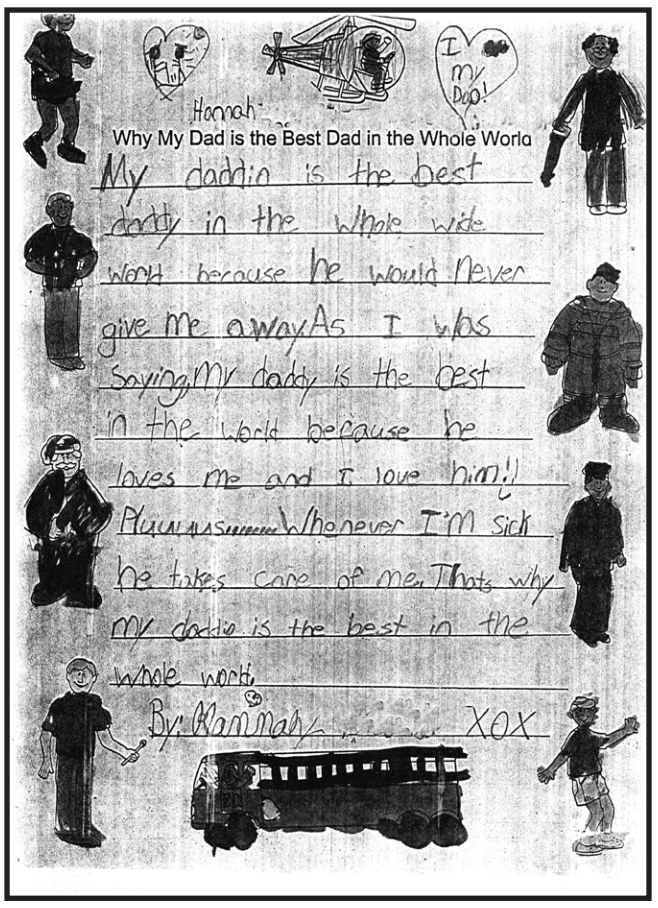
Quotes about Dad



"It doesn't matter who my father was; it matters who I remember he was." -- *Anne Sexton*

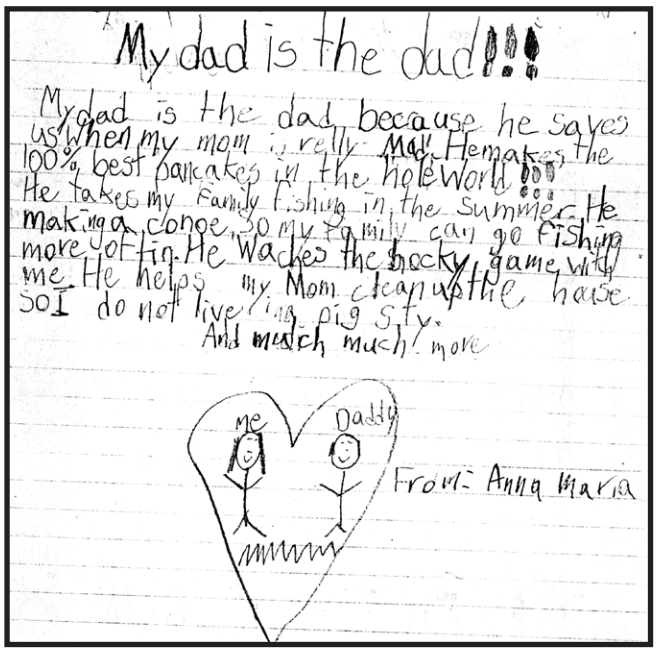
"One father is more than a hundred schoolmasters." -- *English Proverb*

"Blessed indeed is the man who hears many gentle voices call him father!" -- *Lydia M. Child*

"To be a successful father . . . there's one absolute rule: when you have a kid, don't look at it for the first two years." -- *Ernest Hemingway*

"A man knows when he is growing old because he begins to look like his father." -- *Gabriel García Márquez*

"None of you can ever be proud enough of being the child of SUCH a Father who has not his equal in this world-so great, so good, so faultless. Try, all of you, to follow in his footsteps and don't be discouraged, for to be really in everything like him none of you, I am sure, will ever be. Try, therefore, to be like him in some points, and you will have acquired a great deal." -- *Victoria, Queen of England*



"That is the thankless position of the father in the family-the provider for all, and the enemy of all." -- *J. August Strindberg*

"I cannot think of any need in childhood as strong as the need for a father's protection." -- *Sigmund Freud*

"I watched a small man with thick calluses on both hands work fifteen and sixteen hours a day. I saw him once literally bleed from the bottoms of his feet, a man who came here uneducated, alone, unable to speak the language, who taught me all I needed to know about faith and hard work by the simple eloquence of his example." -- *Mario Cuomo*