I'm a hobbyist. aside from enjoying the software developed for jailbroken iOS devices I enjoy the freedom of root access to my devices. Without this access it becomes incredibly difficult to perform many of my daily activities as I have to make more actions to complete certain tasks.

I share files between my computer and my iPhone and iPad. The kind of seamless integration I'm used to simply isn't possible without the ability to jailbreak.

I use a lot of software developed by developers that works only on jailbroken devices. As nice as the app store is, apple has imposed restrictions that impede my work and I simply cannot hold out hope that apple might one day implement a feature similar enough to a jailbreak tool I use. It just doesn't happen.

I use iFIle, intelliscreenx, zephyr, spire, music banners, netatalk, open ssh, activator, hands free control, celeste, grooveshark to name a few. my experience would suck without them.