Dear Sharon Creech,

In the book “Walk Two Moons” I had a lot of things that I could relate to. This book has given me a new perspective in life, I know now that I am very lucky to have two loving parents, and an amazing brother. What I love especially about this book is that not everyone has a happy ending in their life, or not every book ends as we want it to end. The world that we live in is not a happy fairytale, it’s real life. Not everyone in this world is blessed with all the things that we have, but there is one thing that everyone is blessed with, and that’s hope. Hope that there will be a better tomorrow. Hope that there will be peace. Hope that we will come together friends and family and live in a world we all want to live in. You made me realize that.

I can also relate to Sal. I felt like Sal and I were sisters. I have never had a sister before so it’s a good feeling. One of the things that made me realize this is that when everyone asked Sal why she looked the way she looked. People always used to ask me that to me, so now I don’t feel alone anymore. My friends are always there for me now. Sal also had her friends if she needed any guidance. The only difference between us is that Sal didn’t have her mother, but I did. I am very sorry for everyone who has lost a loved one.

Sal went on a journey to look for her mother. Sometimes people lose things that they really love. At the end Sal got over it, not a lot of people can do that. So I will appreciate everything that my parents do for me, because I might not have them forever. The same things happened to Phoebe, she lost her mother because she didn’t pay any attention to her. Sal helped her recover her mother, so I will do the same. If there is a friend in need I will help them no matter what.

The world might be a big and scary place to live in, but if we stay together nothing is impossible. Now I know that you have to notice, love, and be grateful for everything that you have because you might not have it for long. This quote inspired me “Don’t judge a man until you’ve walked two moons in his moccasins.”
Sincerely,

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