

*Traveling is  
for everyone!*



It's late at night, and Brazil's most traveled family has just arrived home after a beautiful week of vacation!

Destiny puts Hope to bed and goes to say goodnight to Fly and Trip, who are exhausted.



Meanwhile, Gate goes to the kitchen, grabs two glasses, and opens a bottle of wine. When Destiny appears in the living room, Gate approaches with the glasses, saying, “A toast to the best mother and wife in the world!”

Destiny takes the glass, toasts with her husband, and declares, “I knew I could count on your partnership in any situation!”



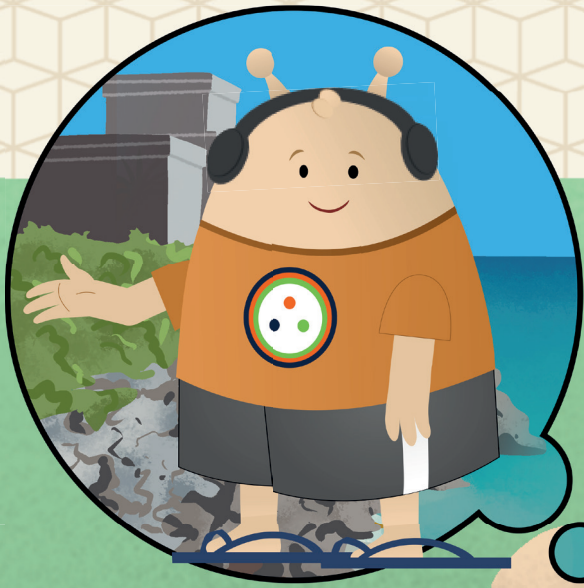
A few weeks before the trip, Destiny and Gate had received a diagnosis about Trip, stating that the boy was neurodivergent, belonging to the group of people with ADHD (attention deficit hyperactivity disorder). Since then, the couple began to understand that many of Trip's actions were related to his development being different from what is considered "typical."


When Gate received this diagnosis, he was overcome with fear and felt like giving up on the trip, thinking that his son's behavior might disturb others. It was Destiny who insisted that they should not cancel the trip and instead learn to deal with their son's unique qualities.

Gate and Destiny are now lying on the living room sofa, reminiscing about the most memorable moments of the trip!

"I can't get that stern guest out of my head, who later became friends with Trip and played with him in the pool," Gate commented. "What did you say to her after Trip accidentally put on her flip-flops?"

"I explained how ADHD makes him distracted and told her about our struggles and how we used to get angry and act impatiently before knowing about his diagnosis," replied Destiny.






“It was very moving to see how Trip was calmer on the flight this time and could enjoy the trip. Your friend’s advice to prepare him beforehand, explaining how everything would be, was providential,” said Gate.

“Absolutely! Agreed,” Destiny added. “Taking that time to breathe before each activity, telling him what would happen, ensured peace in our boy’s heart and also slowed us down.”

Before the trip, Destiny introduced Gate to the travel community she was part of, showing him beautiful stories of other traveling families. Feeling welcomed and encouraged, Gate now realizes how much he would have missed if he had given up on traveling. He confesses, “You know what? It was crucial for me to discover that there are hotels and tourist spots prepared to welcome all kinds of people. I loved finding out that several restaurants and some flights are already prepared to accommodate people with dietary restrictions. I was very glad to know that early diagnosis can help my son develop better and learn to deal with his way of being. But what completely transformed me was being able to see Trip’s potential! How creative he is! All the children at the hotel loved his play ideas.”





“And our Fly? How she’s more tolerant of her brother after her research on ADHD. Now she’s no longer ashamed of him and even enjoys his boundless creativity!” Destiny comments with teary eyes.

“Yeah, as Piangers, my parenting guru, said, nothing like getting to know, accept and celebrate our children!”





Gate realizes that Destiny is already very tired. He gets up from the sofa and grabs her unexpectedly. “Time to sleep, my adventurer!”

“Gate, are you crazy? Put me down!” Destiny laughs, asking.

But Gate carries her to the couple’s bedroom, saying, “I’m not crazy. I just think doing things differently adds grace to life! Sweet dreams!”







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