Amazing Transformation Of Drug-Man Due To Childhood Friend

There's a story about a lost man named Patrick Hinga. At one desperate moment of his life he became homeless because of his drug-addiction. But that was only until he met a woman, that one was his classmate. That woman named Wanja Mwaura completely changed his life course.

It is worth saying that Patrick was drug-addicted for several years. It was all starting from disobedience: he was expulsed from school classes because of smoking... marijuana. Since then his mother tried to help him quit his unhealthy habits, but even doctors from mental hospital failed to help. Everyone knew Patrick as an addicted man, that was constantly running and returning there all over and over again. "He complained a lot and said all they did was give him medication and treat him like a mental patient and yet he was not mentally ill and that is why he kept running away," told Patrick's mother, Nancy. "But when he was out of the hospital, he would walk around the neighbourhood completely naked, or he would rummage through garbage."

While at the mental hospital, Patrick's drug habit took a turn for the worse, he discovered a drug called Attain. "It isn't supposed to be used daily, but because it got him high, he got addicted," Nancy said. "It was only Sh2 (a few cents) per tablet. He even stole prescription papers and got them from chemists."

Unfortunately, Patrick couldn't recover no matter how hard all of them were trying. The man ended living outside, on the Nairobi streets. The main goal of his life was getting drugs anywhere.

His mother still tried to help him by telling to feed him. "We were always a spectacle; people would call each other to come and stare, laugh and point at us as we ate. I was known as Mama wa wazimu" (the madman's mother).

Long story short once he was caught at the street corner by his old school friend named Wanja. She recognized him and tried to approach him. Patrick confessed he didn't want to live like this anymore.

Wanja promptly checked him into a rehab centre, and found support and donations for Patrick's treatment through social media. She was also able to give Patrick something to focus on after his recovery, helping him start his own business, a shop called 'Hinga's Store'.

Patrick's transformation, after detoxing from drugs at the rehab centre and cleaning himself up, is incredible. He is grateful for the second chance at life that Wanja has helped him find. "I feel like I am a new man," he told Daily Nation. "I pray daily, asking God to deliver me so that I am not pulled back to that life of drugs."

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