



Second Chances

Hard work is nothing new to Wendy, 56, who while raising two kids put herself through college and eventually graduating with honors.

After raising her kids and moving out on her own, it wasn't always easy to pay the bills and rent due to her limited income, but Wendy always found a way. During this time, Wendy was renting a room and without her knowledge, her roommate had neglected to pay the rent on time. The eviction notice came out of nowhere and threw Wendy's life into turmoil.

All those years of working hard to raise her kids and pay her bills, little did she think she would become homeless one day, sleeping wherever she could at night and lugging all that was left of her belongings. In time, Wendy's car became her home.

For five months Wendy didn't know what to do or who to turn to for help until she found out about the programs TCAA offers. Her first stop was the Food Pantry where as part of the intake process she was given information about TCAA's Community Action Program (CAP).

Through the CAP program, TCAA was able to assist Wendy in securing an apartment and the necessary move-in costs so that she could begin rebuilding her life. Now with a roof over her head, and hope for a better future, Wendy's second chance begins today.

"Thank you for blessing me and giving me hope for a brighter future. You saved my life!"