

The best thing about me is my passion for life and people. I have always been a motivated individual, driven by an inner determination and care. I try to always approach each day with a smile and a positive outlook. I fully believe in salvaging every moment to its full potential, and I try to reach my full potential in everything I do. I cherish the simple things in life, and most of all, I cherish the relationships I have with people in my life.

My family is my greatest mentor. They have always supported me in all that I do, and have provided me with a priceless love and care that I will always be thankful for. I admire each individual in my family for certain aspects of their being, and appreciate them for trials they have made it through. My mother, father, and older sister, Sarah, are some of the strongest people I know. My older brother, Grant, passed away at a very young age from pneumonia before I was born. While this was a dark time for my parents and sister, they came out of it with an unstoppable strength and vigor that I will always admire. They are not only the strongest people I know, but they are some of the most optimistic, bright, and wise individuals I know. Part of the sun that thrives in them belongs to Grant, and this provides me with a hope greater than life itself. They inspire me to always view life as a positive experience and realize that every day is a gift from God, and each one of us is a gift to each other.

The ideals of my family have led me to want to positively impact others everyday. I do not currently know what I want as an occupation in my future, but I do have two ideas in mind. I have always had a passion for teaching. I can recognize the potential in every individual, and I believe that with the right encouragement and help, every student can reach their potential. Another occupation I have in mind for myself is a Physician's Assistant. This job would allow me to interact with patients and provide them with information that will help them to live a healthy life. I would love to travel to an underdeveloped country and either teach or provide medical assistance to the youth of the country. Education is extremely important to me, and I know that whatever I do, I will in one way or another be a teacher, whether it is in a formal environment or a more figurative setting.