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I am thankful for love. Love for my family, friends, and loved ones. My mother is one of the most important people in my life. She is my rock as one would say. She has been with me through thick and thin. Whether it be finding my other mismatched sock in the morning to driving out of state to watch me play in my tournaments, she never fails to support my endeavors. Around her I am not afraid to be myself. In addition, I don't know what I would do without my friends. They are more than people I have a good time with because they are there for me when I need them most. I can always tell them what is on my mind and my struggles at home. We all have a cross to bear, but it should never hinder the joy and excitement of life. Without love, we would be miserable beings with no purpose in life.