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**THANKSGIVING ESSAY**

I am thankful for my family, friends and God. I give thanks to my mom for taking good care of my brother and I at all times and to my aunt for being there for me at any time my mom needs help. I give thanks to my grandmother and my grandfather because without them I won't know Spanish. My grandparents are always encouraging me to learn my mom's first language; they said knowing more than one language open so many doors in the future.

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