UNTIL THE STORY
OF THE HUNT
IS TOLD BY THE SURVIVING
LIONS, THE TALE
OF THE HUNT WILL
ALWAYS GLORIFY THE
HUNTER.
THE DISINHERITED ARE THE PEOPLE IN OUR COUNTRY WHO WAKE UP EVERY DAY WITH THEIR BACKS AGAINST THE WALL. ON SO MANY DAYS THEY DON’T KNOW WHICH WAY TO TURN. BECAUSE IN THE RICHEST COUNTRY IN THE WORLD THEY LACK THE BASIC RESOURCES HUMAN BEINGS NEED TO FEEL HUMAN. THEY ARE THE POOR, THE DISPOSSESSED AND THE DISINHERITED.

— DR. HOWARD THURMAN
Kids in the U.S. experience higher poverty rates than most developed nations. Only Greece, Mexico, Israel and Turkey have higher child poverty rates than the U.S.

Source: Organisation for Economic Co-Operation and Development
Almost 40% of American kids spend at least one year in poverty before they turn 18
AUTONOMY
RELATEDNESS
COMPETENCE
“Give me your tired, your poor,
your huddled masses yearning

to breathe free,
the wretched refuse of your

teeming shore.
Send these, the homeless,
tempest-tossed, to me:
I lift my lamp beside the golden door.”

— Emma Lazarus
Common set of characteristics that predispose children to positive outcomes in face of adversity:

1. The availability of at least one stable, caring, and supportive relationship between a child and an adult caregiver

2. A sense of mastery over life circumstances

3. Strong executive function and self-regulation skills

4. The supportive context of affirming faith or cultural conditions
Lifetime earnings by educational attainment

- Professional Degree: $3,648,000
- Doctoral Degree: $3,252,000
- Master's Degree: $2,671,000
- Bachelor's Degree: $2,268,000
- Associate's Degree: $1,727,000
- Some College/No Degree: $1,547,000
- High School Diploma: $1,304,000
- Less than High School: $973,000
“YOU GOT TO BE REALISTIC ABOUT BEING A NIGGER. A LAWYER — THAT'S NOT A REALISTIC GOAL FOR A NIGGER. YOU NEED TO THINK ABOUT SOMETHING YOU CAN BE. YOU'RE GOOD WITH YOUR HANDS — MAKING THINGS.”