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# Generational Healing

## FATHERS FINDING FREEDOM IN CHRIST

ALBUQUERQUE, NM — FOR MANY, FATHER'S DAY IS A DAY OF JOY, CELEBRATING THE MEN WHO HAVE SHAPED OUR LIVES. BUT FOR OTHERS, IT CAN BE A PAINFUL REMINDER OF BROKEN RELATIONSHIPS AND LOST TIME. AT STEELBRIDGE MINISTRIES, FATHER'S DAY HAS COME TO SYMBOLIZE NOT JUST THE LOVE BETWEEN FATHERS AND SONS, BUT THE HOPE AND HEALING THAT COMES WITH REDEMPTION. THE STORY OF ISAIAH AND HIS FATHER, ROBERT, IS A TESTAMENT TO THE POWER OF TRANSFORMATION AND THE IMPACT FAITH CAN HAVE ON REBUILDING FAMILIES.

Isaiah's journey to Steelbridge was one filled with struggles. Broken by addiction and a criminal record, he had hit rock bottom. I was very nervous, Isaiah recalls his first day at Steelbridge. But once I got there and I started working the program, I definitely knew that it was the place I needed to be. I got very comfortable there.

Robert, too, experienced a transformation when he walked through the doors of Steelbridge. When I got to Steelbridge, my heart just changed. My whole heart, my mindset, my heart—it changed, Robert shares. Isaiah's path wasn't just about overcoming addiction—it was about breaking a cycle of generational struggle. "Within the first week, I realized that there was a chain reaction going on in my family that only I had the decision to make through God to break that curse," Isaiah says.

Like many at Steelbridge, Isaiah wrestled with the idea of fully surrendering to Christ. I battled picking and choosing on what I thought was okay with God and trying to make God my God instead, he admits. But as his relationship with Jesus deepened, so did the transformation in every area of his life—including his relationship with his father.

We've done a lot of bad things together, Isaiah admits. But now we're starting to live for Christ, and I can't wait to see what other doors He opens up.

One of those doors led Isaiah to take an unexpected step. God put it on my heart that, you know, I've blessed you — now it's time for you to bless your dad, Isaiah says. And He used me to go pick up my dad and bring him to Steelbridge and tell him, It's your turn. If I can do it, you can do it.

Today, Isaiah and Robert are building a new legacy together. As father and son, they are both experiencing transformation through the grace of Jesus Christ. Their story is a living reminder that no relationship—and no life—is too broken for God to redeem.

Your donation to Steelbridge can help fathers, sons, and families experience the transformative power of Christ-centered recovery. Every gift helps men and women rebuild their lives, break the chains of addiction, and reclaim their families for a future full of promise.



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This Father's Day, your gift can help more fathers and sons—more families—experience the power of transformation through Christ. Steelbridge Ministries exists to help people escape cycles of addiction, poverty, and brokenness. Join us in restoring lives and rebuilding hope—one family at a time.

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