

Eboni Shepard Essay

Jordan was eight years old when I enrolled him in the program. I wanted him to get help him with his anger and wanted to give him someone to talk to. I was a single mother raising him, and 3 other children. Jordan's biological father is in prison and Jordan writes letters to him. Jordan was struggling in school and showing behavior problems. Jordan is beyond special because as a young child he has already overcome so many obstacles. Andrew was the best thing that every happened to our family. Andrew has helped Jordan in school. He helps him with homework, talks to his teachers and gives him life lessons. Andrew wants the best for him and is showing him how important school is. He brought him to a law office to show him black men can be lawyers too. Jordan got most improved student and is a safety patrol. He is traveling to Washington DC next week with his safety patrol group. This is not something we thought Jordan would ever be able to do but he has changed so much since meeting Andrew and is now doing these incredible things. For his future, I hope Jordan goes to college, becomes an entrepreneur and has a career.