

Overlooked

What does it mean to be wealthy?

Absorbing various influences from the News, the Internet, and normal everyday conversations can really redefine the meaning of wealth for us.

That being wealthy means to naturally look good seemingly every morning,

Or having the highest grades in the classroom,

Or being privileged to stay up way too late on a school night.

But then, when peering at the other side of the world, where conflict too conflicting to imagine turns out to be someone's reality,

The realization that what we have in front of us is more than enough to feel wealthy inside.

I am thankful for the familial support I am able to receive everyday,

And for the Christian education that aids me to foster wisdom in my life.

The air that gives me breath even when I feel too tired to take one still gives me hope that what I live through is worth it.

So, what I am thankful for this year is the support that surrounds me daily, which many times is overlooked.

Especially in this age.

Happy Thanksgiving, New York State!