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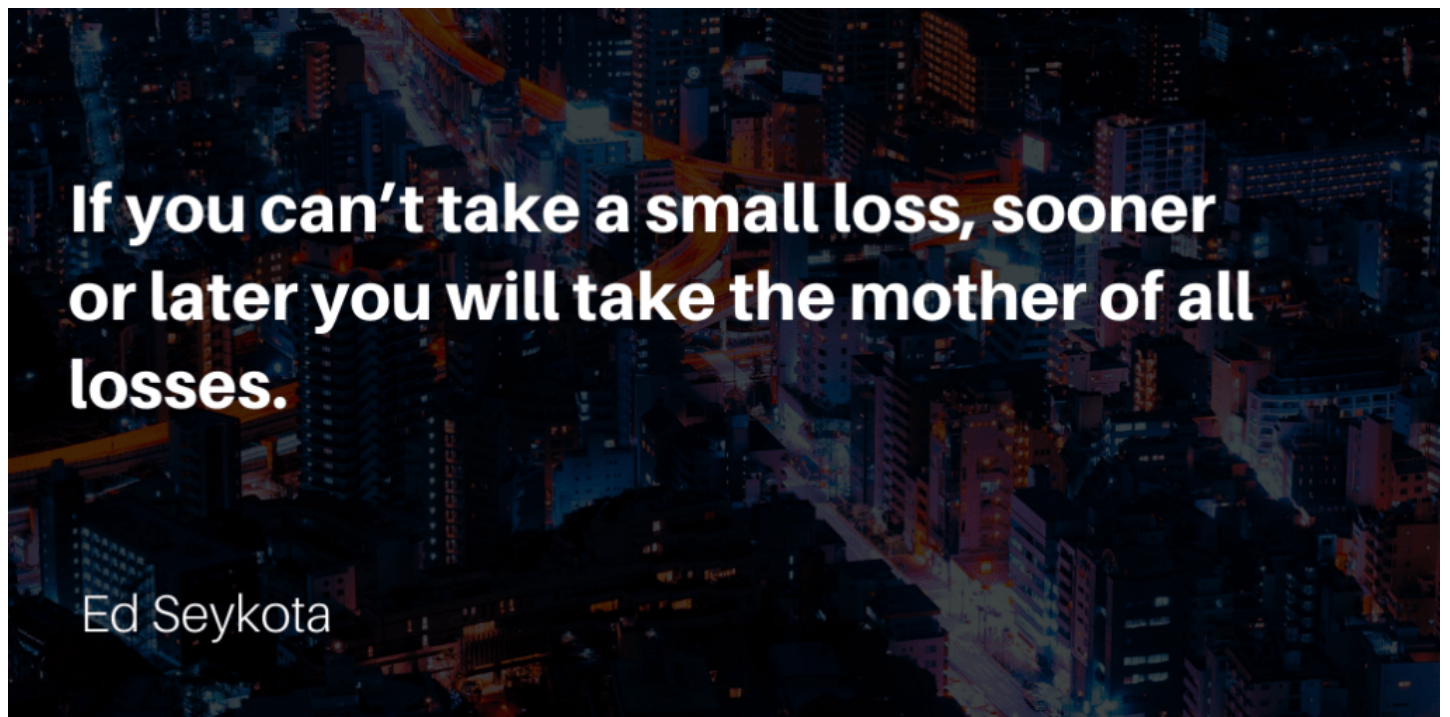
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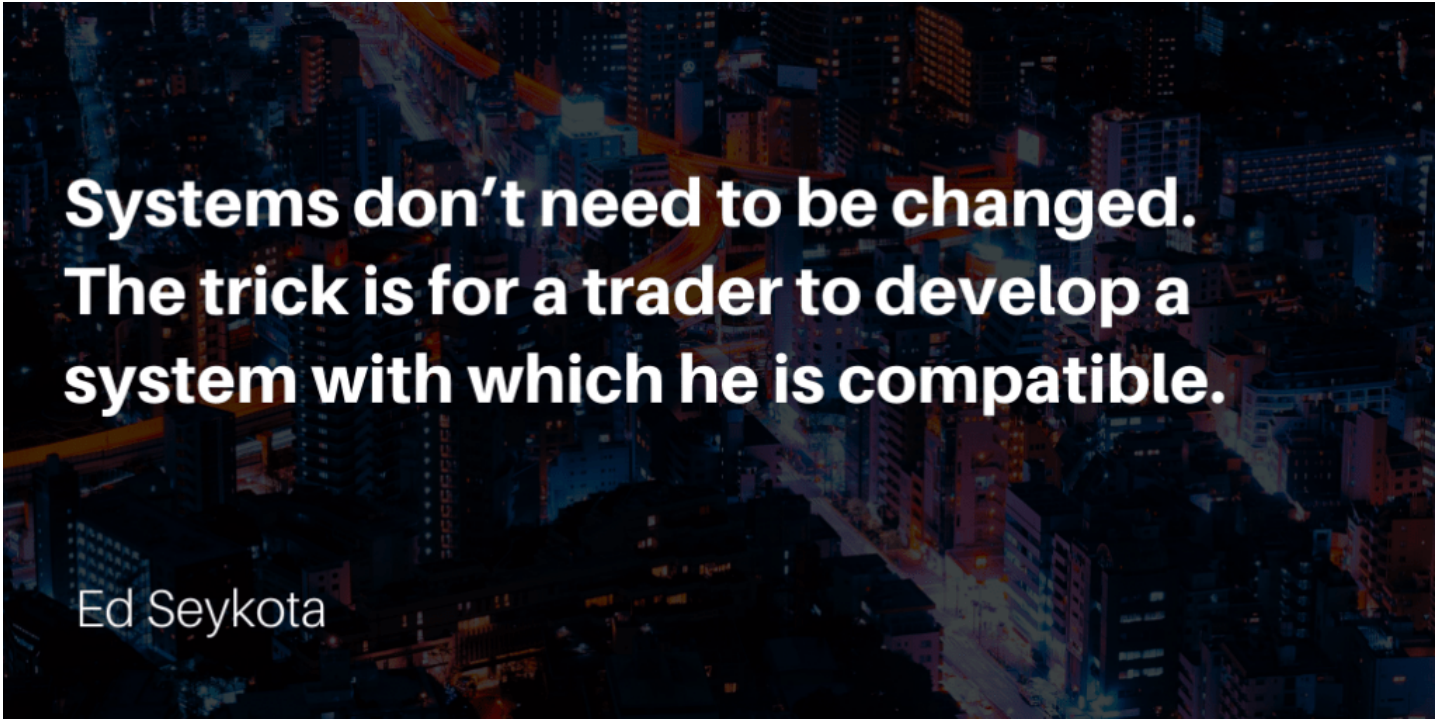
