

CONTACT

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CERTIFICATIONS

CompTIA A+

Core 1 & Core 2
OBTAINED 7/2/2026

Google IT Support Professional

All 6 Modules
OBTAINED 7/10/2026

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Windows · Linux · macOS
· Networking · VPN ·
Troubleshooting ·
Hardware · CLI · Docker ·
AWS · Azure · DNS ·
Server hosting · Topology
· Customer Service ·
Mobile Devices · Cloud ·
Self hosting · Proxy
servers · Data recovery ·
NAS systems

EDUCATION

B.S. Cybersecurity

Purdue University Global
2022-2026 (SEPTEMBER)

B.S. Computer Science

East Tennessee State
University
2021-2022 · transferred

High School Diploma

Platte County High School
2021

Ethan Light

IT SUPPORT & HELP DESK TECHNICIAN

Cybersecurity student and selfhosting / home lab hobbyist pursuing an Information Technology / Cybersecurity career. I have plenty of hands-on experience with different operating systems, server hosting, troubleshooting, and computer hardware.

HOMELAB — LIGHTHOUSE NETWORKING

- By utilizing old computers, Raspberry Pi's, and a Synology NAS system, I have built up my own home lab from scratch. Continuously saving money and gaining hands on experience by installing and hosting services on my own hardware.
- **Networking:** WireGuard VPN for secure remote access, an Nginx reverse proxy paired with a Cloudflare tunnel for my personal website, and Pi-hole for network-wide DNS filtering.
- **Storage & media:** Synology NAS system running a Plex media server with automated offsite backups.
- **Services:** Self hosted password vault, print server, dedicated video game servers, Home Assistant, and Grafana.

EXPERIENCE

PIE Operator

Dec 2025 – Mar 2026

Grainger KCDC

Operated powered industrial equipment to complete inbound product-placement tasks.

PRN EVS Technician

Jan 2024 – Sep 2025

Liberty Hospital

Sanitized and disinfected high-traffic areas to prevent the spread of infection throughout the hospital.

Package Handler · FedEx

Sep 2021 – Dec 2023

Scanned, sorted, and loaded parcels to ensure safe, on-time delivery.

Crew Trainer · McDonald's

2018 – 2021

Trained new hires, ran shifts in the manager's absence, and delivered consistent customer service.