

1.If anything was possible, what would your dream job be, and why?

If anything was possible, my job would be an astronaut. Ever since a child, I am fond of celestial bodies. Outer space is a place that I really wanted to experience. Well, of course, it's not about its vast emptiness but the magnificence of all those matters that occupy it - the sun, stars, moon, and planets. One of my greatest dreams is to see the earth. To feast my eyes on the beauty of the blue planet. To be suspended in awe as I watch its charm in a distance.

The truth is, I wouldn't have any other dream job than this. Having this job means one by one unchecking the things to do in my dream list. Other than these perks, the pay of being an astronaut is insane. I think doing up to 3 or 5 space mission would be enough for me to rest and then retire.

2. Have you ever experienced a stressful situation in your past workplace (college if fresh graduate), what was it and how did you overcome it?

Yes, I have experienced a lot of stressful situations in my previous job. I happened to experience one task where the person responsible and accountable was only me. Usually, if I have a partner or team, I would feel less stress knowing that I have someone to share the burden with. However, it really is different if you are handling it alone. There were cases that I get overwhelmed with fear that I get sick then I would decide to be absent. But this did not turn out well for me. The task was on hold, the deadline is nearer than the other day, and you still have no choice but to work on where you left.

One of the major changes I did was changing my way of thinking. . Since I am going to do it no matter what, I have to face my fears. Although it was not easy and I was still in fear, the breakthrough was honesty, communicating expectations, and showing up when you need be.

3. In your previous position, what task did you find most challenging and why? What task did you enjoy most and why?

The most challenging task was writing a software code from scratch. It took a lot of YouTube streaming understand the use of different syntax and functions. One thing that all people should understand also with programmers is that they need space to think. Since my previous company is also a day shift, I was having a problem working on the code at day time. So, what I did, I write the code in around 2 am to 6 am. In that way, I won't be receiving text or calls. No one would disturb me.

On the other hand, the task I've enjoyed the most was benching. Benching is the term we used when we start to test something (unit or system level). I like this task since in here, I do feel a sense of satisfaction that I was able to use what I've learned from school. Here we are utilizing the electronic equipment such as oscilloscope, function generator, and spectrum analyzers.

4. How would your previous managers/coworkers describe you?

I believe that my previous manager would describe me as someone who is dependable, resourceful, and respectful. Dependable in a sense that if they needed my support, I am always there to give a helping hand. This has been one of my major traits. To never leave someone who is needing of help.

Resourcefulness refers to my ability to come up with solutions given a limited pool of materials. For me, resourcefulness is the integration of the idea and the currently available resources to respond to specific need.

Respectful is one behavior that my parents taught me. "Never trample anyone." This is the main motto of my mom which is also the life my dad lived. I would daresay that this is one of the traits that I'm really upholding. In the workplace, no matter the jesting or demeaning I receive from anyone, I always try my best not to dishonor my superiors.

5. What personal or professional accomplishments are you most proud of?

I think I would say more in the personal area, about discipleship. I was able to disciple eight (8) growing leaders who are now leading also the new generation. We've been in this journey together for almost 8 years now. I have seen their ups and down as well as mine. Our relationship transcends beyond friends. I consider them as my extended family.

One would say that it takes a lot of effort to build a structure or a building but it takes twice the effort to build a person. In our years together, there's nothing more joyous than to see your disciples moving towards their purpose and capturing the vision of their mentors.

Most of them started the discipleship journey when they were high schools. And now, most of them are graduating and college. In the years to come, some will find work and also have their own families. But one thing is for sure, we will still be together catching up and journeying together in this life.