First Prize Film: Middle School Division

Do Something
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Survivor Testimony: Henry Kress

My video is based on survivor Henry Kress, and the times he stood up and took action. The life event that inspired me to take action was when I helped create the Kindness Club. It was formed to give kids a place to feel comfortable and safe from bullies. It started when we discovered that students were getting bullied and hurt physically and emotionally. Witnessing bullying triggered me to find my voice to help others. It taught me how necessary kindness is, and to make sure that we show kindness to others and do something to prevent such cruelty.