



**Wabash Valley
Adult and Teen Challenge**

Meeting you at the Crossroads of Addiction



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A CHRISTMAS BLESSING

We are currently seeking sponsorships to change lives at Wabash Valley Adult and Teen Challenge, where we are dedicated to aiding individuals in their journey to recovery and restoration. Your sponsorship directly impacts the lives of those seeking a second chance, providing vital resources and support for their rehabilitation and reintegration. Your support, whether at the basic level or at a higher tier, is instrumental in offering hope and transformation to those on their path to recovery at Wabash Valley Adult and Teen Challenge. Your financial support enables us to host special activities, offer treats, and provide **gifts for Christmas** that can be catalysts for positive change in the lives of these men. This holiday season let's come together and make a lasting impact.



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A Christmas to Remember

My long history with addiction caused me to miss out on what truly mattered for so many years. Raised in a Christian home celebrating Christmas with family was always something special growing up. The excitement and anticipation throughout December was something I always looked forward to. Knowing that Santa was coming was only a fraction of my excitement. Spending time with my family and extended family was always something I cherished. Singing Christmas carols, playing games and reading the Christmas story together was what brought me the most joy. However, as I entered adulthood drugs and alcohol robbed me of all that joy, excitement and Christmas spirit. Yes, I celebrated Christmas with my family, but I was absent mentally and emotionally. For 20 plus years I was lost and my life was on a road with no hope. I had forgotten what Christmas was truly about and my addiction became all that I had.

This is something I wouldn't wish on anybody, ever. Long story short, God lead me to a place called Adult and Teen Challenge where He rescued and delivered me from sin and death. He set me free from the 20 years of addiction that had me bound and lost. Teen Challenge was a year long program and as the holidays approached, I was able to feel again. I was no longer numb and my spirit was no longer in chains. I remember feeling the joy of the holiday again, I was truly free! As Christmas got closer all I could think about was the years I had missed and the family I had hurt. But I couldn't focus on that because I was now a new man and I had been forgiven by all. I remember wishing I could spend this Christmas with my family because I knew this one would be special again, just like the old days. However, I couldn't go home because I had to finish the program, finish what I had started. It was bittersweet at first, but, I was with people who genuinely cared about me and I could feel for the first time in years. As Christmas drew near I felt that excitement again, and was overflowing with gratitude and joy. But what happened next would change me forever. Christmas Eve all the guys gathered in the chapel and out of nowhere people started pouring into the chapel with bags and bags of gifts for us. I was shocked and blown away at the same time. The gifts just kept coming! After 20 years of hurting myself and those who cared about me these people from Teen Challenge just keep showering me with gifts and love! The only thing I could do was cry.

I didn't deserve this and I knew it. It was such a remarkable experience. I was so humbled by the love and kindness of others. I just couldn't believe how much these people cared for me and the other men with me. After opening gifts we gathered outside and walked through town singing Christmas carols to anyone and everyone who would listen. My heart was so full, this was the joy I remembered as a child and it was restored back to me through God, and these incredible people that worked for Teen Challenge. To this very day, it was the best Christmas I have ever had or known. Not because of what gifts I was given, but because of the love and kindness of others. That is why the holidays are so important to me personally at Wabash Valley Adult and Teen Challenge. If I/we can give these men a fraction of what I received then we have done well by them. Please help us make this Christmas one for our guys to remember for a lifetime. One that they will carry on long after Adult & Teen Challenge!



Rev. Jeremy C. Touchet

*"Romans 10:15 And how can anyone preach unless they are sent? As it is written:
"How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!"*