

Mom and Dad:

I guess I knew that someday I would be writing about you guys and about your significance in my life, but I never expected it to be so soon. As the end of 18 years of living under your guidance and wisdom, it's time for me to write this letter to show my appreciation for you guys. I am currently taking a Deaf Education class and it's been a remarkable semester for me. I realized so much things in life that I took for granted. I know I am genuinely lucky to have you as my parents. I would like to take some time to thank you guys for sending me to one of the finest schools for the deaf in the world.

Many of my classmates shared how they went through a lot of hardships with their families. To be honest, I basically never went through any of these issues, a big thanks to you guys for making this possible for me. Thank you for giving me so much exposure to American Sign Language at an early age and it has been my primary language ever since. I am truly glad you guys advocated the idea of using a bilingual program which incorporates both ASL and English because it was the only solution to the literacy problems and it would give me a good English foundation. Basically I can't thank you guys enough for sending me to one of the finest schools for the deaf world and giving me so much exposure at an early age.

I miss you guys.

Xoxo your Son,

P.S. Please send me some of your homemade brownies!