

MINOR IN PHILOSOPHY

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'Di maiiwasan ang mga panahon ng pagkabalisa't kawalan at nang dumating ang panahon ko, agad kong hinanap si Jerome. Pagkatapos kong magkuwento at magdalamhati, tiningnan niya ako, inakbayan, at nagwika, "Alam mo, hindi ko masyado naiintindihan," sabay tawa. "Pero suwerte kang may choice ka! 'Wag mong kakalimutang lagi at lagi nasa 'yo ang kapangyarihang pumili. Kaya at kakayanin mo 'yan, sir. Pero magpahinga ka muna."

'Di ko 'to malilimutan.

(A. Alcantara).



DOUBLE MAJOR IN AB PSYCHOLOGY

## Maria Teresa B. Galera

"[Love] cannot force, constrain, push, or pull. It offers the freedom to reject that love or to love in return." (H. Nouwen)

Ateneo taught me that kind of love and to respond with love in kind – to see love in the margins, in the unlovable, and in myself even when the world is full of hatred. It showed me that love means standing up and doing what is right even when loving is unrequited, inconvenient – even harrowing. Love is unconditional, resilient, and life-giving. It's within all of us.