully made just for him. Later, when Wyatt presented his mom with her gift—a wooden heart engraved with the words "I love U" There wasn't a dry eye in the room. His mom cried, her sister cried, and even Wyatt's grandma was moved to tears. Watching their reactions, Wyatt simply said he was very proud.

Moments like these don't happen. Mentor Rick invested extra time outside of Walking Tall evenings to help Wyatt finish his gifts, and the family is deeply grateful for Rick's patience, generosity, and heart for mentoring.

Wyatt's grandmother, who brings him to Walking Tall each week, shared that she and Wyatt's Papa have noticed meaningful changes in him. Wyatt is more confident, more engaged, and carries a brighter countenance. He's more cheerful since finding his place at Walking Tall.

Wyatt's mom agreed, saying he has been much more willing to help around the house, motivated by his desire to attend Walking Tall.

This is the power of encouragement, and caring mentorship. We are thankful for the WT mentors who help shape moments that leave a lasting impact.



If you've gotten anything at all out of following Christ, if his love has made any difference in your life, if being in a community of the Spirit means anything to you, if you have a heart, if you *care*—then do me a favor: Agree with each other, love each other, be deep-spirited friends. Don't push your way to the front; don't sweet-talk your way to the top. Put yourself aside and help others get ahead. Don't be obsessed with getting your own advantage. Forget yourselves long enough to lend a helping hand. Philippians 2:3-4...  
The Message



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# FRIEND RAISER

## 2025

We are deeply grateful to the generous donors who supported us throughout 2025, including those who contributed to our Friend Raiser campaign. Thanks to local businesses, grandparents, alumni, friends and families who believe in our mission, this event made a meaningful impact in our community.

WT continues to face rising costs to maintain our shops, labs, and programs, along with increasing overhead, food expenses, and educational trips that help young men explore future careers. Ongoing donor support is essential, and we sincerely appreciate all current and future contributions that make this work possible.



With a few more checks coming in the mail for the Friend Raiser, we've received \$100,715 towards our Friend Raiser, and we are deeply grateful for every gift.



***Donations can be made by mail to: Walking Tall PO Box 3789 Central Point, OR 97502***

***or Online: [walkingtallso.org](http://walkingtallso.org)***

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*Thank you for your support and prayers!*