



I DO THIS OFTEN IN VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE OF STUDENTS. THEY COME TO ME AND SAY:



SO I ALWAYS ASK THE QUESTION:

WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE TO DO IF MONEY WERE NO OBJECT?



HOW WOULD YOU REALLY ENJOY SPENDING YOUR LIFE?



IT'S SO AMAZING, THE RESULT OF OUR EDUCATIONAL SYSTEM,
THAT CROWDS OF STUDENTS SAY:



BECAUSE IF YOU SAY THAT GETTING THE MONEY IS THE MOST IMPORTANT THING ...



... YOU WILL SPEND YOUR LIFE COMPLETELY WASTING YOUR TIME.

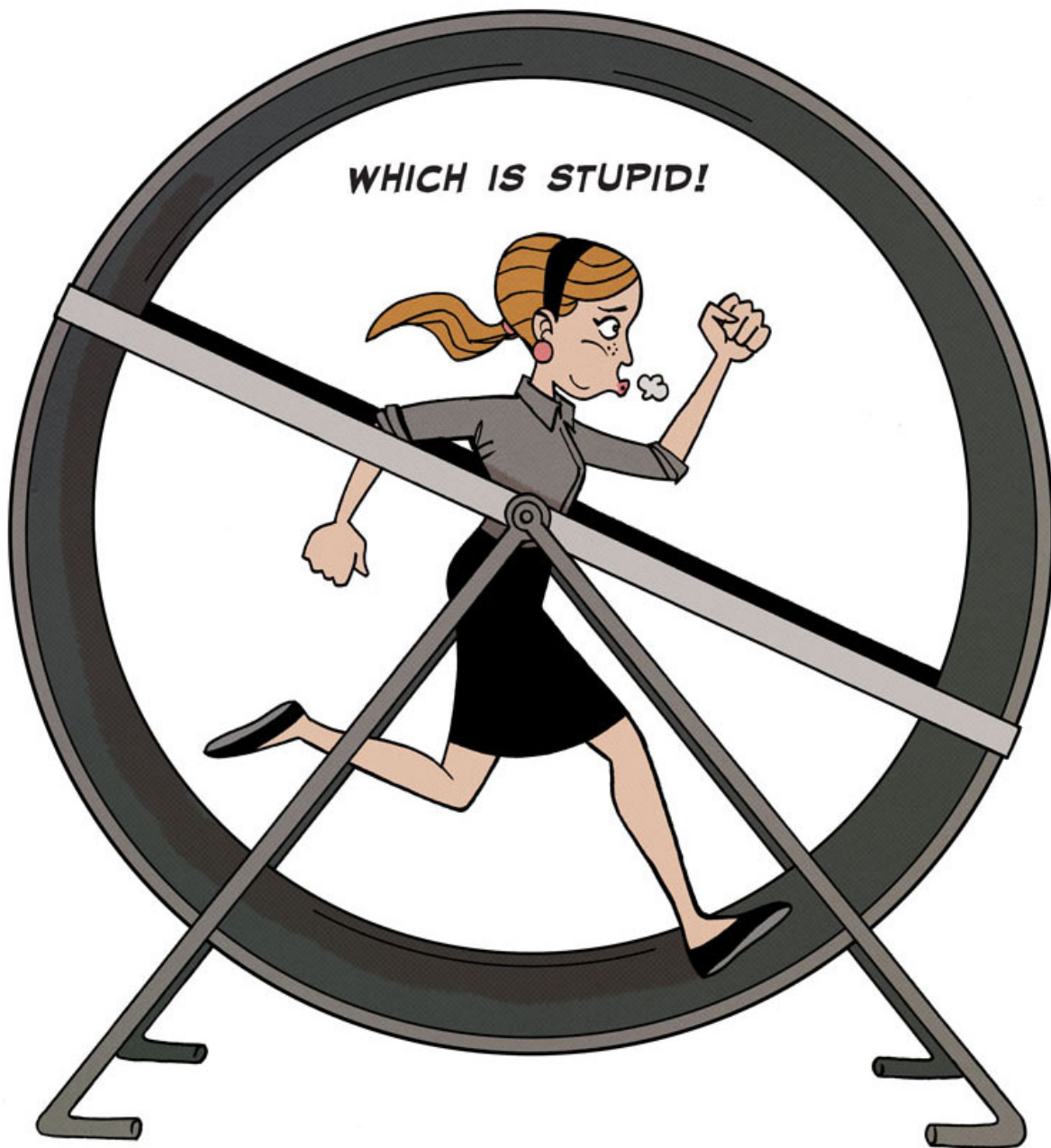


YOU'LL BE DOING THINGS YOU DON'T LIKE DOING IN ORDER TO GO ON LIVING.



THAT IS, TO GO ON DOING THINGS YOU DON'T LIKE DOING.





WHICH IS STUPID!



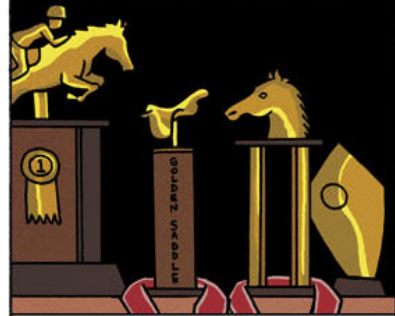
BETTER TO HAVE A
SHORT LIFE THAT IS
FULL OF WHAT YOU
LIKE DOING ...

... THAN A LONG
LIFE SPENT IN A
MISERABLE WAY.

AND AFTER ALL, IF YOU DO REALLY LIKE WHAT YOU'RE DOING, IT DOESN'T MATTER WHAT IT IS...



... YOU CAN EVENTUALLY BECOME A MASTER OF IT.

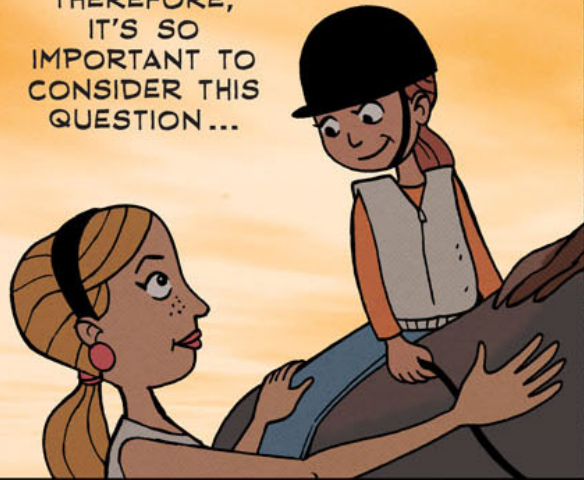


THE ONLY WAY TO BECOME A MASTER OF SOMETHING IS TO BE REALLY 'WITH IT'!

AND THEN YOU'LL BE ABLE TO GET A GOOD FEE FOR WHATEVER IT IS.



THEREFORE, IT'S SO IMPORTANT TO CONSIDER THIS QUESTION...



"WHAT DO I DESIRE?"

-ALAN WATTS

