

Christian Women's Job Corps/ Christian Men's Job Corps

CWJC®/CMJCSM, a ministry of WMU®, offers life skills, job skills, mentoring, and Bible study in a missions context, in which women help women and men help men. In more than 190 registered and certified sites, coordinators lead efforts to help participants gain self-confidence, purpose, direction, and hope for the future. Here are just two of the many examples of how God is changing lives through this ministry:

Roquia Reed began attending CWJC of Grand Prairie, Texas, in 2013 in search of a better means of supporting her family. She writes, "I had been employed as a school bus driver for seven years and realized there was little to no opportunity for career advancement and felt I had reached a plateau both professionally and spiritually. Judith Humphrey and the staff of CWJC welcomed me with open arms and provided spiritual support through Bible studies, special projects, and work readiness training. This turn of events began to ignite my passion to pursue a longtime dream of becoming a pharmacist. My fellow students and I were given an assignment to create a vision board and compose an essay about the steps necessary to accomplish our goals. It made me realize all my possibilities of having a meaningful profession which would provide service to others in need and improve the lives of my six children and their future. God has really done some amazing things since I began this journey, which reassures me that I am on the right track. The ability to maintain a grade point average of over 3.0, considering the gap I have had since my high school graduation, is truly a testament of His strength, and I give that credit to Him."

Reed was one of three CWJC participants this year who received a Faye Dove Scholarship to assist with her educational goals.

Sophia Grant-Campbell came to Begin Anew, a CWJC site in Nashville, Tennessee, to pursue her high school equivalency degree. She writes, "CWJC made my degree possible and it has been a blessing to study and take the tests free of charge. The loving community of people at CWJC strengthened my belief and love for God. The program is a blessing to many and to me personally. My daughter loves coming to school with me, and we both feel loved and accepted. I am thankful for the program and can't wait to walk in my cap and gown."

Grant-Campbell is this year's recipient of the Sybil Bentley Dove Award, which is presented annually to the CWJC participant who has demonstrated a desire to improve themselves by enhancing their skills through academic development, Bible study, and Christian mentoring.



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335,595

VOLUNTEER HOURS IN 2015*

IN 2016, CWJC/CMJC NATIONAL CERTIFICATION TRAININGS WERE OFFERED IN ALABAMA, ARKANSAS, GEORGIA, NEW MEXICO, AND TEXAS.



APPROXIMATELY 4,570
PARTICIPANTS WERE SERVED BY
12,152 STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS
AT 192 REGISTERED AND CERTIFIED
CWJC AND CMJC SITES IN 2015.*

*2016 statistics not available until fall of 2017.