

## **PARENT MESSAGES (a sampling . . . .)**

- No words can express my sincere gratitude to my parents for their invaluable advice, help and support.
- I want to thank my parents for truly supporting me in all my endeavors whatever they may be. I know you both will always be there for me, continuously guiding and believing in me.
- Thank you for your endless caring, constant support and the unique opportunities you have given me. You have helped shape me into the person standing before you today.
- I want to thank my parents for giving me the opportunity to do great things and also for all the sacrifices you had to make for me to be where I am today.
- Thank you to my parents for inspiring my love of learning, for never letting me give up, for being merciful with my endless procrastination and most of all, for giving me unconditional love and the courage to follow my dreams.
- Thanks for being my friends, my cheerleaders, a supporting shoulder and my guides. But most of all, thanks for being my parents.
- For letting me pursue my crazy dreams, develop myself and find my individual spirit. . . for supporting me through the rough times, guiding me towards at least a little rationality without killing my dreams and treating me like a person, not a kid.
- You have always supported me, have been there to provide comfort, have never given up on me and put up with my 'phases'. As much as I have dreaded our 'family discussions', you have shaped me into the mature and independent person I am today. I will be forever grateful and no matter how far away from home I am, I will always be your little girl. I love you with all my heart.
- Words cannot express the amount of gratitude I have to be the daughter of such selfless, hardworking and loving parents.
- Thank you Mom and Dad for your continual acceptance and trust. I am so grateful that while I will always have your confidence and support, my future is entirely my own.
- Thank you for supporting my education and for being there for me. You have always told me to reach for the stars, that I can do anything. I am graduating from a top high school with knowledge, friendship, and dreams and knowing that you will be with me every step of the way. I love you very much.
- I will always look up to my parents as the greatest source of inspiration and as my first and foremost teachers.

- You have done nothing but nurture my knowledge and encourage my interests. Whenever met with unreal expectations and high demands on my part, you both ground me and keep me focused with a loving attitude. I love you both so much and want to thank you for developing a gift of individuality in me that nobody can take away.
- I thank my parents for their unconditional love and support and for encouraging me to always do my best and follow my dreams no matter what.
- Thanks to my parents for giving me an occasional nudge in the right direction.
- I thank my parents so much for your support in everything I do. Thank you also for the space you have given me that have allowed me to develop as a strong, individual person.
- My parents have been a major factor in the development of my inner strength and motivation to succeed. I would like to thank them for everything they have done for me and what they have contributed to my future.
- Thank you for supporting me in every way imaginable, helping me with every venture and for opening the doors to a meaningful and successful life.
- Thank you for always being my number one fan. We've been through thick and thin together and you've always been by my side.
- You have always allowed me to make my own choices and you're always there to put me back on my feet when I fall down.
- I want to thank my parents for everything. You both have taught me more than I will ever know. I love you and will be forever grateful for your encouragement and love.
- Room and Board: Free / Food: Free / 18 years of freeloading: Priceless / Thanks for everything.
- To the world you might just be two people, but to me, you are the world. Thanks for everything.
- From you I've learned the art of diplomacy, the value of time, of integrity and of compassion; all while nurturing my creativity and helping sculpt my dreams. Thank you for always being there when I needed you and even when I thought I didn't. I love you.
- Thank you to my parents for supporting me and all my endeavors. I cannot begin to explain how much I appreciate everything you have done to make me the person I am today.
- I could never thank my parents enough for everything they have taught me about life, love and true happiness. I couldn't have asked for a better pair of friends and mentors.

- I give my gratitude to my Mom and Dad for giving me the priceless things in life. You will always be in my heart no matter how far I am from home.
- Thank you for believing in me and my dreams. Without your dedication and encouragement, I would not have been able to accomplish what I have. I love you both so much. And Mom, good luck being home alone with Dad.
- Thank you Mom and Dad for never discouraging me, letting me reach for the stars no matter how far away they may seem and for never putting any doubt in my mind that you love me.
- No matter where I go in life, a piece of my heart will always be at home.
- No matter how many sports or hobbies I tried, my favorite activity was always admiring the pure love and caring you put into my life.
- I may be leaving, but you're not leaving my heart.
- I thank my parents for all the opportunities and for the wisdom they have shared to prepare me to be the best that I can be. My parents are my greatest source of inspiration because they have taught me that passion and a strong work ethic will get me where I want to go.