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Here are 20 of Ed's key quotes & takeaways to maximize your trading returns ■■

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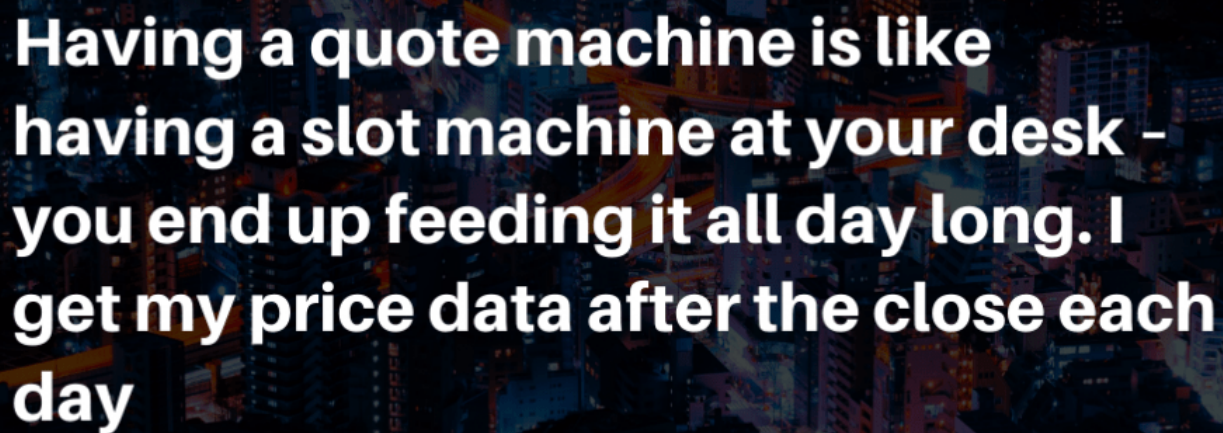
