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Do you have an idea about what you want to do in your life? What would you like to be? What would you like to do? Why is this important?

It is often said that deciding what you want to be in the future is paramount, especially at a young age. Working towards that goal is also as important. Focusing on the necessities and taking the driver seat of life will not only make me feel content with myself but with all that I have done. But what if in reality, I don't know what I want to do with my life, what if deciding isn't as easy as others say it is.

For a start, my family has always had high standards, being a failure is not even an option in their books. The bar has always been set very high and not once has it come down. This puts a lot of pressure on me because I keep my family and their opinions very close. Seeing them disappointed in me, gives me the worst possible feeling. I want ~~not~~ to see my family happy with me and I want to be able to help them with whatever they need. Whether it be buying a house, helping with school fee for younger siblings or helping with monthly

food for the house. I just want to repay my family for always being my number one supporters. However I can only do that if I have a good paying job in the future and those don't come easy. Clearly, having high standards plays an important part in deciding your future occupation/dream.

Whenever the time comes that I will know what I want to be in the future, nothing will get in my way of success. I will focus on my work and not allow any other disturbance. I will do whatever it takes to reach my goal even if that means spending less time with family and friends and more time into the books. I know that once I have gotten what I wanted, I will most definitely give back to my country and family without hesitation. Helping with developing my country means the world to me. In short, I will work every sweat, blood and tear towards my goal Once I have found what it is.

If there is one thing I know for sure, is that I will never stop trying. Even though my circumstances take the best of me, I always keep the Lord very close. He has helped me with some of the toughest battles of my life and shone light in some of the darkest times. I will work to my full potential to ensure that I will know

exactly who I want to be and what I want to do with my life. As my grandma would say 'Don't take it hard on yourself, just because your journey may seem longer than others.'. This encourages me to work very hard and soon figure out what I want to do.

In conclusion, even though I am blessed with such encouraging family and friends, I am still on autopilot. I still don't know what I want to be and what I am bringing to the table. Even after many times of my Dad emphasising the importance, I still don't know. Sometimes it makes me feel like I have failed him and that in its self is heart piercing. However, I am willing to give all I have and I am hoping that's going to be enough.

