



He has been sober for 6 1/2 years and is now the Executive Director of a ministry called Ground 40.

His 10 year heroin addiction lead to multiple arrests for possession, theft, and resisting arrest. On his 82nd arrest, while in the Union County jail, two chaplains shared the Good News. And the Spirit rushed in...

Ground 40 helps men break the chains of homelessness, addiction, and incarceration through the power of Christ.

But most importantly, he shared a passion for Jesus and telling others about the change only He can make.



During his 5 year sentence, he joined a prison gang. But then God stepped in.

He heard the Gospel at a bible study. Gave his life to Jesus, and laid down his gang affiliation.

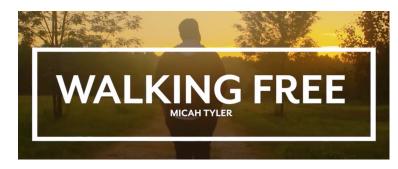
After successfully completing the Ground 40 program, he landed a job, a car, and his own place.



Cody has been sober for 3 years, and continued at Ground 40 as the Associate Director.

Everyone in this video is an alumni, current participant, or family member of someone who has gone through Ground 40.

If you or someone you love is battling addiction, remember it is never too late to walk towards the freedom in Jesus.



The verdict was guilty Case closed the end No chance for me to ever leave This prison of my sin Now I know it might sound crazy But one day a key unlocked that cell I heard a small voice say Your debts been paid by somebody else And now I'm walking, walking

Walking free

No more darkness

Guilt has lost its grip on me When mercy called my name

Those chains fell at my feet

And now I'm walking, walking Walking free

Now I ain't nothing perfect I still stumble every single day I still get knocked down

But the difference now Is that's not where I stay

'Cause I've got a Savior

Who knows everywhere I've been

And He's telling me that I never have to

Go back there again

So now I'm walking, walking

Walking free

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And now I'm walking, walking

Walking free

Walking free (ba ba-da ba-da ba-ba-ba)

Walking free (ba ba-da ba-da ba-ba-ba)

To the one walking wounded

And to the one with regret

Look up and see your victory is just up ahead

'Cause there is a Savior

Who knows everywhere you've been

And He's telling you that you never have to

Go back there again

So if you know that you never have to

Go back there again

Then sing

I'm walking, walking

Walking free

No more darkness

Guilt has lost its grip on me

When mercy called my name

Those chains fell at my feet

And now I'm walking walking

Walking free

Walking free (ba ba-da ba-da ba-ba-ba)

Walking free, yeah (ba ba-da ba-da ba-ba-ba)

I know, I know, I know

I'm walking free, yeah (ba ba-da ba-da ba-ba-ba) I'm walking free (ba ba-da ba-da ba-ba-ba)

"So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed." - JN 8:36