

## Individual strengths

There are many things that can be called individual strengths. I have come to realize that some of the things that I used to think were weaknesses are actually strengths. During my life I have had the patience to wait for things even though ironically I was very impatient and could not understand why some things took so long. Now I know that not everything happens instantly. When I earned my first college degree I thought that was it. I would never have to do it again. I was very wrong. Here I am finishing my BSN even if it has taken years and a lot of sacrifice in my life. I persevered even when I was down and I could not see the light at the end of the tunnel. I believe that commitment and perseverance are two of my strongest attributes because through them I am able to live my life with a definite goal and direction. Without those strengths I would be lost and aimless. These strengths manifest themselves not only in my work but also in my personal life. A friendship for me is something that lasts a lifetime and I never forget or lose sight as to who my real friends are and what my obligations as a friend are. Any other strengths are secondary to the above two and none other seem as important. I am quite satisfied to have what I have because a few things done well are better than a whole bunch done badly.