

First Place (7-12): Personal Narrative



Tianna Yellow Hair

Most Recent Memory

All these emotions are going through my head, and I think that the only reason is because I think I'm really excited to see my new baby niece. Most of the emotions and feelings are joy and happiness. The main reason I think I have these emotions is because I haven't had these feelings for awhile. Or maybe nothing has excited me this much to drive me to all these crazy feelings. Joy is running through my mind and a tingly feeling is running through my whole body.

The reason I think that I have these feelings is because I finally have a new baby niece. It's a really new feeling for me and I know that have a reason to finally feel happy into his life time. I, my dad, my sister, Cody, and my dad's friends are in this story. I think they feel for me, because they haven't seen me this happy before in a long time. The reason I haven't been happy in a long time is because I lost my grandma and when she left me, I was just broken. Most of the time I didn't even know who I was. I haven't been this happy before in my entire life.

As we drive towards Rapid in my car, my dad drives fast because it's Sunday and we are going up there to watch a movie on a school night. We pull into my sister's apartment first and go to see the new born. As I take every step towards their front door I hold my breath.

This kind of sick feeling shoots up towards my upper body. I can feel the weakness in my knees and my whole inner body. The whole time I'm wishing that my strange sick feeling would just go away. I didn't want this to affect my chances to see the baby.

I walk into their apartment and all I'm thinking is, where is the baby? All I remember saying is, "Where is my new baby niece?"

My sister says, "In the back in her crib." I take a very slow step towards the back of the room. I see a crib and my heart starts to race with every deep breath I take. My arms reach out to pick up the tiny baby that lies in the crib. Amazingly her tiny wrapped up body fits right into my arms.

Her little chest rises up with every little breath she takes. She has a very little head, but with a full head of coal black hair. Her hands are even smaller and her little feet are just cute. My eyes shine with an, "AWWWWWW!" I just love the way she fits right into my arms and she just sleeps soundly in my arms.

When my dad sees her a hot tear rolls soundlessly down his cheek. "I remember the first time I got to hold you," says my father.

Cody says, "Geez that's a tiny baby." We all just laugh because his reaction is almost like he never saw a new born. My sister and her boyfriend are just crying because they always wanted a baby girl, and now they finally get what they want. All I was asking for was just a moment of silence because it was a really happy time for me.