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In this book, Jimmy took part in the 800meter race. As for me, I play tennis every day. So when I finished reading this book, I hit on the idea of a famous tennis player in a wheelchair. His name is Shingo Kunieda. He is currently the number one men's tennis player. He got a Gold medal at the 2008 Beijing Paralympic Games in the men's singles. When he was 8 years old, he was diagnosed with a spinal cancer and was paralyzed after surgery. Throughout junior high school, he engaged himself in a normal school life. He took part in physical education classes, and also played all sports including soccer. In this way, he trained driving wheelchair every day, he gained confidence. This was similar to Jimmy.

After I read about Jimmy's mind to join the race without care of disability, I grew soured. I didn't make a serious effort as Jimmy did. I should work hard and want to grow myself. To do so, I need good friends. I think that Jimmy could make efforts because he had good friends like Sarah. She helped him a lot. Jimmy had many friends who knew him better than he knew himself. This is very important, but difficult. Because to make friends, I must take another look at myself and I may have to change. With friends, I can bear any sadness or hardships. I must take care, not to lose one of them. For my goal, I must make efforts. When I accomplish the goal, it will be a great memory and give me confidence. And it's the beginning of the next target. I have many friends, too. With them, I will make my future better.