

Relief, Satisfaction & Joy!

A mother with three sons decided to allow them to attend an evening football match at a nearby ground, provided they cleaned their rooms thoroughly. Recognizing the condition, the youngest son, who disliked cleaning, reluctantly agreed to tidy his room to secure the opportunity to watch the match. Despite his initial reluctance, he completed the task and felt a sense of relief.

The middle son, with a friend scheduled to visit the next day, recognized the necessity of cleaning his messy room. Although he found the task tedious and disliked cleaning, his desire to attend the football match motivated him to clean the room. He felt satisfied understanding the necessity of the Job.

Contrastingly, the eldest son embraced cleaning with genuine enthusiasm, happily accepting his mother's demand. Finding joy in every moment of the cleaning process, he completed the task with a sense of joy.

Upon inspecting the cleanliness of the rooms, the mother noted that the eldest son's room was impeccably cleaned, the middle son's room was satisfactory, and the youngest son's room was somewhat okay.

The youngest son found neither enjoyment in the cleaning process nor satisfaction in the result. The middle son, although not enjoying the process, felt satisfied after completing the task. On the other hand, the eldest son relished each moment of the cleaning process and achieved perfection in the outcome.

This story imparts a valuable lesson: approach your tasks with dedication and passion, and you will find joy in both the process and the results. Even when faced with tasks we may not particularly like, finding reasons to derive enjoyment from the process and engaging with dedication can lead to a more fulfilling experience.

Many of us may recall Mark Twain's story of whitewashing the fence, a lesson often encountered during our school days.

