

Henry's final draft

I've had fun times, and have gone many places. In order to have this much fun I've realized you have to take the chance of always living life to the fullest when you can. When you live life to the fullest it can take away your fears, living life to the fullest can also push your motivation to try new things, and living life to the fullest can help you appreciate what life offers.

When you live life to the fullest it can help take away your fears. I always try to do what I can in the mindset of "now" is your only chance. One example is that when I go to camp every year, I can hear the excitement roaring about what I think is the best amusement park—Dorney Park. 'Hang Time'—one of those loop-de-loop-de-flip rides was blurring fun and fright straight at me.

Approaching the ride I could feel butterflies in my stomach. "I have to go on this ride," I thought to myself. I mean, really, who could lose an opportunity like this. But I still had "the feeling" inside me. I begged my friends to do it with me so I wouldn't be so scared.

"Lauren, Frankel" I hollered as they walked toward me.

"That" I said, as I pointed at 'Hang Time.' Their eyes popped with excitement and fright. We pushed aside the heavy metal entrance, and we were in. . . . I had the time of my life! When you live life to the fullest you can ignore your fears. When you live life to the fullest it can push your motivation to try new things. Even if you end up hating your experience, nothing will ever hurt to try. One time I remember going to Steamboat, Colorado with my dad and brother. I walked with the desire to have fun and try something new. The loud music struck me as I scanned the beverage menu.

"An ice cream float? What in the world is that?" I asked in confusion. "Try it!" answered my dad. The waitress arrived at the table in

her all black attire. "I'll take an ice cream float" I said anxiously. This was my only chance to try one. When I spotted the shiny glass filled with pure paradise I was so excited. I placed my lips against the straw and took a sip . . . it was amazing! Trust me—I had many ice cream floats after that!

When you live life to the fullest it helps you appreciate what life offers. When you have a privilege you have a right to use it—that's when you really appreciate what life offers. For example, every year I'm fortunate enough to travel to several places like Colorado and Utah, Israel, and the Dominican Republic. Traveling to these places lets me see, taste and fully experience new traditions and culture, but most of all—just pure vacation! I'm really appreciative to be able to travel this much and see those special traditions and customs. Another example is being very appreciative for all my friends and family members, who I care for a lot. I'm very luck to have people who I trust, care for, and definitely live life the fullest with! All those special moments, parties, inside jokes and a lot of courage to stick together. Being with people you trust can be one of the best things life has to offer.

From airplanes flying to new places, rustling rollercoasters, fabulous foods and more—living life to the fullest always serves me good. Living life to the fullest has helped me take away my fears, push my motivation to try new things, and last but not least, appreciate what life offers. Overall, I hope I always try to live life to the fullest so I can keep having chances to have amazing moments.