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"And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose." – Romans 8:28 (NIV)

Sam came to the Independent Living program at the Florida United Methodist Children's Home after he turned 18 years old. He had previously lived in extended foster care after his father's substance use led to Sam being abused and neglected. These events had quite an impact on Sam, as he has had to come to terms with the effects of addiction on his family.

During his time at the Children's Home, Sam has been attending the local state college and working part-time. After saving enough money, he recently purchased his very first car with cash! This special milestone has served as a reminder of the bright future Sam has ahead of him as he pursues his dreams of a career in the world of Information Technology (IT).

At the Children's Home, we serve children and youth who have experienced a variety of traumatic events throughout their lives. From abuse and neglect to abandonment and the effects of substance abuse, these events often color the children's view of their own self-worth and value. We seek to embody the message that, while God does not cause these atrocities, God does seek to bring good and hopeful things out of them. For Sam and others like him, the Children's Home creates opportunities to break cycles of abuse and family dysfunction.

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