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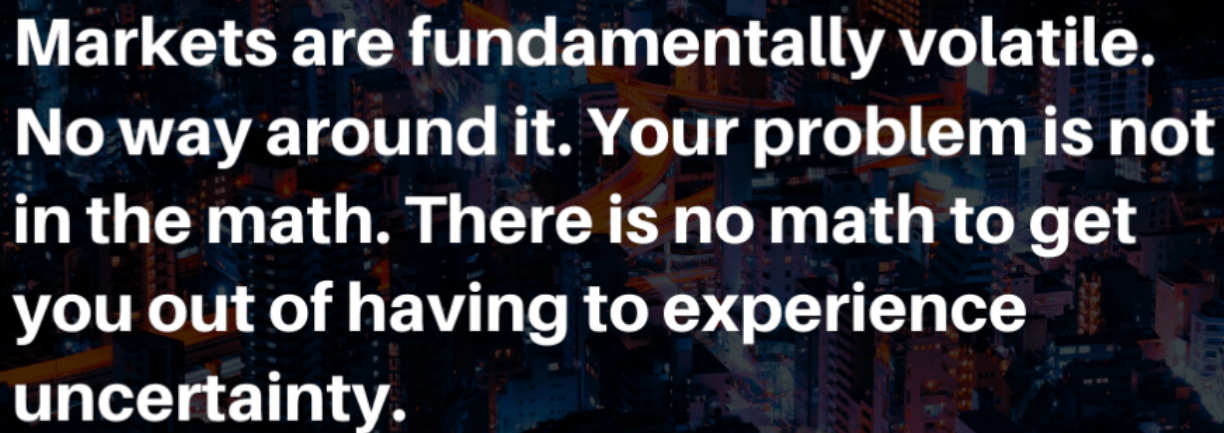
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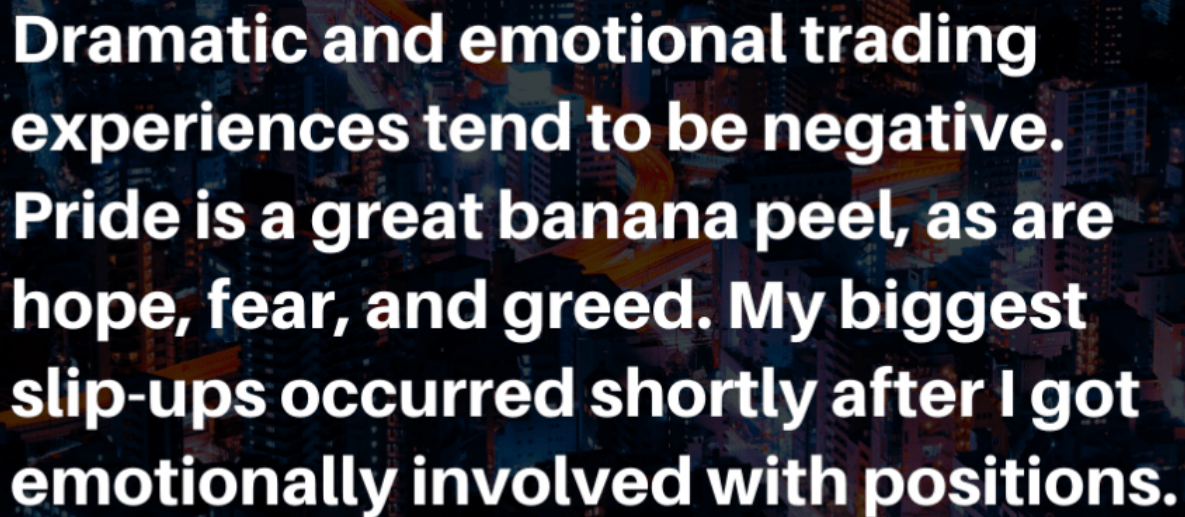
