



Wayne's Testimony

Hi my name is Wayne Nicholson, I am 33years old

I Grew up in the Ghetto of Mt Druitt in a place called Bidwill

I was brought up in an unsteady family life where my dad wasn't there and mum did the best she could with 3 rebellious boys & 1 baby sister,

As I said I was an assertive rebel I did what I want , when I wanted From the age of 15 I hung out with a few boys who had been classed as criminals around the area because I thought they were cool our gang stole cars, broke into people's houses, drunk, smoked drugs and Was always into fights.

And being in & out of Court I seen my life heading into a correction centre with the police always watching us I had enough.

I tried to be stable in a few jobs but couldn't; I ended up following my dad's footsteps and joining the army. It was exciting at first, jumping out of planes, busting down doors, firing all different types of weapons seeing the world the way the public doesn't.

I saw enough!!! I didn't need any more bad memories

I left the army after years of service and I went and become a security Guard at a hotel in Watson bay I became bored of the hotel and soon moved to kings cross where the action was going to be. I looked after a night spot that brought in all walks of life from bikers, strippers to celebrities I got to know the good and the bad pretty quickly, after work I started hanging out with some outlaw bikers taking drugs and witnessing things that made it hard to sleep at night. I decided that after losing my friends and a feeling in the pit of my stomach that I was heading to jail I left and moved away to start a new life, I continued security but took on the other side of it but got completely over it pretty quick so I tried my hand at sales, I started working as a salesmen at a company where there was no structure and no one was teaching me how to sell I lasted there 6 months then called it quits. I took a Sales position at Peter Fahd's company, vmc security, I was there for 2 weeks and then I left but something told me to go back, so I asked for my job back.

Peter & George accepted me. We got chatting, about a week back into work me & Peter were driving to a quote when pete told me he was a follower of the Lord I had never been so I felt a little uncomfortable at what he was going to say next and he said to me " did you know, you can know where you're going after death" !! I said

“nah” he said “yeah where do you think you will go when you die” and I said” I hope heaven but maybe hell after all I have broke every commandment god has given”. So we got talking and he asked me to come to church I said “yeah ok” but I never went. The next week Chloe and I turned up to the those beautiful precious doors at faith Baptist church & Mansoore was preaching, Chloe and I just sat there astonished as Mansoore read the word of god it was as though he was reading a page out of our life’s I thought Peter told him to say it. When it came to the end the question popped up again do you know where you are going if you die tonight? If not raise up your hand and if you have courage come and see me afterwards. But Mansoore came over and introduced himself to Chloe and me and gave us a bible each. We went home blown away and speechless.

A couple of days later Pete took me to Roberts house to meet him and Robert gave me some books to read and had a talk with me it was just overwhelming having people being honestly concerned about me, we then went to Brother Charlies house and he introduced himself to me and Charlie gave me a book called done, that book changed our lives, Chloe and I read page to page taking turns till it was finished

A week later we organized for Charlie to come over he agreed to have dinner with us, he asked Chloe & I how we were going with our bible reading I explained learning heaps, Peter answered a lot of questions, he smiled then he shared his testimony with Chloe and I and it moved me so much that I asked Charlie if he wouldn’t mind if I said the sinners prayer while he was there , he was over the moon, so I got on my knees with a tear running down my face and said a prayer that I have never said before and as I said the last words Amen I had an overpowering feeling of weight leave my mind, my eyes widened up so much that I ran to the toilet to see the change that I felt, it felt like I had my eyes were closed all this time, I walked out of the bathroom with a smile that you couldn’t take off my face even if you tried. Charlie congratulated me and said “today is your spiritual birthday my Brother”. I had tears still running down my eyes and when I looked over at Chloe she was crying I cuddled her she was just happy for me, Charlie stuck around another 10mins then left we went down stairs and he told me some rules to now live by as I grow, he congratulated me again and left.

After that night I have seen an amazing transformation of myself, I went from swearing, getting tattooed and having drinks with the boys on Wednesday nights to befriending mates who think I have been brainwashed and that disrespect my savours name, and it all happened within the first week.

God has made me wiser, more confident and has taking away my worries and problems that cannot be described. God has allowed me to have my beautiful wife and godly Brothers & Sisters in Christ who have helped my wife and I in our spiritual walk he has also allowed Chloe and me to learn, Read and meditate on a true story and not be concerned with this world but most of all not fear death and forgive the people who helped me to destroy the old Wayne.

I have soldiered for a good army

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But now, I am a Soldier for the greatest army - The Lord Jesus Christ!