

Before Christ, I lived my life for myself and made choices that did not honor Him. I drank, smoked, cursed constantly, used drugs, watched pornography, and surrounded myself with people who encouraged a lifestyle that pulled me further away from God. I gave in to temptation easily and lived in a way that I now recognize was unworthy of Christ.

After finding Christ, my life began to change. He changed not only my actions, but also my desires, my priorities, and the choices I make. I no longer surround myself with the same influences or give in to the temptations that once controlled my life.

Christ has given me the strength to stand firm in my faith and to choose a different path. He has taught me to pray, to seek Him through His Word, and to serve others. I am still growing in my walk with Him, but I can clearly see the difference between the person I was before Christ and the person He is shaping me to become. My life today is a testimony to the change that only Christ can bring.

I was baptized by immersion in 2019 at Patterson Park Church.

Favorite Verse – “Hell and destruction are never full; so the eyes of man are never satisfied.”
Proverbs 27:20

Attending Lighthouse for 3+yrs.

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