

## "Being Thankful"

As I'm thinking of the past AND NOT SO long ago, things were not going well FOR ME, AS I WAS FALLING TO THE GROUND.

I WAS NEXT TO BEING HOMELESS, UNABLE TO FIND MY WAY, AS ALL OF MY HOPE WAS GONE. EACH DAY IS A REMINDER OF WHERE I COULD HAVE BEEN, WANDERING THE LONELY STREETS, WITH NO HOPE AT ALL.

INSTEAD, I LIVE IN A BEAUTIFUL HOME, BEING GIVEN ANOTHER CHANCE, SURROUNDED BY WONDERFUL PEOPLE, HELPING ME ALONG THE WAY.

MAYBE GOD WILL HELP ME TO GIVE SOMETHING BACK, THEN I'LL FEEL GOOD INSIDE, I'LL SHINE FROM WITHIN.

NO ONE DESERVES TO BE HOMELESS, AS IT'S SOMETHING THAT JUST OCCURS, AND AS THIS NEW YEAR COMES TO CALL, I'LL THINK OF THIS EACH PASSING DAY...  
BEING THANKFUL FOR IT ALL....