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Age- 12 years
Grade- Grade 8

I am happy being born a girl in my particular family because I feel that my parents love me more than my brothers. By nature, girls are gentle, patient and have strong mind. In my school, girls study in groups, play with friends and discuss and listen to each other. As for me, when my friend feels sad, I console her through my kind words.

We are living happily by these ways. But sometimes, I am teased by boys. At those times, I want to cry and want to fight with them. Although I want to fight back, I know that I am weaker than boys physically. Because of the less physical strength, girls are abused and sometimes being raped by boys in my country.

In my community, girls are more hardworking than boys. For example, in my family my mother has to take care of us, does housework and also sells vegetables for the family income.

I want to be a psychologist and I will try my best to reach my destination. To get my destination I need support of my parents. I also need financial support because my family is poor.



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I will try my best and I want to see my community to be a place where girls are respected and all fathers share responsibility of their own family by helping mothers in housework.