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This is Me
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People just assume,
form their thoughts
give their opinions
about people
based on
past experiences.

People have perceived me
as shy, loud, respectful, disrespectful, reckless, responsible, kind,
mean, helpless, etc.

When in reality I am funny, awkward, tough, angry, sad, happy,
tired, exhausted, desperate, helpful, brutally honest, reckless, patient,
impatient, peaceful, brave, cowardly, aggressive, but most of all I am
unbroken and strong.

I have lived through things I never thought were going to happen to
me and have learned from them but I am not healed so I remain caged
with emotions.

I do not let on what I am feeling because I am self-reliant and don’t
ask for help unless necessary.

I am resourceful so I know whatever I want I will get which makes
me determined but strong headed.

I am confused about what I want for my future which is utterly terri-
fying.

I have many emotions going on in my head at every moment and they
are all fighting and struggling with each other but on the exterior, I
can handle it all. It’s when I am alone that it all consumes me, but I
know I will be okay.