If you really knew me, you would know...

I am proud of the way my brothers have grown into strong, independent and hard-working young men who know the difference in right and wrong,

That the hardest thing I have ever done is learn that life isn't always fair,

One piece of good news from my life this year is that I bought my first house which I have really enjoyed decorating and landscaping to make it reflect my personal style,

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My relationship with my family is full of laughter and honesty. They are the most important people in my life and I count on them keep me going when I am down,

I find time management the hardest part about coming to school. This is probably because I love to talk, and talking takes time!

My favorite part of coming to school is the fact that I get to hang out with 100 7th graders who make me laugh and never cease to amaze me with their thoughts.

If you really knew me, you would know...

That my biggest dream is to someday have it all.

That I feel closest to my mother because she can read my mind even before I've shared my thoughts. This makes being honest even easier because she understand me.

The funniest thing that has ever happened to me revolve around anytime Dusty is home. We have so many inside jokes that I can't think of just one. He is just one of those people that makes you laugh so hard you cry.

If you really knew me, you would know...

The way most people see or label me is as a teacher, but I'm really a kid at heart.

My biggest fear is having fear. I hope to live my life in a way that nothing happens in which I can't overcome it with the people I love.

I would give anything to go to Italy. I have been abroad several times but never been to Italy.

I believe that love is the sum of our choices, the strength of our commitments, and the ties that bind us together.

So... now you know.