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OK, I am now 25 years old. This is my first time in prison. I came in at 19 years old. I am of African American, Hawaiian, and Mexican, ethnicity. I was born in Los Angeles and move to Hawaii when I was 8 years old. Due to my crazy life in Los Angeles I ended up getting caught up in the system. So by age 13 I was running away from home living on the streets and going back and forth from Detention Home and the streets then by age 17 I ended up in Boyz Home (H.Y.C.F) until the age of 19. 4 months later I ended up with my charge's in prison for now. I was in and out of the county jail then got sentence in 2011 I am now 25 and have 5 more year to go I just did 5 year so im half way through. I am willing to contribute to the American Prison Writing Archive in any way I can so please if there's anyway I can help let me and I will. I was also wondering if there's any reading material or any thing from you guys to help me out like pen-pals, books, magazine, or newspaper? Just wondering. Well thanks for you time

Sincerely William Chavez

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A.K.A Blessing.