



I wish to have a car makeover

Joseph, 18
lymphoma

Joseph has always been very active and played football in high school. When he began experiencing shoulder pain, his family thought that it might be a sports-related injury. However, in December 2015, Joseph went to the doctor for evaluation, including lab tests, an x-ray and a CT scan. The results showed that Joseph had a mass, and a biopsy revealed that he was suffering from lymphoma. Joseph immediately started chemotherapy treatment, and his doctors began to evaluate what his future treatment plan would be.

When Joseph had the chance to choose a special wish, he had many very different ideas! Joseph considered wishing to go to Hawaii, to shoot hoops with his favorite professional basketball player, or to be a basketball player himself. Ultimately, Joseph decided that the wish that would bring him the most joy would be to have a makeover for his 2006 BMW 325i! Joseph loves his car and enjoys driving, but he now has added his own personal style to the vehicle. When Joseph imagined this wish, he saw new tires, new paint, an updated sound system and cool rims on the wheels. Joseph was anxiously awaiting the day that his wish would come true and has been enjoying his newly updated car ever since. After all that Joseph has endured, he hopes to continue looking forward, and leave his battle with lymphoma in the rear-view mirror.

