

# A Step in the Right Direction

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TOP TO BOTTOM: PAIR OF HIKING BOOTS ON A NEARBY TRAIL. PAIR OF MOUNTAIN BIKE SHOES AT HILL AND DALE IN HARRISONBURG.

In uncertain times like these, it is easy to fall behind and get stuck in a rut. We easily forget the sense of normality that we once preserved. For me, understanding this meant doing something about it. The simplest things in life provide immense joy when used correctly.



ABOVE TOP TO BOTTOM: PAIR OF RUNNING SHOES. PAIR OF BOOTS FROM GIGGING AS A MUSCIAN. PAIR OF SANDALS FOR USE AT HOME. PAIR OF RAIN BOOTS WET FROM WALKING.

A shoe is only just a shoe when you classify it as such, but a shoe to me is a tool used to express myself, better my technical ability, and enhance my everyday life through supporting my passions. Whether it be hiking on the trails, riding in the woods, running outside, walking in the rain, relaxing at home or reminiscing about the gigs we use to play. These shoes provide purpose to my every day, help me keep my head up high, and always point me in the right direction. With time we will be ok, but for now find your passion and just put one foot in front of the other.