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Thank you so much for coming to TAS. Your speech was truly inspirational. I know I'll remember that speech for probably the rest of my life, and I will definitely create an "inspiration folder." You really proved that even when one is at their lowest point there will always be that someone or something there to keep you forward. I know for sure that when I'm stuck I'll think of your speech during my 10th grade year and it'll keep me going. Thanks again, hope you will come back and visit! By the way, loved your introduction with that African accent! **-Shannon Hsu**

Thank you so much for giving such a motivational and life changing speech yesterday! For once, I found myself unable to stop laughing! After your speech, I have been thinking about my REASON for doing things and I've reflected a lot on my character and the idea of accepting others and seeing value in them. Like many people who have written before me, I hope to see you in the future and maybe earn a sandwich! I really appreciated your words of wisdom and the message you delivered to us! Continue inspiring others and making a change in this world and it has been an honor to be a part of an audience to such a great speaker! **-Justin Yang**

Absolutely appreciated the fact that you came and made that amazing presentation. In my 8 years here (like many others) this was one of the greatest assembly/presentation I've ever been in. It was great listening to your questions to us and the amazing stories you told us. Also loved the accent at the beginning, I totally thought that you actually spoke like that. It was great having you here, once again I really enjoyed your presentation and hope that you will keep giving your wonderful inspirational presentations to all so they may cherish your experiences and words, hopefully I can meet you again at some location...like the airport! **-James Hua**

Just wanted to thank you again for stopping by our Rhetoric and Composition class today, and I'm sure many in the classroom were as profoundly inspired as I was. Personally, I most appreciated your insights about the "turbo button" and meta-cognition, because I feel that certain individuals around me still need the spark to transform from a fatalistic mentality to a proactive one -- the realization that he was in control of his own thoughts and behaviors. But I'm curious to know, how could an educator teach that to a child or teenager? (Your Mental Karate program seems to do just that...?) Finally, thanks for addressing some of our college concerns as well! And if I don't get to eat sandwich at the airport, I will be sure to try Ethiopian food someday. Best wishes and God bless! **-Arthur Chang**

Thank you so much for taking your time to speak with us at TAS! You are an amazing motivational speaker and I think many students would be inspired by you. What you have said was incredible and it is for certain many people would have a big change in their lives. Once again, THANK YOU!!! **-Daniel Lin**

Thank you for the awesome, inspirational speech. I loved it and I will never forget it. U ARE AWESOME!! **-Angela Chiang**

We really enjoyed you! Probably one of the best authors I've ever seen....you keep us hooked! **-Allison Banks**

Best guest speaker TSA has had thus far! **-Anneth Wang**

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Thank you for the inspirational and entertaining speech and this was the only time I truly had fun during an assembly.
Thank you!! -**Corinna Cho**

I'll work hard towards getting that sandwich from you. Thank you for your truly inspirational speech today. I look forward to discovering my own story! -**Eric Lin**

Thank you so much for your speech! I'll work hard to live well - especially with that sandwich as incentive. -**Lin King**

Thank you so much for speaking to us. You make our top 1% education more complete! -**Eric Lam**

Thank you for speaking at our school! It was a great speech - very funny, but still stuck to the message you wanted to tell us! -**Philip Whalen**

I want to thank you for your very inspirational speech today. Thank you for taking your time and talking to us. I really liked your book because it has really good lessons of life and I will always remember this lesson you have shared with everyone of us from TAS. Thanks again!! -**Penny Lin**

Thank you SO much Mr. Asgedom for the speech today! I was also trying to adjust to a new life here, but your speech has just, wow, left me speechless! Thanks for visiting and hope you enjoy your stay in Taipei! -**Nini Chuang**

It was a very inspiring talk that you delivered today and made me rethink about life. Thank you for coming to TAS. We really enjoyed your visit, and I hope I see you at the airport sometime. -**Edward Hsieh**

Thank you for visiting TAS today! I will always carry your book around with me, along with the words and lessons you have taught to the Upper and Middle School. -**Tiffanii Chen**

Thank you for your inspiring speech. I will carry your words with me always. -**Bill Tsai**

Thank you for sharing your time and your story with us today. I found the activity where the first row was demonstrated as "invisible" was extremely effective. -**Jessica Cooper**

Thank you for the wonderful, engaging, and inspiring assembly today, Mr. Asgedom. I'll remember this always, and put today into my inspiration folder. -**Janne Deng**

I really enjoyed you talking to us, so thank you for coming!!! (Wish we had more time for Q&A, though.) It was one of the best assemblies during my 8 years (and counting) here at TAS. -**Tin Tin Kao**

Amazing speech today Mr. Asgedom, truly the best I have ever heard in my life and so inspiring! Thank You.
-**Rohan Sinha**

MR. MAWI ASGEDOM your assembly was the BEST one I've EVER been too! It was awesome, fun, inspiring, and it was the definition of an AMAZING assembly! -**Jackie Brebeck**