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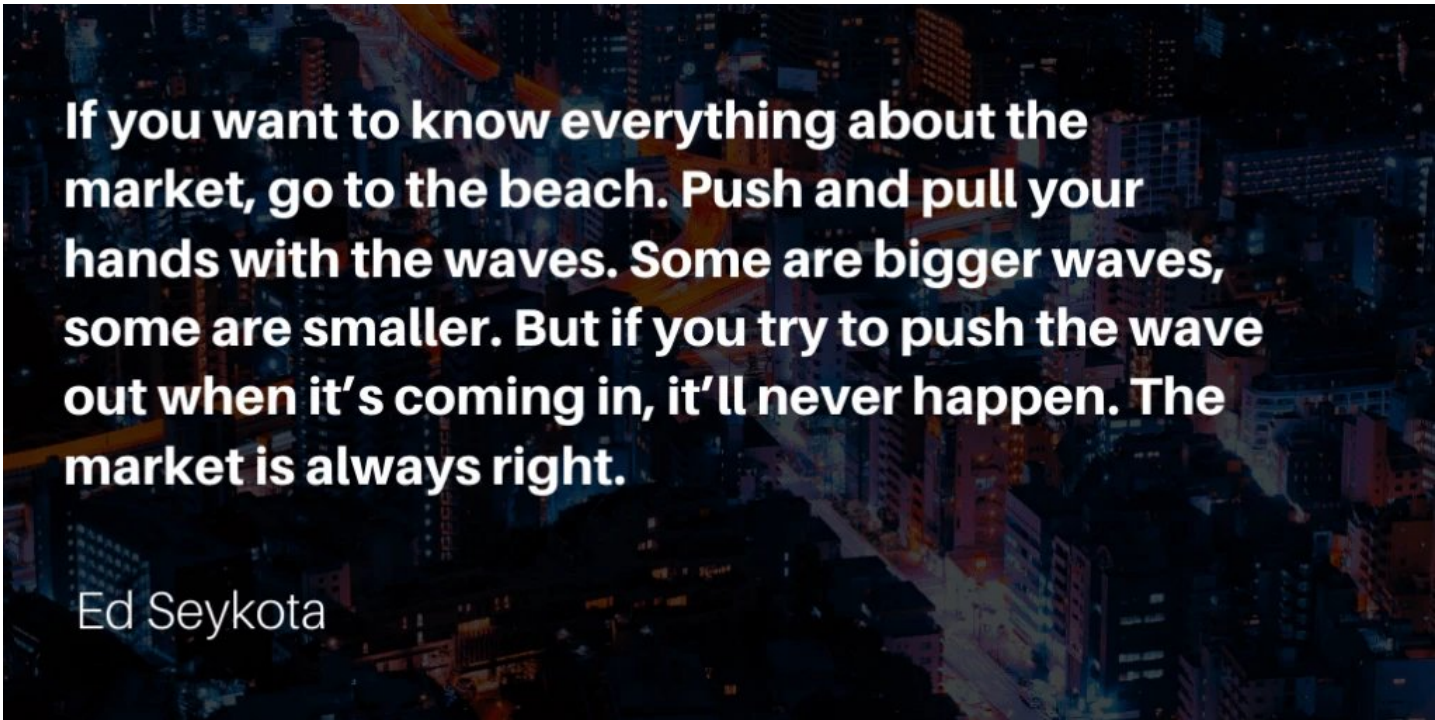
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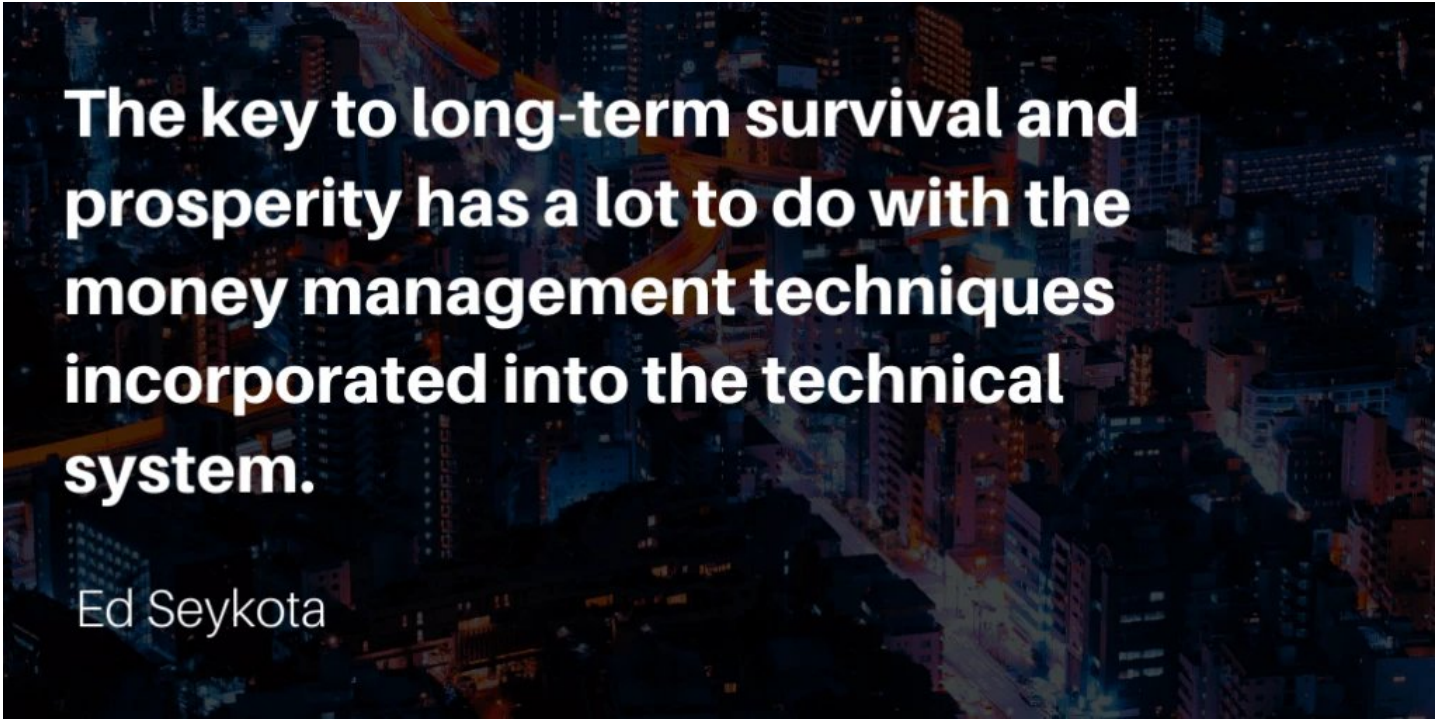
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