



# Mike's Story

Mike is a retired veteran who served in our armed forces for over 20 years. Mike and his wife were living on his military pension when she moved to an assisted living facility due to health issues. After the monthly payment to the facility, Mike didn't have anything left to pay his bills and was evicted from his apartment. Mike needed to find part-time employment and save first & last month's rent to move into the same facility as his wife. Mike turned to living in his car to save money before he heard about The Bridge on 7th. Mike stayed at the shelter for 65 days instead of sleeping in his vehicle in the bitter cold. This gave him time to find employment and seek support from local veteran resources before reuniting with his wife.

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