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A Glimpse of Me

As my professor asked us to write a speech about ourselves, I instantly started to shake my head. Writing about myself has always been a difficult task because I find it hard limiting my character to just a few traits. The assignment states to find tangible items that represent your character traits. These items are to later be placed in a brown bag that will be used as a 3-d example during our oral speech. While telling the class about the items in the brown bag it will eventually unfold a little bit about our character and who we are as a person. While reading the details of this assignment I knew that I would have a hard time but it would also be a great learning experience. So today I will try to unfold a little about myself by using a few items.

The first item in my bag will have to be a scrunchie or rubber band. I feel as if I am very flexible person when it comes to multiple things. While working I am very flexible with different shifts and learning new skills as well as when dealing with people. I am the type of person that will do everything I can to help another individual even if it hurts me or puts wear and tear on me. I find myself doing this until I can't do it anymore. Sometimes this can be a good thing but in other times it can be bad because it wears me out.

The next item in my bag would be an hourglass. An hourglass can be used as a timer and in my household, it was used during math homework. It is a race against time! I am very impatient and I always feel like I'm waiting. I hate to wait on things or people, I rather just do it myself. For example, I love to get my hair done and go to the hair salon but I hate sitting there for hours. So instead I learned how to do hair and I usually do my own hair because I know about how long it will take me and I can't blame anyone else but myself if it took me longer than the set time I had in my head. I have been impatient since a little kid and it has only gotten worse as I grew older although I know how to manage it now.

Thirdly, I have a cross a pink bible that I was gifted from my grandma when she passed. Growing up as a child in the church with my grandma I learned several things, the most important thing that I learned is that whenever I may feel lost or confused, I can always refer to that the bible. I don't consider myself a really holy person but I do try to live according to the word and refer to it as much as I need to. I pray every day, and when someone asks me how or why, I find myself saying, "pray and he will work it out. This bible means so much and as I see all the highlighting that my grandma had done it reminds me of everything that she taught me about the word and that he and she loves me!

My fourth item would have to be a mom necklace. I am always looked at as a mom in a group or being called mom by friends. I find myself very nurturing and caring. If I have to give my last for my friends then I will. If there is anything they need to talk about, do, or buy I am always down to listen or make it happen. Acting as a mother is second nature for me and I wouldn't trade that characteristic for nothing in the world. This has always been a part of me since I was little and played

with baby dolls as if they were my real kids. Being able to be there for others and make them feel comfortable and loved warms my heart.

Lastly, I have a calendar. I am very organized and live by a routine. Calendars list the days and months in separate spaces and that is exactly how I like things to be. I like everything to have its own space, spot, and time. I like things to be well planned with room for extra because you never know what will happen. Living by a routine helps with me being impatient because it allows me to know what is coming next and when it is coming next. Organization is key when it comes to me!

In conclusion, I have things that are good and things that are not so good about me but it makes me who I am. There is always room for improvement and improvement should never stop. I will always strive to be the best me that I can be. Although, I may not have covered everything about me I have unfolded a little. There is so much more that I can explain but it would take years, so that's enough for today. Thanks for listening to my brief description of me.