



Wednesday's Child
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On the ice wit the LA Kings. Our goal? To find a permanent and loving home for a very deserving young man. Franklin, born in 1995 was the Honorary Team Captain for the LA Kings this night and certainly received the royal treatment.

After arriving via a chauffeured Lincoln Town Car, there was a meet and greet with LA King #12, Patrick O'Sullivan for some pro tips and autographs. LA King Hockey great and now, Team President Luc Robitaille was also on hand to give Franklin a behind the scenes look at the team before the game. The royal treatment didn't stop there.

Before the game, there was a luxurious dinner at the exclusive Arena Club and some ice time on the bench where our kiddo met the rest of the team and got buried in hockey pucks to take home.

Although Franklin might appear to be shy at first, don't let that fool you. Franklin is a talkative and witty 13 year old. He is extremely athletic and can always be found outside shooting hoops or kicking a soccer ball around. Franklin is focused on getting on his basketball team at school and spends countless hours perfecting his three point shots.





Franklin is a Latino young man that is interested in learning more about his culture and would like to learn Spanish. He knows a few phrases and tries them out whenever possible.

Franklin is going into the 8th grade and enjoys going school, especially to be around his friends. He has an expansive vocabulary and is able to express himself in a very mature manner. Franklin is enjoying his increasing independence as a teenager and is especially proud of his very own cell phone. Franklin is eager to be a part of a family that is active and loves the outdoors.



Franklin tells us that he would love any family who is active and can help him maintain his love for sports of all kinds. There's more than just sports to this kid. He also loves dancing. From Salsa to his own freestyle form of dancing, Franklin showed us a few of his moves. What does this kid want to be when he grows up? A police officer. Franklin says he has a desire to help people and a desire to protect the public. After a night like this, he says he might want to play hockey.

As Franklin and Team President, Luc Robitaille walked and talked, after the evening's pre-game activities, he became part of the LA Kings family. Franklin has an open invitation to come out to any Kings game any time he wishes. The ultimate goal is for Franklin to have the same invitation to be part of a forever family.

If you have a heart for older children and understand that children at any age need a loving and permanent home, please give us a call.



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