

## **My heart's desire**

*There are many qualities that people have, the qualities that I am thankful for are honesty, integrity, courage, self-awareness, and wholeheartedness. All of these qualities helped me in life. That's what I am thankful for.*

*Honesty made me super happy once that one time I will never forget. That one time I was at a fair with my sister and friend. I had one ticket left for all three of us. I told myself that's not going to be nice if I have one ticket. Anyways I didn't want to go alone. So then I Went to the cashier and told her "can I return my ticket?" And then she said "why" And then I told her "It wouldn't be fair if I go on my but they won't." Then she said "you know what since you were honest I'll give you a ticket free for your friend and sister" and I thanked her I asked for her advice which ride to go on I she told me which one would be better.*

*Integrity helped show my friend what was better to do. She wanted to lie to get something better and I told her should we she was like yes we should. Then I told her a story about me not lying and telling the truth, which my parents told me to always say the truth. So She was like maybe you are right. It turned out I was right and we got something better by telling the truth. She was proven wrong and took my advice to heart. She learned a lesson: honesty is the best policy. This is what makes me thankful for integrity.*

*Courage is one of the best things about me. One time I was at the beach with my family and I always wanted to go into the waves so I asked my dad to pick me up and let the waves go over me. I liked it but then he slipped and I fell but with my courage I raised my hands and then my dad pulled me out of the water. It was pretty fun not going to lie. There are many more times when I had courage. This story about courage helped me alot to keep me motivated.*

*Self-awareness is a great skill to have, in fact an amazing skill to have. I had know idea about this until my mom told me it was a great use. In class I realized someone was using me. So I thought and I thought about what i could do. BOOM. I got it. I will tell her to stop so she knows I know. I fell for her once but not twice. She was like "you broke the streak" and then I said "I been broke the streak" she was shocked and started to copy me in a bad way.*

*Let me tell you about a time I was wholeheartedness. When I was wholeheartedness when my friend was starving I gave her food and advice she was so thankful like I am to have wholeheartedness as a skill for me on a daily basis. Wholeheartedness Helped me see who was a true friend or not and who was a fake person and I did in fact find out that there were a lot of fake friends so that's why I use wholeheartedness so I could be treated in a nice way.*

*This is why I was thankful for all honesty, integrity, courage, self-awareness, and wholeheartedness for the skills I have been given. Each one of these words are meaningful in a way.*

