My greatest accomplishment is that I'm here today clean and sober. Now I put God in my equation and I just have faith.



When I first was diagnosed with HIV, I was also a drug addict. I was a junkie. And I didn't have any dreams. I had a thought of suicide. I wanted to go out and smoke as much as I can and do as much damage as I can. But today, my addiction is under control. I'm clean. Today I'm at peace with my disease. I have a dream of having better things one day. Back then when I first was diagnosed, all of that was cut off, but now I can dream more.

I'm living long, I'm healthier than some of them that's out there now. You can eat behind me. You can sit behind me. I have dreams now. I can dream now cause I'm living long. And I'm undetectable. I don't have AIDS. My journey from homelessness to safety has brought me to Aloysius New Beginnings Supportive Housing.



