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Being in the Ateneo is one of the things that I am most grateful for. But it has never been and never will be easy to stay an Atenean. Staying in the Ateneo means having lots of sleepless nights and headaches. And like any other student, I had my fair share of "downs" in the Ateneo. But even so, the Ateneo has taught me to fly and aim higher. Thank you teachers, friends, and everyone!



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The past four years have been the most surreal. Through the all-nighters, the extracurricular activities, and everything else in between, I was both strengthened and humbled. I can't even count how many times I have stumbled and fallen, but out of all these, I realized that the more you do, the more you can do, and giving up would be to no avail. Although it still comes as a surprise to me that I was able to power through and reach the final stop, it's a journey I would not have any other way.