RESILIENCY OF STUDENTS AMIDST THE PANDEMIC

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My hope is that our new normal today, Exposes what was wrong with our old normal yesterday, And sets us up for a better normal tomorrow (Dwayne Reed).

We cannot abnegate that fact that this pandemic is like the odd major catastrophe that tend to heaped on top of one another. And it brought us the greatest lessons in life. It tested our faith and resiliency on how we can cope up in our daily lives and how we can contribute in flattening the curve.

In these crying times, Indeed, the Pandemic had established great challenges and uncertainties not only in our country but all over the world, including schools. Teachers are facing such a huge adjustments with all the hustle and bustle of daily tasks that they need to comply. But still manage to be a hero amidst of these trying times.

As a teacher, I have to say that there’s really a big difference in the old and new normal way of learning. But we Filipinos are known for being resilient and it plays a pivotal factor in our way of adapting to the adversities of this changing world. Challenges in having such comprehension because we need to rely on ourselves or ask someone’s help in things that we don’t understand. The pressure on preparing all the teaching and learning materials and manage our time efficiently. Pressure on being a teacher itself. And above all the fear of having such anxieties that triggers our mental health. Having a positive surroundings and being surrounded with positive people is a vital factor for all of us.
Our government is doing their very best in helping all the Filipino people who had been affected by this crisis. One of the major problems is financial support of each families in having a good quality education on their children. Parents also having such pressure on thinking about their children’s future. But aside from that, it created and paved a way for parents and children to have a time for each other. Parents are now familiar with the hardship that their children are facing and able to impart such learning that would determine their success. Definitely their part on this matter is really imperative. Indeed, they are the first teacher who taught us the first lesson in life. And it is their duty to guide their children in the right path even without this crisis that we are facing. Family is one of the greatest weapon for us to survive the turmoil of this adversities.

If we will be united together as one definitely we can able to witness that magical horizon filled with hope, love, peace and camaraderie. And able to weather all kinds of storms with the help of our ultimate creator. It is a wake up call on each of us that God is knocking us to tighten our faith and draw ourselves closer to Him. Because with all the problems, woes, trials and circumstances that we are facing the best antidote is Prayer, nothing more nothing less.

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