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## STORY OF REDEMPTION

# Syretta

As an Army medic during two tours in Iraq, Syretta witnessed first-hand the devastation of war. She didn't realize one of the hardest battles she would fight was returning to civilian life.

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“I’ve gained a lot more stability, **BOTH EMOTIONALLY AND FINANCIALLY.** My life has more purpose, more meaning. Goodwill’s dedication to veterans is a **blessing** to my life.”

After leaving the military, Syretta enrolled in nursing school. But circumstances soon sent her life into a downward spiral.

Financial and lingering emotional issues combined to create a situation where she found herself living out of her car. A friend from church told her about an upcoming job fair for veterans hosted by Goodwill San Antonio. Because of her exemplary service record and enthusiasm, Syretta landed a full-time job as a Recognitions Associate with the Goodwill Business Services team.

**Today, she is working at Randolph Air Force Base, helping veterans receive the military honors and recognition they deserve.**

Hear Syretta’s entire story at [goodwillsa.org/about/success-stories](https://goodwillsa.org/about/success-stories)

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