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Meet Gage. Gage has been at Oaks since the start of the school year. He came from a home where he and his siblings butted heads constantly and his house was full of different family members and friends, coming and going. Gage needed stability to thrive and that’s what he is receiving at Oaks. He is a driven, young man who lives for the moments he gets to play sports with his teammates, with his Oaks family watching and cheering him on from the stands.

Your Lenten offering will make a difference for Gage and other children like him. Please consider making your offering gift today or visit us online at oaksindianmission.org/donate.

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