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Question	Answer
Dinner for four - you and what other three people (living or deceased)?	My Mom, Dad, and one of my grandparents.
Best movie, book, TV series?	Death of a Salesman
What are you most proud of thus far in your life?	Getting to go to American Legion Jersey Boys State and meeting the friends I did there.
What are your plans after high school? If going to college, what college (if you know) and what do you want to study there?	I'm going to Rowan University with a major in Computer Science. I might dual-major or take a minor in something unrelated. There's so much I want to learn!
What is your favorite school subject? Why?	English. I like math and science too, but the philosophies we learned with Mr. Steltz and Mr. Gluckman will always stick with me. One day in AP Lit they both were in the room for a class discussion, and that was amazing.
Who is/was your favorite teacher (could be any teacher, all the way back to grade school even) and why?	Ms. Janice was my second-grade teacher, and she, I think, was the first teacher who really believed in me. She was kind and understanding, and very, very encouraging. She was laid off, but I still am in loose contact with her today.
What person has had the greatest influence on you and why?	My mom and dad equally; they're very kind people that I owe a lot to. I certainly look up to them.
What is your favorite food?	Pasta with fusilli noodles.
If your life was made into a movie, what actor would you want to play you?	Me! Who else?
What is one thing you cannot live without?	Water. No, I'm serious! Having a cold glass of water when you're tired or after a workout is the best thing.
Where do you see yourself in 10 years?	Either with a job as a software developer at a small tech firm or still in school.
Parting words - advice for those you leave behind as you spread your wings and move to life beyond HTHS.	It's a lot better to just let go and enjoy something, this way you have something nice to look back on. This includes your academics; take your workload as something to learn from, even if it is stressful. Homework will not seem so much like homework if you enter it with the goal to learn rather than just to get it done. Take this to everything in your life; everything is a new experience with new people. Keep an open mind and just learn from them.

