

Qualities I am Thankful For...

As the holiday of Thanksgiving comes around this time of year, many people start to think of things that they are thankful for in their lives. Many people often say they are thankful for family, friends, animals, houses, love, etc., which are all great and reasonable things to be thankful for, but not a lot of people often talk about the qualities in themselves for which they are thankful. Many people have a lot of great qualities in themselves that they don't often think about, like kindness or respect. Some qualities that I am thankful for in myself are honesty and loyalty.

I think that I am a very honest and loyal person. To me honesty is being able to tell the truth even under certain circumstances. I am grateful for my honesty for many reasons, one of those reasons being that it helps me keep and grow my friendships. For example, I would never sit by and watch a friend make a mistake when I know it can be fixed; even if my honesty hurts their feelings, I would still constructively criticize them because I know I would want the same in return. Another quality that I am grateful for is my loyalty. I am grateful for my loyalty because loyalty builds trust in any kind of relationship, whether it be a relationship with a family member or a friendship. Loyalty keeps a relationship strong; because of my loyalty, I have had a best friend for almost 9 years.

During Thanksgiving, many people often only think about physical things when they think about what they're thankful for, which is great, but don't forget to think about qualities in yourself that you are thankful for. Qualities are one of the greatest features about a person. Qualities like loyalty and honesty have great effects on the lives we live, which is why we should not only be thankful for our family and friends, but we should also be thankful for our personal qualities.