

There is a drug crisis in

America. According to the National Center on

Addiction and Substance Abuse (CASA) at Columbia

University, **75% of all high school students have**

used* drugs, alcohol or tobacco. The study

reports that of these adolescents, **20% are**

addicted.* In fact, 40 million Americans ages

12 + struggle with addiction. No other drug rehabilita-

tion program can provide the help that is needed.

Life Challenge is the only real answer. We offer

hope, healing and help **through Jesus**

Christ. The solution is real, powerful and lasting.

Independent studies have shown that **85% of**

our graduates remain

drug-free after graduation. So, if you know

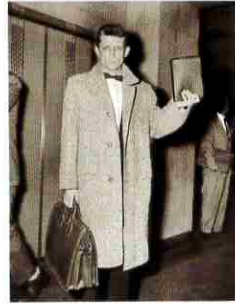
someone who is struggling, make the call:

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*Study: Teen Drug Use at "Epidemic" Levels | TIME.com [http://healthland-time.com](http://healthland.time.com)

Our Beginnings: David Wilkerson served as a pastor in small churches in the mountains of Pennsylvania until he saw a photograph in *Life Magazine* of seven teenagers on trial for murder. Convicted



by the Holy Spirit, he was drawn to leave his home and go into the dark heart of New York City to preach to the young men.

He walked straight into the courtroom and asked the presiding judge for permission to speak. He was promptly ejected. David then stood

defiantly on the courthouse steps to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ to all the world. A short time later, he founded Teen Challenge, an evangelical Christian addiction recovery program in Brooklyn, NY.

David Wilkerson again gained national attention in 1963 with the publication of his book, *The Cross and the Switchblade*. In it, he recounts the true story of his first five years in the city ministering to disillusioned youth, encouraging them to turn away from drugs and gang violence. The book became an international best-seller with over 50 million copies sold in over thirty languages. It is included in Christianity Today's "Top 50 Books That Have Shaped Evangelicals."

Teen Challenge, of which we are a part, has since grown into one of the largest and most successful programs of its kind in the world.

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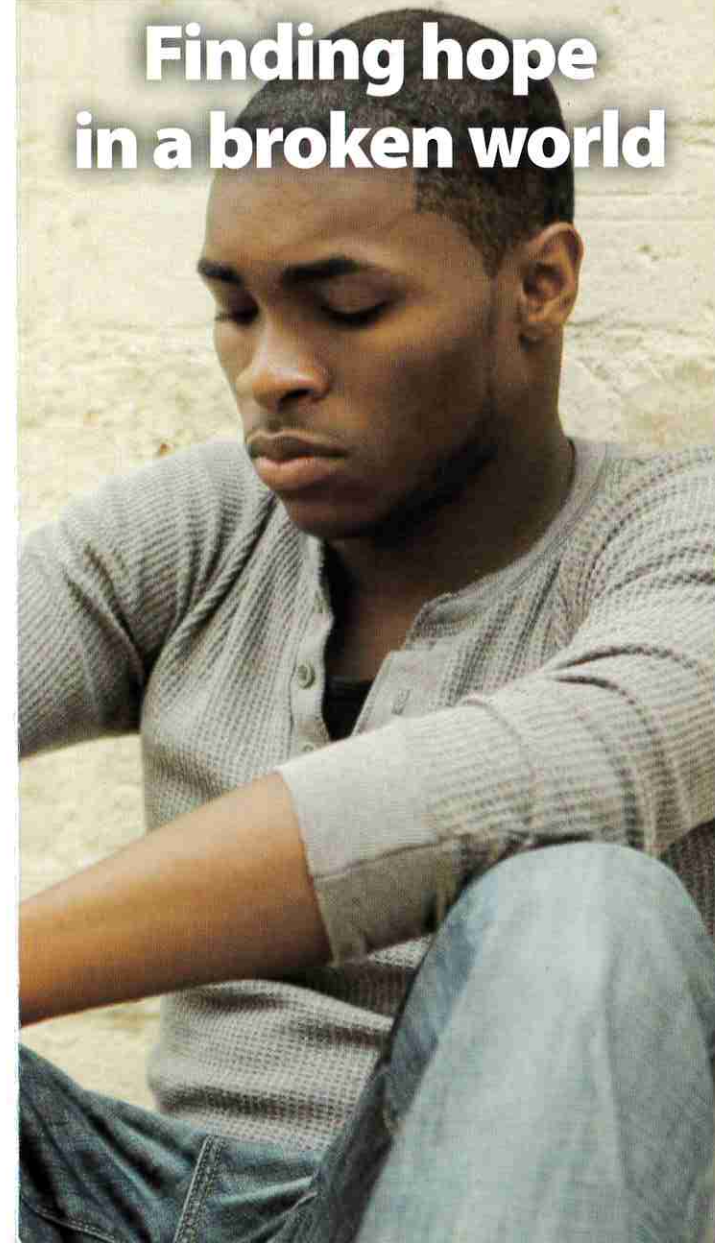
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Hope, Healing and Help Through Jesus Christ.

**Finding hope
in a broken world**



A Mission Of Hope



Life Challenge is a residential, (up to) one year, faith-based program. Our mission is to bring hope, help and healing through Jesus Christ to men and women who are struggling with drugs, alcohol or any other life-controlling addiction.

Life Challenge offers a safe, highly-structured environment that involves a daily routine of spiritual disciplines with a Bible-based curriculum and counseling, all designed to transform hearts and minds so that residents can form a lasting relationship with Jesus Christ.

Our aim is to equip residents with the knowledge, discipline and life skills that will help them to become healthy – mentally, emotionally and physically – and return to their families and communities as spiritually-alive, productive members of society.

Life Challenge has campuses in Detroit and Flint, as well as a crisis referral center in Toledo. We serve a resident population of 80-100 men and women every day, 365 days a year, with a full and part-time staff who are dedicated, caring and godly.

Want to know more?

Fill out this card and give it to one of our rally representatives or visit us online at

www.lcm.life

Contact Information

Yes! I'd like to know more: Just fill out this card so we can contact you. Please be sure your contact information is accurate and complete, **including your email address.**

Mr. Mrs. Ms. Rev. Dr.

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

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Host Church/Organization: _____

Would you like a phone call from us? Yes No

Comments:



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PLEASE NOTE: It will be an additional blessing to us if you would kindly return this form in an envelope with proper postage.

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