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Freewrite

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Start Time: 1:15 am

End Time: 1:30 am

From the three movie options I've chosen to watch *Freedom Writers*. What made this movie worthwhile to watch was the fact that it was relatable and gave me insight to how other people live on a day to day basis. I also grew up reading and watching movies based on low income areas, gang related plots, and stereotypical plots of low income communities. The movie was inspiring because the students strived to not become just another statistic. Despite the beginning of the movie where they did not like Mrs. Gruwell and were very fixed onto their ways of living and traditions, they've overcome the many obstacles in their personal lives to be different and be successful in life.

I've seen this movie before and I always enjoy watching it. It usually has me on an emotional rollercoaster, because the actors did such a great job in their roles, making the viewers feel apart of the drama and issues that were presented during the movie. I find myself yelling, gasping, or saying what I would've done during certain scenes, for example, when Eva got jumped my face was scrunched up because I couldn't believe she really got jumped just because she ran into another race group who she (her race) was beefing with. Movies like these gives me a sense of gratitude. Though I grew up in a impoverished community, I had parents that put me through school, made sure I was okay, and had most things that I needed.