I’m just trying to be the reason someone who thought they couldn’t, did.
When you wake up in the morning know that life is full of opportunities to be grabbed.
I am enough of a realist to understand that I can’t reach every child, but I am more of an optimist to get up every morning and try.
Social work is all about working together to make a difference in someone’s life.
Do what you love, love what you do.
Problems are not stop signs, they are guidelines.
Great leaders inspire greatness in others.
I want to inspire people because I don’t want them to give up; and I want to be someone who others look at and say, “because of you, I didn’t give up.”
“I’ve learned that people will forget what you said, people will forget what you did, but people will never forget how you made them feel.”

-Maya Angelou
What I have learned is that sometimes listening is the best service you can give someone.
“Help others achieve their dreams and you will achieve yours.”
-Les Brown
“Do all the good you can, for all the people you can, in all the ways you can.”
- John Wesley
“The good we secure for ourselves is precarious and uncertain until it is secured for all of us and incorporated into our common life.”

-Jane Addams
My mission in life is to break all strongholds and traditions and become someone my family can be proud of.
The one thing that you have that nobody else has is you. Your voice, your story, your vision. So write and draw and build and play and dance and live, as only you can.
Poor is the man whose pleasure depends on the permission of another.
Strong people stand up for themselves but the STRONGEST people stand up for others.
“Courage doesn’t always roar. Sometimes courage is the little voice at the end of the day that says I’ll try again tomorrow.”
—Mary Anne Radmacher
“Change will not come if we wait for some other person, or if we wait for some other time. We are the ones we’ve been waiting for. We are the change we seek.”
-Barack Obama
“Put your heart, mind, and soul into even your smallest acts. This is the secret of success.”

-Swami Sivananda
If you don’t like the world.. Change it.
Being a social worker isn’t something you do, it’s who you are. It takes having a life of service, compassion, and a willingness to listen.
Success is measured in lives changed, not money earned.
A huge Thank You from the Fall Social Work Class of 2014! We Did It!