MY POSSIBLE PAROLE

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I HAVE BEEN PREPARING MYSELF FOR MY POSSIBLE PAROLE DATES OF 2019-(WHICH I PROBALLY WON'T GET AS I CAUGHT A CLASS#1 MISCONDUCT IN 2016)-2024 AND AGAIN 2029-(WHERE I THINK MY REAL CHANCE WILL BE) AS I WILL BE (12 YEARS) MISCONDUCT FREE, AT A LEVEL 2 SECURITY PRISON, AND THIS WITH ALL MY PROGRAMS COMPLETED AND THE WORK HISTORY I HAVE (HAVE NEVER BEEN FIRED NOR HAD A MISCONDUCT WRITTEN ON ME DURING A JOB, OR HAD ONE WRITTEN FOR JOB RELATED DUTIES); AND I'M VERY PROUD OF THIS ACCOMPLISHMENT I'VE ACHIEVED.

LATELY, I HAVE BEEN WORKING WITH THE (SCHOOL TEACHER) [MRS. KOSTINEN] WHO TEACHES "WORK KEYS" TO GET MY (RÉSUME) ON FILE; AS IT IS A "REQUIREMENT" FOR (EVERYONE) BEFORE PAROLE! I HAVE TAKEN ADVANTAGE OF THE MANY PROGRAMS AVAILABLE OVER MY (20 YEARS) OF INCARCERATION; BUT I'M "MOST HAPPY" ABOUT MY MOST RECENT ONE I HAVE JUST STARTED CALLED: PRISONER EXPRESS - BOOK WRITING PROGRAM - OUT OF NEW YORK; AS I HAVE EIGHT BOOKS I WOULD WANT PUBLISHED AND SOLD.

ME AND MY FELLOW INMATE KYLE [redacted] ARE DOING THE PROGRAM TOGETHER. THE OTHER PROGRAMS I'VE HAD IN THE LAST (3) YEARS AND HAVE SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED OR PARTICIPATED IN/RECIEVED CERTIFICATE ARE: THE PRISON DOG PROGRAM - 2015-2016 FEBRUARY - WHERE MY DOG WAS ADOPTED; EMPLOYMENT READINESS - 2015-2015 NOVEMBER.

I HAVE COMPLETED OVER (12+) PROGRAMS THAT I NEEDED, OR THAT WAS RECOMMENDED FOR ME TO TAKE LITE: COMPUTER PROGRAM, ACCOUNTING CLASS - CERTIFICATE, TYPING - CERTIFICATE, SMALL ENGINE REPAIR - CERTIFICATE, FLOOR MAINTENANCE - CMT - CERTIFICATE (THEN BECAME THE TUTOR FOR (2+) YEARS), BAKING, FOOD TECH, AND COOKING - CERTIFICATES FOR EACH, ART PROGRAM - CERTIFICATE, BUSINESS, SCIENCE, AND HISTORY POST-GED CLASSES - CERTIFICATES FOR ALL THREE,

Patalegal - certificate, Dog Program - Certificate - (Loved it alot!), and Painting and Lawn Care Maintenance - Certificates for each one.

I have had Numerous Jobs while incarcerated, Yard Crew Worker, Painter, Baker, Cook, Line-Server, Sanitation - (Kitchen), Porter, Laundry Man, Counselor Clerk, Law Library Clerk, General Library Clerk, Base Porter, Cart Pusher - (Both for Law + General Library and Food Services), Upholstery, Dog Program, CMT Floor Tutor, G.E.D. Tutor, Gym Porter, In-unit Kitchen Worker, Segregation porter, and Kitchen Dock Worker.

Reality has hit me these last few years about what little I do know, compared to what I should know (in relation to Parole and how to stay crime free, and survive in the world you All live in), Because when you have lived your whole adult life in prison, (one crime) and (one sentence); you realize you have a Little Education (compared to most members of society - [This is why I want to go to College, but there are No Pell Grants] in Michigan, and College is expensive to go to on what the Michigan Department of Corrections pays us workers (not even .57¢ per day, but .54¢ a day, - and only when they call you out for work); I only make $11.00 per month - (Sometimes more, Sometimes a little less); So I've been finding "Creative Ways" to make (Extra Money) like: Selling my Desert or (Fudge I make); and or (Art Work) - (at various Avenues); like my "Cards" for Stamps; and (10) pieces of art every year to the Michigan Prisoner's Art Contest (where they Sell my art & Send me the Money). I have just been excepted to Delta Correspondence Program, But still need a Sponsor to cover expenses to attend.

So, I'm Worried for these "Reasons" if I get/recieve a Parole: #1). Only a G.E.D. level Education, #2). No money to survive on, #3). No place to live (Community Placement is where I'd live for while on Parole (4) years); #4). No clothes, #5). No food.

What Do I do? These are the Main Reason(s) So many former incarcerated inmates commit Drug, Robbery, Theft, ect Crimes, and get Re-arrested, Because They Don't Have [Nothing] When Released from Prison!

I have the Desire, Passion, and Drive to do good; And don't want to Be another [Statistic]; But I'm going to Need Alot of Help!

Can Anyone Help ME make my Life a Success Again?

If you are willing to Help me, Please feel free to write at the Address Below; and I will Correspond Back!

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Thank-You All, and God Bless You!

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