

## Knights of Columbus Council 9638

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### Opportunities

I was watching the news and they were highlighting Father Judge high school in Philadelphia that offers Job Shop training for their students. After their schooling the students can get a job doing skills that they trained for. My sister's daughter husband is an example. He does welding and decided to purchase welding equipment. So he purchased the equipment and started his own business. He not has 20 employees and has a good business.



Well in my case I was urged by my mom to go to college. So I worked at a grocery store and also delivered the Philadelphia Bulletin 110 customers after school and saved enough for my first year's college. I went to a co-op school so I made enough afterwards to pay for college, I had interesting jobs at Martin company and Westinghouse in engineering afterwards and also taught short courses which I developed to engineers on how to design cell phones. I also give our holy communion to the sick.

Well what does the Bible say about opportunity? Proverbs are widely used to express that every possible opportunity to do good by God's command should be taken. There is always an opportunity to better the world in some way by following the advice of scripture and acting on love. We should take advantage of the opportunities in our lives for the betterment of ourselves and others

Please share with others opportunities that you experienced in your life.