

Day 72: Thursday, April 17 and Friday, April 18

On page 18 Nana says, "What's the sense schooling a girl like you? It's like shining a spittoon. And there is only one, only one skill a woman like you and me needs in life, and they don't teach it in school. Look at me...Only one skill. And it's this: tahamul. Endure."

Using specific evidence from the book explain why Nana said this to her daughter. Do you believe what she said is justified? Why or why not. Does the photograph and article from Time Magazine make Nana's character not seem so harsh? What about Malala's story?