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I am very excited for Thanksgiving to be just around the corner! I think that it is a good time to be grateful for all of the things that we have. I can only choose 3 things, so here are mine.

My family is my whole world, with my parents and all 4 of my brothers, they are fun, and caring. In the difficult times in my life they were always there for me, giving me motivation, and love. In my life I have four brothers, Colin, Donald, Kenny, and Kolby. Colin had fought in the Afghanistan War and is now perfectly fine. He is also an advanced EMT, and even gifted me my first dirt bike 2 years ago for christmas! He had also served 13 years in the military! My brother Donald was also a veteran and was in the Army, and the National Guard he served for I think 4 years or more. My brother Kenny is a really good soccer player! He went to Costa Rica 2 times, and 2 summers ago he went to France. He is also a volunteer firefighter, and EMT. My brother Kolby is a volunteer firefighter for Chenango forks. My dad was a veteran in the 1980s, and went to Germany. My mom is also a firefighter but quit because she had to take care of the kids.

My dogs are just so lovable, and have unconditional love, and are always there for me. They are also very entertaining, they have unlimited energy, or at least that's what it feels like for me. I have a Golden Retriever, 2 Beagles, and some white dog, I don't know her breed.

After I had first rode a dirtbike I got the bug, or at least that's what my dad says. After my brother gifted me my first dirt bike I loved it and wanted to go to a track. I was just riding around in my yard. Eventually, I went to a track, and started to progress on my skills. After riding until the winter when I couldn't ride anymore, after a while we went to West Virginia for Christmas, and I waited there until Christmas. Eventually on Christmas day I got a YZ 85. I was very excited, right when I got it when I was allowed to ride I went straight to the same track. I had now gotten extremely faster and now that skill level is where I'm at now, sadly I can't ride until the winter.

So in conclusion, things that may seem small to you might be a big thing to someone. As my parents say, "Another man's trash is another man's treasure."