

story, profiled my story on the ACLU of Michigan website after speaking to Judge Finch (see at <http://www.aclumich.org/en/news/praying-justice>).

I work diligently on criminal justice reform and social justice issues. I sit as an Inside Director and Advisor for The Adolescent Redemption Project (TARP) and as the State Internal Director and National Resource Director for the National Lifers of America (NLA). I'm also the Editor for the Michigan Lifers Report Newsletter. In addition, I'm a Core Member of the Chance for Life Organization (CFL) and a Trained Facilitator for the Alternative to Violence Project (AVP-Michigan). Given a second chance, I plan to continue my education finishing the MDiv program. I also plan to apply to law school and ultimately earn a PhD. Not only do I want to be an Ordained Minister, I want to teach criminology and criminal justice at the university level, joining the ranks of other "Convict Criminologists" around the country.

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After reading this, I pray you will decide to support me and help put pressure on the Governor to commute my sentence and correct a long-overdue injustice. Thank you.

Sincerely



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