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Struggle

By: Anthony P. Heard Jr.

We have been degraded,
Criminal we have been painted.
Are parents actions then left us confuse and tainted.
No we act out to please others,
That's foolish isn't it?..

No care and concern; No love or hugs,
With out passion in your heart,
We begin to sale drugs.
Picking on those who's weak to prove your tuff,
But deep inside your acts a bluff.
That mask on your face portrays a mean mug,
Your hurting inside it will not stop until you have had a enough

The struggle has took us threw a lot,
No lights, heat, food, clothes are old,
With no help from the cops.
Moneys low and dads in jail,
moms working over time trying pay for daddy's bail.
Older brothers on the block trying make fast cash,
trying help momma out and still have a stash.

So my struggle was trying survive in the community that had no
Hoping I'll be the one to be on something.
But the struggle was harder then I thought,
False lies in the streets I bought.
And ended up like most,
With a note that wrote,
The struggle was not broke...

Daddy's Apology

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Daddy's gone,
Far away from home.
Not because he don't love you,
But for choices he made before you.
It's not easy being far from you,
I love you so don't dis-miss the issue.
Your mother sick,
Her finances has taken a hit.
She's use to relying on me,
To be the soul provider.
How loins our suppose to be.
I'm the protector,
But instead I left you to defined for me.
Too many excuses doesn't explain my faults,
Sorry I isn't there for you,
And lessons of being a man I haven't taught.
Be better than daddy and grow strong,
Cause till the very end I'll always love my sons,
Whether right or wrong.
Take it from me,
And accept daddy's apology...

A) WINTER OLYMPICS

Israel Horton

aces to compete against each other in the Olympic Games. sit in front of the television, or even the actual games to root gold. The Olympics are the height of competition, and They are the best in the world. Every participant is already a one over one-hundred-twenty-three days and covered over s took the torch to the tallest peak of the Caucasus mountain Pole as well as the International Space Station. 88 es, and a big congrats for the seven countries that are com-

FINAL MEDAL COUNTS

<u>Rank country</u>	<u>Gold</u>	<u>Silver</u>	<u>Bronze</u>	<u>Total</u>
Russian Federation	13	11	9	33
United States	9	7	12	28
Norway	11	5	10	26
Canada	10	10	5	25
Netherlands	8	7	9	24
Germany	8	6	5	19
Austria	4	8	5	17
France	4	4	7	15
Sweden	2	7	6	15
Switzerland	6	3	2	11
China	3	4	2	9
Slovenia	2	2	4	8
Japan	1	4	3	8
Czech Republic	2	4	2	8
Italy	0	2	6	8
Korea	3	3	2	8
Belarus	5	0	1	6
Poland	4	1	1	6
Finland	1	3	1	5
Latvia	0	2	2	4
Great Britain	1	1	2	4
Australia	0	2	1	3
Slovakia	1	0	0	1
Croatia	0	1	0	1
Kazakhstan	0	0	1	1
Ukraine	0	0	1	1

ights Week is April 6th – 10th

coming to WRC!!

opportunity to purchase pizza slices (up to 4) to be eaten arch 18th.

the annual Karaoke Extravaganza on April 10th. We will representative of the agency we are donating to - they will share and how our donations are helpful....

t. What you do matters!!