

Thankful Essay

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I am thankful for waking up each morning with God on my side and having the opportunities that I get every day. It's a real privilege to be able to have parents and people that can trust you and count on you when you they need a favor. For example, the staff at Gerry Clubhouse put their trust in me and care for me whether it is sports, academics, or simple things like helping out. Just recently, I won the "Design it" event at the Boys' Club for a new design for the Gerry sweatshirt. I was extremely surprised when I was told that I won and the staff congratulated me and told me how proud they were. During the summer, Mr. T allowed me to go to a sleepaway camp for 2 weeks called Camp O-At-Ka. BCNY paid for it all and I had a great time, making new friends, enjoying new activities, and even meeting another Boys' Club member from Harriman. I am extremely grateful for Mr. T for making this possible and I doubt that would have happened if I hadn't been giving gifts of the best characteristics you could ever ask for.

My parents are always there to support me and have my back even when I'm feeling low. Including when I get in trouble, their discipline is out of love for me so that when I get older, I am my best me. I am also thankful for my friends, my girl, and my talents that God has given me to become great. My girl and my friends are always there for me through thick and thin, even if they are weird all the time. Oh, and definitely my teachers for the education that I have received that has made me the smart young man I am. Things will be very different when I graduate because I'll be in a new environment with new teachers and new friends.

When I get older, I plan to be a giver and give back to the people who may be in need for things crucial like food, shelter, or even clothes.

Lastly, I'm thankful for shelter that provides a roof over my head, a comfortable bed to sleep, food, and warmth for the cold times. Not everyone has these opportunities and fortunes that may cost too much. That's what I'm thankful for.