## Thankfulness on the Road of Hardship

Royce Nadar from 12B wrote the psalm.

Lord, I lift my eyes to the skies when there are no mountains around Solace I find in You through the hustling streets and its bustling sounds Though my legs are tied with the burdens of my sins Reminded throughout the hardships to praise you for my wins Where is there help when I need it the most? Before my own eyes, you provide me with the finest roast The finest roast, the finest things From the shoes on my feet to the hoodie on my chest The whispers of the world tell me to go in different directions Oh Lord, you bless me and lead me down the rocky road The rocky road, where there are valleys and hills When my back is against the walls, where I long to give in But I know inside my heart, the light shines within Hands of comrades that have fallen away They reach toward me, reach out in my way Reach out my hand; I pull those out of the soot and dirt Each created in the image of God, each with priceless worth One day, we hope to see the light at the end of the tunnel Past through the different levels, down to the final funnel Where the trumpets blow the sounds of harmony Where what was our anticipated fantasy becomes reality Streets of gold, where my soul, along with my friends, take a rest Thankful for each minute and second, as we finish the test