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Thread: [My dad feels depressed for not being able to provide for family.](#)

kookur - October 9, 2022, 5:11 am

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kumquatmus - October 9, 2022, 5:13 am

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He tried and failed. :/

SourceCode101 - October 9, 2022, 5:31 am

Whats wqs his montly salary \$\$\$??

kookur - October 9, 2022, 5:36 am

(Oct 9, 2022 05:31 AM)Focus Broken Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I hope he's not going to get one of those jobs where he spam calls people's phones.

Nah mate, already wrote no odd jobs lol

StuffSneak - October 9, 2022, 5:37 am

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That would be harder for him, I think. He would be better off if you he can tuition students directly at your home/studio or he can go and visit any private classes like Chate etc. or any available within your area if he can find a job there looking at his past experience.

Motusora - October 9, 2022, 6:08 am

that's very sad for someone who achieved a lot .

why work if he can start a business ? i've seen a lot of indian people here in philippines that does lending business.

KillianDu74 - October 9, 2022, 6:11 am

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You sound like a scammer who have nothing more to say?

Yanix - October 9, 2022, 6:15 am

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Oh then maybe online business would be another option to consider.

Eran - October 9, 2022, 6:33 am

Like some others said, try turning that into an online gig where he will provide private lessons.

Zexo - October 9, 2022, 6:56 am

My dad has something similar happen to him when the financial crisis hit america. He went from making 300k a month to nothing and something people don't like to bring up is that when you make

that kind of money. You don't expect it to stop so you spend it like it won't. We didn't have much savings my mom had to go back to work in her profession which paid nothing. My dad had to get a job soldering cables for 13 an hour on night shift. And he did it to put food on the table. He was depressed. On medication and not the same. He did recover though and he said he's glad he did.

KillianDu74 - October 9, 2022, 9:48 am

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Copy pasta from your dispute:

https://hackforums.net/contracts.php?action=view_dispute&cdid=5900

Quote:your [BRAND NAME REMOVED] method ? I bought your shitty instagram method 150\$ to read : open an instagram account and post your girl pic with #snapchat, you are ravaged to think people would buy 150\$ for the most common knowledge in social media.

Yeah you literally scammed him. Given the fact you are Indian made this more true LMAO.

Gary - October 9, 2022, 12:50 pm

Seems like helping him find a job doesn't really help with the depression. Tell him to take a break for a couple years. Your his kids after all now its time you guys help him out for a bit.

mickeh - October 9, 2022, 4:44 pm

(Oct 9, 2022 06:24 AM)Pathy32 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Usually 40 but sometimes 55 or so. What I do I can say it's hard it just needs done. I personally wouldn't recommend going into construction as it's hard on the body. There are plenty of other jobs that pay decent that aren't as hard on you.

Yeah construction is usually hard on the body years later in life

Mac Miller - October 9, 2022, 5:07 pm

Try and get him a job as a florist, it's not really the same but it's something

molly69 - October 9, 2022, 5:43 pm

Shits happen. Things will get better eventually. Keep an eye on your dad during this time.

SIM-1169085 - October 9, 2022, 6:11 pm

He should go and do anything that's available out there even if it's not in his field.

Best not to be picky.

Doing anything is better than doing nothing and staying at home for an entire year.

Eventually something will come and he can quit that temporary job and move on to something good.

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IMO it doesn't matter how much less they pay, currently he's doing nothing where as he could be doing something, even if it isn't as glorious as you desire.

The longer he stays home and does nothing, the harder it will be to get him back to work and the more depressed he will become.

That's my advice to you my friend. Good luck.

Livewire - October 9, 2022, 8:19 pm

At least you two are good sons and taking care of him.

Wish him the best of luck in getting back on his feet.

Zeus - October 9, 2022, 8:20 pm

I hope you find your dad something you're a good son.

Seaking - October 9, 2022, 10:00 pm

Oof that sucks. I hope something pops up and he gets a chance to get back to work. I can't imagine having over 20 years of experience and 0 job prospects.

Prettykitty - October 9, 2022, 10:35 pm

Oh that's a young dad you have there lol. He could help write articles.. or maybe tutor people online.. there ought to be some botany courses online or some people taking courses that could need help.

Nate - October 9, 2022, 10:42 pm

Don't know what to say, it's rough for a lot of people right now. But perhaps idk maybe try to encourage him to look for better opportunities