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I have been involved with the TEC program since December of 2018 and have loved every second of it. I have learned numerous things about myself and my faith. I have learned that no matter what I am going through or what I am feeling, chances are someone else is either going through or has gone through the same thing. The support I have found in the TEC program is unparalleled. I truly have found a family within the TEC program.

I have seen the TEC program make drastic changes in people's lives for the better. Right from the first time I got to TEC I knew that it was something special. Everyone I have met at TEC is an amazing person inside and out. I know I already have made some life long friends through the TEC program, and I'm sure that anyone else who has made a weekend and later worked a weekend would say the same thing. The people I have met have shown me that it is possible to live for Christ and be an average down to earth person. Everyone should make a TEC weekend.