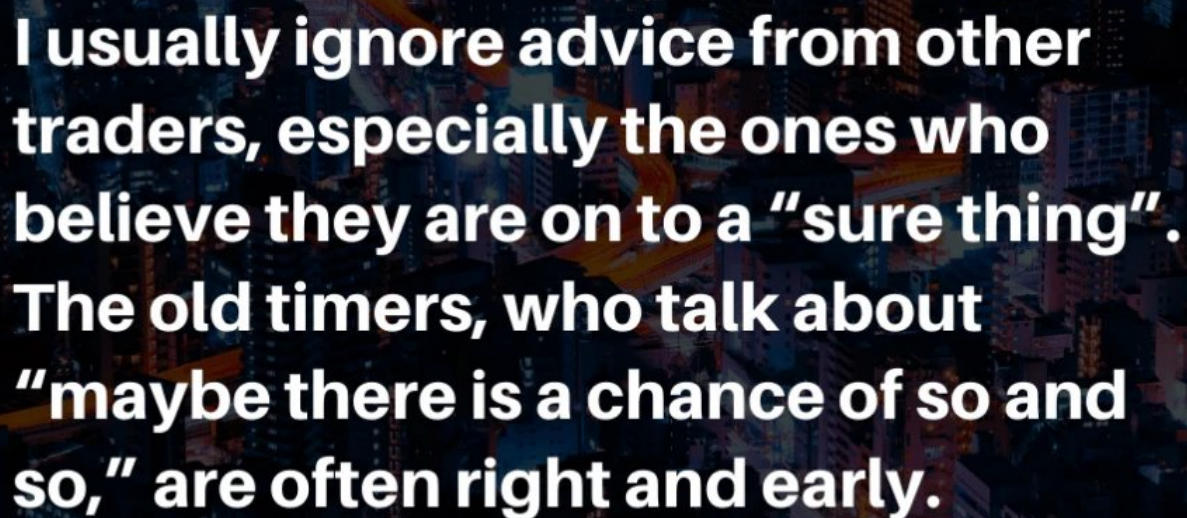
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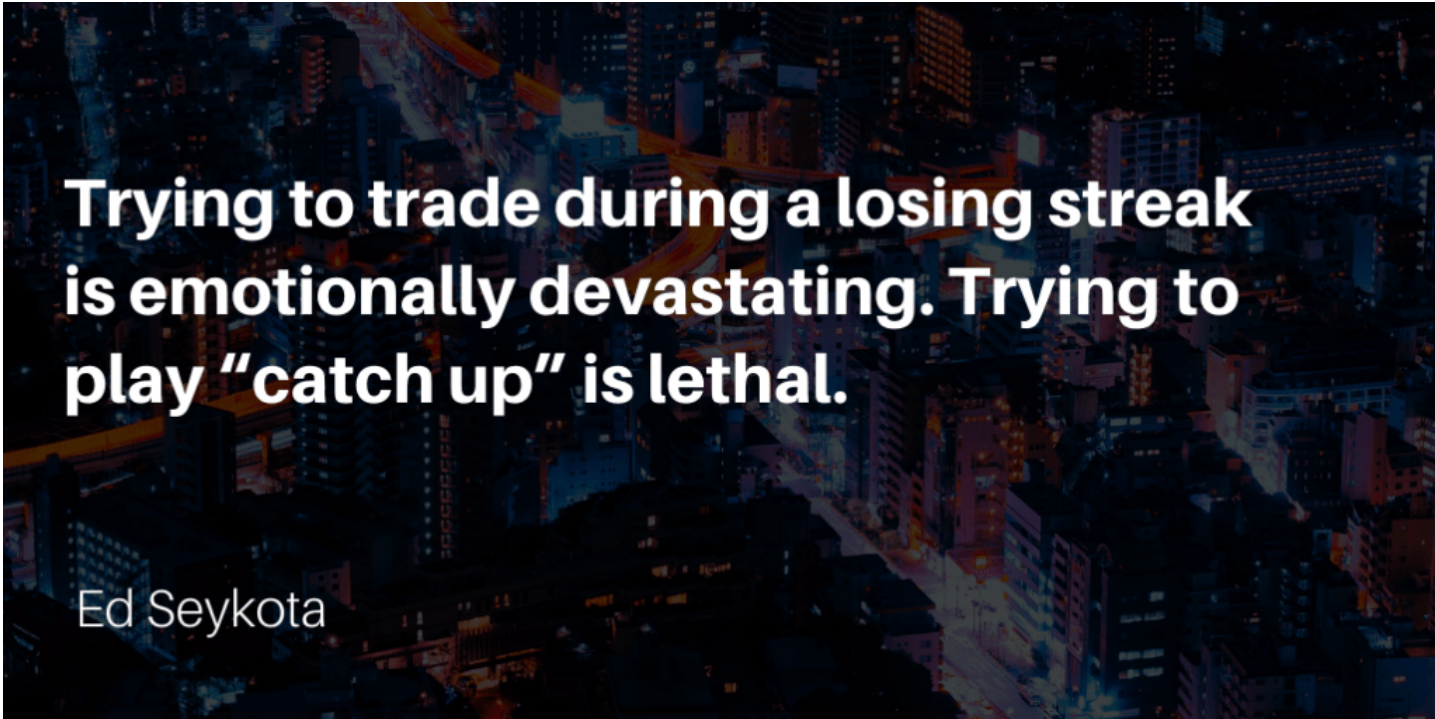
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