

Good evening, everyone!

I'd like to take a moment to thank two very special people in my life--my parents. As many of you know, they are the true MVPs, or as I like to call them, the "Most Valuable Parents."

First off, I'd like to thank them for passing down some of their best qualities to me. My mom taught me compassion, kindness, and how to cook a half-decent meal--though I still manage to burn toast now and then. And dad, thank you for your wisdom, patience, and, of course, your stellar dance moves that somehow skipped my generation.

Growing up, they were always there with guidance and support. Although, let's be honest, the real reason I might've turned out okay could be their incredible tactic of using reverse psychology. Every time they told me not to do something, boom--Harvard-bound. Just kidding, but maybe it's why I stuck with the piano.

Most importantly, thank you both for your love and laughter. You've taught me that humor can solve almost anything, except for maybe that science project that went horribly wrong back in fifth grade. But still, no science fair in the world could measure up to the experiment of raising me!

So here's to you, mom and dad, for putting up with me, nurturing me, and making me the person I am today. I love you more than words can express. Now, everyone, let's raise our glasses to two of the finest people I know. Cheers!