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From my childhood to adulthood, I know if I had some type of support like their trying to pass now, myself and as well my friends. We would of had a better outcome in life and understanding with the opportunity to change our lives before it went into a downward spiral. Having opportunities in our young age would of made a huge impact and maybe even not ended up in jails and being able to have someone not just support us but to also believe in us / myself. By passing this, you not just help youth to get support in walking away from drugs but by giving them support and better education, you help promote a future of leaders to grow while understanding the people the community needs. So please pass this so we can give hope to them so they dont walk a path in to a hard trouble life and it dose effect everyone! Let's make a change and show the nation how we care and how we can make a change into a better future no matter what is in front of us!

Thank you
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