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BJ: Here's another smile for a mile moment from MERIL.

We first spoke to 20 year nurses aide, Marla Manship back in 2010. Now after 6 years with MERIL Marla still lives independently in her home with degenerative joint disease, diabetes and high blood pressure. Her condition has slowly deteriorated, yet MERIL is still there for her.

Marla: Well they've been more attentive, I am sure that if it gets to the point where they can add more services on that they will surely do it. They are very good people.

BJ: I understand the nursing home option is NOT your preference.

Marla: "I don't wanna be living in one of those, I worked in those for many years and I prefer in home care.

BJ: And your advice to others in a similar situation?

Marla: "Well first they should contact the office and get set up with an appointment with one of the mentors or the caring staff down there in St. Joseph or Maryville and see if they are qualified.

BJ: Wanna feel good? Maybe you know of a friend, relative or neighbor that could use The services of Midland Empire Resources for INDEPENDENT Living....MERIL. Call 1-800 MERIL the number 4 and the letter U. Let's make Northwest Missouri Barrier Free!