

I Am Mark Beaumont

**I am my mother Yeena
And my sisters Heather and Hannah.
I am my grandfather,
Who gave me a heavy bike on Christmas,
And the neighbour who took the stabilisers off.
I am my friend Bobby,
Who helped me through my training,
And the schoolkids from Dundee
Who raised money for my trip.
I am the woman who knocked me off my bike in
Louisiana
And her son who fixed it.
I am the people of the Nalabar,
Who gave me water when I needed it most.**

**I am Mark Beaumont
And this year I broke the round-the-world cycling record.**

I am who I am because of everyone.