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01. SITUATION

Ivan, who is from an underprivileged family. He noticed that his family's economic situation was poor, therefore he studied hard until he successfully furthered his study in UTM to get better education.

Ivan is a shutterbug, he love recording every beautiful moment in life and share it on his social media. However, he could not afford an advanced camera. Thus, he started his part time job as a parcel runner in his campus by his old bicycle.

Since he was eager for an updated camera but could not get enough money in a short time, he figured out a terrible idea, he decided to steal some of his customer's parcels and sold. Since Ivan was an amiable and helpful person, his customers never suspect him as a thief. As the result, he got enough money to buy a new camera even though he felt guilty for his customer's trust.



02. SITUATION ANALYSIS

Problem Facing

- Ivan has a strong desire to upgrade his camera equipment, but he is facing financial struggle due to his underprivileged background.

Decision

- He steal his customer's parcel and sell.

Benefit

 He can obtain money quickly to buy a new camera.

Fault

- He breach his customer's trust to him to deliver their parcel safety.
- His action go against the principles of honesty and integrity.

03. LOST OF VALUES

LAWFULNESS

Ivan's theft actions is undeniably violating the laws and regulations in society. Such actions also erode the trust and ethical standards that are important for a harmony community. These actions will contribute a culture of dishonesty and undermining trust to others which are negative for a society.

RATIONALITY

Ivan lacks of critical thinking. In the heat of the moment that he was desperate for a new camera, he steal his customer's parcel. He did not consider for his future business, after all, if his theft behaviour discovered by his customers, his personality and business will be criticized.



As a parcel runner, Ivan has the responsibility to deliver the parcel safety and timely to his customers. However, he neglected his professional duty by stealing his customer's parcel. This means he failed to fulfill his responsibilities as a parcel runner.

04. UNIVERSAL VALUES NEEDED

INTEGRITY -

Integrity means upholding our moral principles, like honesty and ethical behaviours. An integrity person always make a rational choice, even though facing situations which challenge their values. By keeping integrity value, Ivan can avoid unethical action and overcome his strong desire to get a new camera.



EMPATHY

Empathy means we should put ourselves in others shoes to understand others feeling. In Ivan's case, empathy means he should realize that how important of the parcels to his customers. Maybe some parcels are be very important for his customers. By empathizing his customers, Ivan can avoid such theft actions.

TRUSTWORTHIENSS

Trustworthiness important to build and maintain trust no matter in personal or professional relationships. If Ivan chew deeply about his future business, he will realize that only being honesty to his customers enable him to obtain a strong customer loyalty in the long term. Therefore, keeping trustworthiness value can prevent Ivan's unethical action.

05. BRAINSTORMING



Become A Freelance Photographer

As Ivan is a shutterbug, he can be a part-time photographer in UTM events. Moreover, he can help his friends in making video or photo for their promotional project. By doing something he love, this can be a way to obtain consistent income.

Become A Content Creator

Since Ivan has excellent photography skill, he can share his experiences on photography in social media like TikTok or Youtube. For example, he can share some photography techniques. By sharing creative and unique contents, he will gain lots of fans and get good income.

Join Photography Club

Joining a photography club is an excellent idea for Ivan, not only can pursue his passion but also can potentially get support from the members. Basically, many photography clubs provide shared equipment, which means Ivan is able to access high-end materials. What's more, Ivan can learn new techniques from experienced in his group.

06. CONCLUSION

By and large, Ivan's situation is a quite poignant case as he decided to steal his customer's parcels due to his strong desire to quickly have an advanced camera. However, this is a reflection of nowadays society, people often sacrifice their own value to achieve their goals when facing desire.

In order to avoid such actions, it's crucial to practice universal values. From Ivan case, rationality, responsibility, trustworthiness, integrity, empathy and lawfulness can lead us making rational and ethical decisions, by the same time also improve not only our personal but also professional relationship.

There are several alternatives suggested like becoming freelance photographer, generating creative content and joining related club, which are able to help Ivan generate consistent income ethically. By doing these ways, hopefully Ivan can back on right track and become an ethical and integrity person.

06. SELF REFLECTION

Reporting

Ivan, an undergraduate student who are from underprivileged family. He is a shutterbug but facing financial to buy new camera, therefore he do part-time job as a parcel runner. Due to his strong desire to have an advanced camera, he decided to steal his customer's parcel.

Responding

The admirable part that Ivan did is he worked hard to further his study in UTM in order to improve his underprivileged background. But the situation getting worse as he failed to overcome his desire to obtain a new advanced camera. He made a terrible mistake, which was stealing his customer's parcel. His breached his customer's trust and loyalty in a bit to achieve his goal. I feel disappointed for this action since he did not care about if his future business will be criticized and how his customers feel.

Relating

Actually, Ivan's action is the reflection of nowadays society, a part of people always sacrifice their own values to achieve the target. It is often hard for people to be a truly integrity person, especially during facing difficulties and desires. Unfortunately, Ivan fall into this trap after failed to overcome desire.

Reasoning

A combination between strong desire to get new camera and pressure from underprivileged background is the main reason that causes Ivan's fault. However, his action can also read as an action done out of impulse because there are numerous alternatives that he can try to solve his problem.

Reconstructing

In conclusion, the lesson than I learn from Ivan's situation is whatever problems I face, I have to keep universal values firmly. Even though the problem are tough, I will always be calm and quickly come out with ethical decisions. As I can see, instead of doing theft, Ivan can also try other alternatives to achieve his goal.

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