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# Wynn Kenefick

## *Best Friends*



“This picture was created during a visit from Grammy where the artist (Wynn) who is hopeful to have his grandparents live near him. The dog in the picture is Molly, his grandparents dog. Wynn and Molly are best friends and play outside all the time.”



# Sidney Woodard

## *Hopeful About Loving Family*

“I am hopeful because my family loves me. I am hopeful that every kid can have a great Christmas.”



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# Charlotte Darnell

## *I Am Hopeful Because I Love Earth*



“I am hopeful because I love our planet, Earth. It is beautiful and gives us all we need to live. I like to travel and see all of it.”

# 2<sup>ND</sup> GRADE



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**Caroline Kidd** PHOTOGRAPHY

## ***Fire in the Sky***

“This is a picture of a sunrise on September 18, 2023 on Cadillac Mountain in Acadia National Park. This happened after Hurricane Lee, and that is how I thought of the title. I am Hopeful because there is a shine to every new day.”







# Faith Tankersley

## *The Dog Who Became Hopeful*

“Daisy is sad but her mom helps her to have courage and be hopeful.”

On one sunny spring day a dog named Daisy was asking other dogs if they could play with her. None of them answered her. None of the dogs could see her or hear her. And she had trouble seeing things. So, she went up the hall looking for her mom & dad's room. She climbed under the bed and started to cry her squeaky cry. No dog saw her or heard her cry. Only one dog who had the best ear sense ever who was famous for it, Daisy's mother. She poked her head under the bed and held Daisy's paw. Slowly Daisy started to climb out from under the bed. Her mother told her I hear you. Daisy started to curl up into her mother's arms. Her mother told her you know this is what I do when I cry. I cry a little bit, stand back up, dust myself off, and keep going. “Ok,” said Daisy with a little bit of tears on her face. She counted how many steps it was then she did it. Number 1. Cry a little bit. number 2. Stand back up. Number 3. Dust myself off. Number 4. Keep going. These 4 rules are very important. Don't ever forget them, said Daisy's mother. Alright I will try not to forget them, said Daisy. Now, I can play with you or you can ask your dad, sister, or brother. Can you play? asked Daisy. Yes, I can my little pup. They got out their toys and played tug a rope. After it was bed time and the dogs went into their bed and had happy dreams.



# Lily Mims

## *The Sun of Happiness*

“I’m hopeful because...After every storm comes the sun and with the sun comes a rainbow.”





# Madison

# Wolcott

## *I am hopeful*

“I am hopeful because if the sunset in the teton mountains is this beautiful now then tomorrow the sun is surely to shine.”





# Gwuan Danner

## *The Light of Glory*

“I’m Hopeful because...The light of Glory. When the light shines through I know GOD is with me and everyone.”







# Pietra Brown

## *The Love Heart*



“The love heart represents that we should love everyone with our hearts. I am hopeful because love in everyone’s heart can change and make the world much better.”



# Eli Clark

## *Disney World Castle*

“I’m hopeful because my mom said if I do so good in 2<sup>nd</sup> grade, I can go to Disney World with her and my two little brothers, Luke and Noah and maybe with my dad!”





# Nora Stone

## *My future is bright*

“I am hopeful because my future is bright. I am loved by my friends and family.”







# 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade



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# Elliott Tate

## *Hopeful Girl*



“I am hopeful because I hope when I grow up, I will get my hair dyed and get my nose pierced like my mommy. I am also hopeful that people will make the world a better place by not littering and planting more trees to produce the air.”



# 5<sup>th</sup> Grade



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# Sophie Darnell

## *The Light*

“My Song, The Light is about how I always look at the bright side of bad things. The reason it relates to hope is because it shows that I will always find hope.”

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