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Journeys are often found valuable for the destinations they lead to. Yet my experience in Ateneo has taught me that it is not the end-of-the-line, but the process of getting there that makes our lives truly meaningful. It is through our failure that we learn to appreciate our little victories, and in our downfall that we learn to be hopeful. Today, I go on with a grateful heart. Thanks to the people I've met, and to the Ateneo Fencing Team. My life has never been fuller and that's because of you.



Justine L. Savet

Savet has the courage to go against the current—something not many are ready to do. He has a gift with words, which he uses to inspire, console, and more importantly, express truths that we often have difficulty dealing with. His willingness to deal with these truths, even those that concern him, have allowed him to constantly pursue a better version of himself. In a world where it is so enticing to be mediocre, he is the voice that reminds us that there is still value in doing well.