

# How bestselling author Grace Tan perseveres against the odds

*With grit and determination, she reached the heights of success in two fields.*

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, USA, November 26, 2022 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Then a health crisis presented her toughest challenge.

Grace Tan has come a long way in her career through her outgoing personality, grit and determination. Grace came to the U.S. as a foreign student to pursue her undergraduate degree in New York City. After graduation, she was hired as an accountant for a major bank—a job she did not find particularly exciting. So she set her sights on becoming a trader after observing the hustle and bustle and the fast-paced tempo on the bank's trading floor.

At that time the trading floor was male dominated. Being a person who believes in breaking barriers, Grace was determined to gain a seat on the trading floor. "I showed up super early in the office, way before the market opened, so I could have plenty of time to study the day's economic data and discuss them with the head trader," Grace recalls. "At the end of the day, I spoke with the head trader on what transpired on the trading floor." Her willingness to learn left a deep impression on senior management. That curiosity, coupled with her evident work ethics, led to her being given the opportunity to become a trader. At age 23, Grace became the youngest trader at the bank and the first female trader of Asian descent.

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When you don't see the light at the end of the tunnel, you keep marching until you see it. It is always there.”

*Grace Tan*

Grace was a successful trader and a financial advisor for 14 years, but when she became a mother, her priorities changed. She wanted to continue using her outgoing

personality and her knowledge of finance and investment to help others, but now she needed a career with more flexible working hours. And she found real estate. Leveraging her previous life





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