

Rebuilding Families

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I dream about a job that will let me support my family. I want to be able to be a good father. I want to be able to sit at the head of the table and spread my arms and have my family be proud of me.

Anonymous

I dream that my daughter will be the broken link in the vicious chain of incarceration, drugs, and addiction, which runs rampant in my family tree.

Anonymous

I dream to believe my life is worth something. My dream is to believe in me.

Anonymous

My dream is for my baby girl to be better than I am. I hope she becomes a writer

Anonymous

I dream that I can be there for my son, Kevin, to help him in his struggles as he grows up

Anonymous

I dream not to face pain every day.

Anonymous

My dream is to be a good father, to get out of jail, and to be someone.

Anonymous

I dream that my children pursue what makes them happy and never feel the pain that I have endured.

Dwayne

I dream that my baby who died is in heaven.

Anonymous

I dream that I will have a good job and be a good father so that I will be able to give my family everything they need and want. I dream that my baby girl will finish school and go to college, and that she will be able to have a good job.

Thurgood

I dream that my children will be the best at whatever they decide to do.

Jermyn

I dream that all of my children will learn from my mistakes and not come to jail. I want my children to be successful and be all they can be. I want them to never give up and not to let anyone tell them they can't do something.

Jessica

I dream for my children to have a great education and a bright future.

Jatiah

I dream my children will be successful in everything they do. I dream for all of their dreams to come true.

Joyce

I dream no kids will be hungry, that wars will stop overseas, and that everyone has a warm place to sleep at night.

Anonymous

I dream to be an educational and inspirational grandmother with lots of love for my grandchildren. I dream to never say never.

Yvette

I dream for no drug dealing or drug taking in my family.

Anonymous

I dream to be the best I can be, to have my family and peers be proud of me for my accomplishments, and to finally head down the right path.

Anonymous

My dream is to give my kids what they need so they don't have to suffer like I did and sell drugs and go in and out of jail.

Wilmer

I want my daughter to grow up loving herself so that she can be what she wants to in life and know that what someone else thinks of her is nothing more than an their opinion.

Anonymous

My dream is for my children to have a mom who loves and cares for them and who is with them always and not in jail.

Jatiah

My dream for my baby boy, Oden, is that he is safe in heaven with our Holy Father and he is looking over me as my Guardian Angel.

Anonymous

My dream is for my son to grow up and become a high school and college graduate so he can make his dreams come true.

Cliff

I dream for my children to prosper in the things they desire and love and to know that their father will always support their dreams and goals and he loves them with all of his heart.

John

My dream is for my children to leave this life after I do.

Anonymous