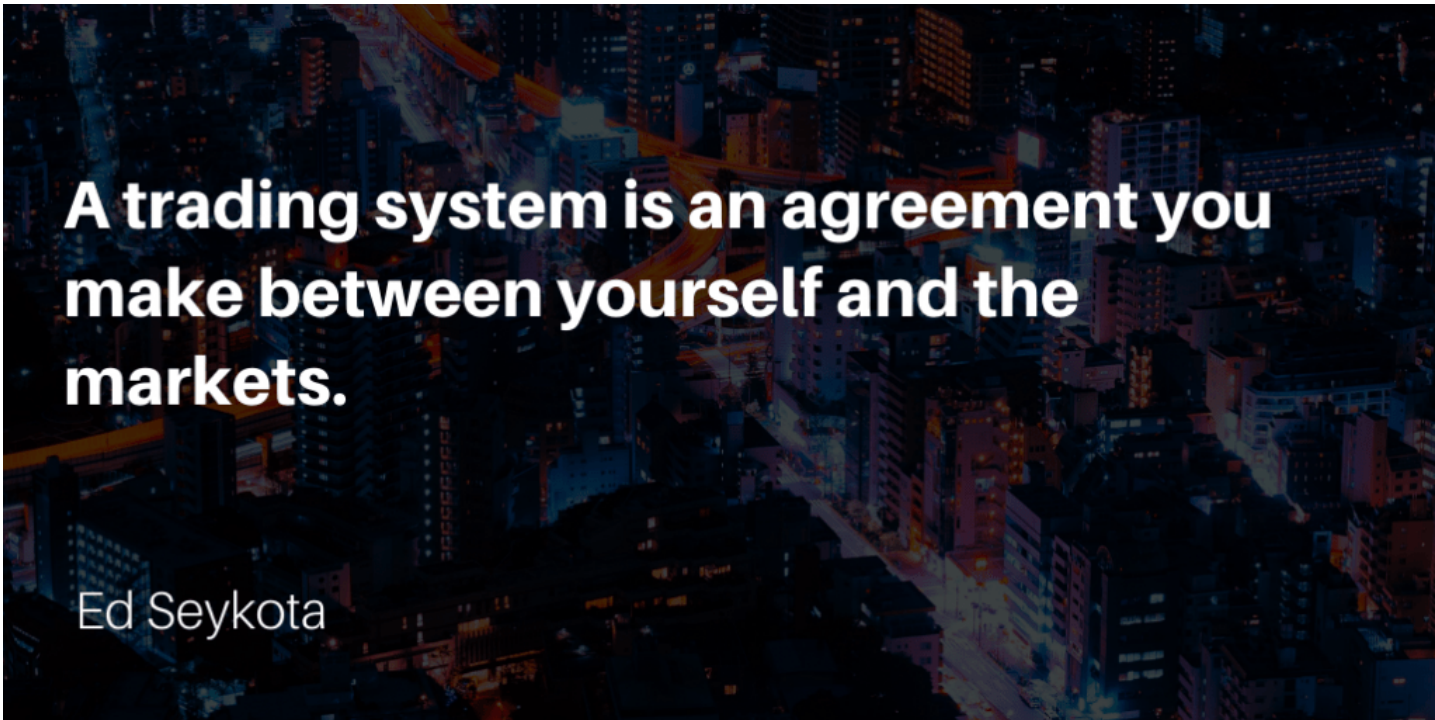
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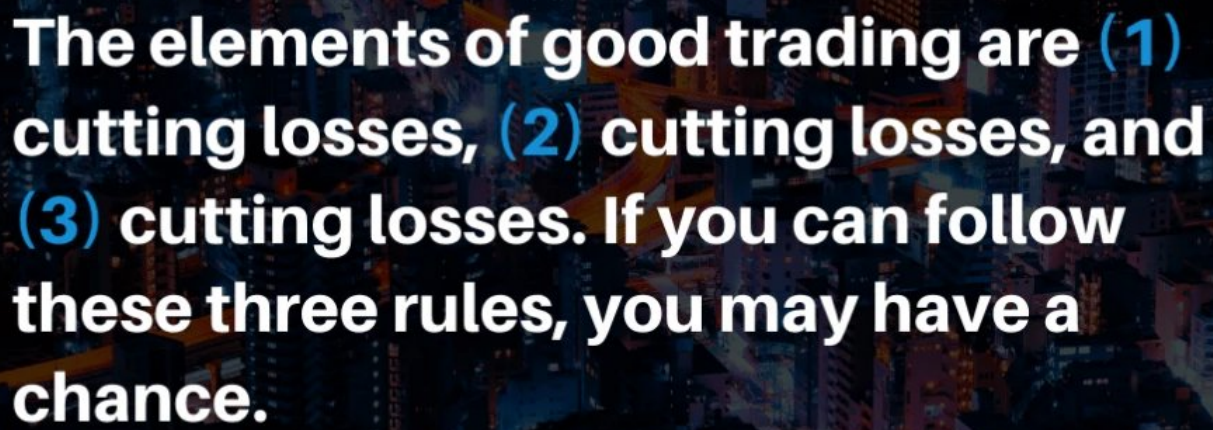
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Here are some pillars to his success:

- Risk Management
- Emotional Control
- Execution of a System
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Master these.

That's a wrap!

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