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Yesterday's events were unlike anything I have ever witnessed in my life. As I am sitting in class on what I thought to be a "normal Tuesday" when the secretary came in & told Dr. Phillips the news. He then told us. I started shaking, because if these people were to fly hijacked planes into the World Trade Center & the Pentagon what was to be next.

My first thought was North Carolina, because we are only a couple of states away and we have several air force bases. I wondered if Seymour Johnson was the next target -- which is very close to my home. I went to the bathroom & prayed for an end to this. ~~But~~ No matter how hard I try though I can not bring myself to understand why? Why people would hate this country so much that in one swoop they could kill thousands of innocent people. I have never witnessed evil until yesterday. All day long I saw people overreacting -- one girl at Target bought 15 pair of underwear because she was going to keep them in her trunk for WWII. This is what scared people do - overreact. I cried for the people who lost someone in this event. I have a great aunt in New York & though I am not close to her (I only see her about once a year) I thought of her. Funny how tragedies put things in perspective.