



Papa stories of connection:

Rafael's story

Papa member Rafael ("Rafi") is 81 and lives alone.

Rafi is very independent, drives himself everywhere he needs to go, and rides his bike almost every day. He has a chore system, where he does things on the same day each week. Saturday, for example, is laundry day.

Rafi doesn't need help with errands or keeping up with housework, but that doesn't mean he doesn't need a Papa Pal. He meets with his Preferred Pal, Connor, every Wednesday afternoon.

Their visits are all about companionship and conversation. "To just sit down and share human interaction with someone is what makes him happy," Connor says.

Rafi agrees, "My Papa Pals come and they talk to me, and it's wonderful. It's really nice to chat with them."



Papa Pals support members all over the country with companionship, help around the house, shopping, transportation, and more. Scan to meet the people who make it all happen.