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We are running. Running from ourselves. Running from climate change. Running from problems we ourselves have created. People have cut down forests, polluted the air and water, and killed animals. Just like we destroy everything else, we will destroy ourselves. A handful of places including Yellowstone, the Amazon, and Tahoe, a place I have fond memories of, still have traces of what it was like before us, before humans. However, it will be gone if no one speaks up. No one is brave enough to protect our planet. We need your help, because the truth is, we are scared.

As I mentioned before, Tahoe is a place where I have experienced amazing things. I remember the sun shining, the wind roaring, and the enormous trees around me. I remember the wind in my face, the snow giving way before me, and the world falling away behind me. I felt free. I want to be able to experience this again. I want to be able to feel that again. However, if climate change is allowed to continue its march unopposed, the snow will melt, the oceans will rise, and I won't be able to feel that way again. That is why climate change must be stopped. So we can save what we haven't already destroyed.

Nature. It should be a place where you can live free, no one restricting your movements. No rules, no consequences, no worries. However, as we cut more forests, contaminate more water, and pollute more air, nature becomes more feigned. Less like the place it was, should, and can be. Now, in the time of greatest peril, our home rests on the shoulders of this generation. But no one person can stop climate change, but together, we can. You can provide the one thing we need. Hope.