

AUSTIN: (First Scholarship Recipient)

TIMELINE

FEB 2020

Entered Purple

MAY 2024

College graduate;

career path; healthy; full of

Homeless, addicted, lost,

> Sobriety Resource's first scholarship recipient!!

Learned new way of life; stayed the

course -- one day at a time

TODAY

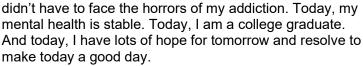
THE SKY

IS THE

LIMIT!

In 2020, I was homeless in Atlanta and addicted to Meth, Heroin, and Benzos. I had marital problems, extreme financial debt, and severe PTSD and bi-polar disorder. My spiritual life was non-existent. I wanted help, but I didn't know where to turn. Thankfully, The Sobriety Resource helped me get into Purple Active Recovery for Men.

Today (2024), I have an extensive support network and can sleep at night. Today, I didn't wake up just wishing that it would all be over. Today, I



KELLY JO

I am 48 years old and received help in July 2023 to get into <u>The Arches Recovery Services</u>. Before coming into the program, I was sleeping under bridges, in parks, and in a sleeping bag in front of the hospital. Now, I have over one-year clean, a full-time job, my driver's license and a car. My life has been changed for the good!

SPARK SOME HOPE

Reach Back

Help Others Move Forward

We are grateful for the brave men and women who received scholarship assistance from The Sobriety Resource and who continue to thrive in their new life in recovery.

We want to thank a few who took time to **Reach Back**, **IMPACT**, and **Help Others Move Forward** – one life, one family, one community at a time.

MATTHEW

At 19, I lost my mom to cancer. As an only child of a single mom I felt lost and turned to substances for comfort. My battle lasted 12 years, marked by strained relationships, time in jail, and the heartbreaking loss of trust from my wife and daughter. At my lowest point, I was ready to give up on life.



Fortunately, probation offered me a final chance for help instead of prison. With God's guidance, I found a transformative program at <u>Isaiah House</u>. Today, I'm 34 and have been clean and sober for over two years. My soul is at peace, and I am living my best life!

VANESSA

I started using drugs at 17. Over time it continued to get worse and worse. I thought I could control it until a couple of years ago.



I lost my mom to an accidental overdose and that was my saving grace. I knew I didn't want to die and leave my kids with the pain that I felt so I got sober through the program at Promise of Hope Tattnall and have been sober for 20 months and counting.



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