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Introduction Paper

My name is Eminta Sunny. I was born in the southern part of India, Kerala. I lived there until I was six and then moved to the United States with my family in 2004. I am currently in my sophomore year of nursing; I transfer from Rockland Community College. My relationship with God started a little later in life, around 2019. I was raised in a very religious family, we are Syrian Orthodox, so I was forced to attend church every Sunday. In High school, I went through depression and struggled to figure out my purpose in life; I was not in touch with God. I often wanted to end my life. After high school, I went to RCC for two years and then took a break. I decided to go to India for nursing because of running away from depression and trying to get a fresh start. I was in India for a year and a half, attending a Hindu college. It was very difficult for me, and my mental health was not improving. At this time, I contacted a friend in New York, and she introduced me to a pastor. So, in 2019, I started to build a relationship with God. God is my everything, and even though I have difficulty prioritizing God first, I know that he will always accept me. God has a plan for me, and I am grateful. My dream is to be someone who can help people and be someone whom God can use greatly. My goal is to be someone who has a strong relationship with God. I have many people that I admire; God is my number one. I also admire my father and mother; they gave up their comfort and left India, where they grew up, for my sister's and my education. For a better future for us, they had no degree besides high school and did not even know how to communicate properly. We had a comfortable life in India, yet they still wanted better for us, so they came to the United States and worked day and night for our futures.