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Hello, my name is Brandy Mitchell. I was asked the question “Why do I deserve to be daddy’s little girl?” It took me a while to come up with a pleasing answer, but I finally got it. When I first born until I went to elementary school, my daddy worked 3 jobs to provide for his family. He always made sure that I had everything I needed to survive. When daddy would come in from work late at night, I was sleep but he always came in and kissed me on the cheek and told me good night. Daddy then went from working 3 jobs to 1 and was able to spend more time with me. These times I have always treasured. My daddy would sit and talk with me and ask me if I had any problems I wanted to talk about. Daddy encouraged me to focus on school and get good grades. He would not let me work while I was in high school like my siblings. He told me that one day I will have to work for the rest of my life and that I didn’t have to rush growing up. He always wants me to be his little girl, and in his heart his little girl would never have to grow up. He spoils me and treats me like the princess that I am. Daddy didn’t want his Little Girl catching the COTA bus because things were getting too dangerous in the world and he wanted to do everything he could to make sure that his Little Girl was safe. My father and I now have a wonderful relationship. He is there when I need him, he spoils me, and treats me like the princess that I am Not a day goes by that my dad doesn’t ask me if I’m ok. He always wanted me to have an open relationship with him. He and I have a bond that he doesn’t have with his other children. That’s because I am DADDY’S LITTLE GIRL. It doesn’t matter what time of day or night, my daddy is always there for me. Even being an adult, I am still Daddy’s Little Girl. A few months ago, I went to the emergency room. After I got done, around 3 AM, I called and told my daddy. He told me that I should have told him before I went so he could be there for me. We talked on the phone for 20 minutes; all the while my sister was in amazement that My Daddy could talk for 20 minutes at 3 AM to ask me 100 questions, when he knew I’d be home shortly. I told her then that I am His Little Girl and he loves talking to me. After High School, my daddy encouraged me to further my education because in this world, without a degree, it’s a harder place to survive. In 2006 I graduated with an Associate degree for a Medical Assistant. This year, 2010, I am going to Fortis College for to further my nursing career and obtain my LPN to RN. It took me a while

to get back in school. Now that I've started, there is no turning back. I have had many obstacles come up in my life that made me want to give up. My health hasn't been that great since the beginning of this year. It seems like if it's not one thing it's another. I was working 2 jobs and trying to go to school to better myself. I've had breakdowns and felt like I just can't or even want to go on. I prayed about it and realized that I had too much on my plate to handle, so I quit my second job. I'm currently working and going to school full time. It isn't easy at all, but I know it will pay off in the end. Another positive male role model in my life is my uncle Rolland. . He encouraged me to move forward in my life and become all that I can and want to be. I thank God for sending me such wonderful men in my life. I am Daddy's Little Girl.