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My Hero, My Role Model

Several people believe that a hero is only a figure that is shown in movies. For instance, Batman, Superman, policemen, or even the guy who saves the world. What many people don't know is that everyone is a hero in some way. A hero is someone who has demonstrated courage or gratitude in their life, one who has overcome tough obstacles throughout life but still helps others, or someone who always puts their self-last. In my eyes, my mom is my hero and my role model.

My mom is one of the most selfless and hardworking women I know. She always shows kindness to others no matter what mood she is in. Her goal in life is to help others become a better person and she works hard to be the best version of herself. She strives to put others before herself even though she has been through some of the toughest battles. She went through many obstacles throughout her young adult years so when she was old enough, she decided to make a change. Having me at a young age was not easy for her, yet she always made sure that she did the best she could for me. I am nineteen now with two siblings and we each never go a day without knowing we are loved unconditionally. She has raised us to always be ourselves and to be thankful for all that we have. As I am beginning my adult years, I am starting to see the reasoning behind the discipline and the way she raised me, and I wouldn't change a thing.

In all, a hero or a role model is not just a figure shown in a movie. They are the people we walk by and talk to everyday that are just "normal" people. A hero is someone who has demonstrated courage or gratitude in their life, one who has overcome tough obstacles

throughout life but still help others, or someone who always puts their self-last and that person is my mom. My mom may not wear a cape or have super abilities, but she will always be my hero.