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REVIEWER REPORT

Manuscript Title:	Sustaining Purpose and Passion: Perspectives of Accomplished Teachers
Type of Article:	Original Article

FIRST ROUND

EDITOR

Comments and Recommendations
The reviewers appreciate the rich narratives in your phenomenological inquiry. However, you must update the abstract to reflect the exact inclusion criteria and the specific challenge themes to guarantee full transparency.

REVIEWER 1

Specific Comments and Recommendations
Please enhance your abstract by explicitly stating the specific geographic location where the research was conducted to provide immediate contextual grounding. You must ensure that Manay North District, Division of Davao Oriental is clearly identified in the summary. Furthermore, you need to explicitly list the specific inclusion criteria for your participants. Make sure to mention the requirement of at least 15 continuous years of classroom instruction directly within the text. Additionally, clarify the exact challenge themes generated by the educators. State explicitly that they navigated an overloaded teaching role, a weak support system, and intense learner and parent demands.

General Comments and Recommendations
This qualitative phenomenological study offers a profoundly insightful and methodologically sound exploration of the resilience and sustained motivation of veteran educators. The reflexive thematic analysis is commendable, yet the initial manuscript requires a much more explicit articulation of the specific experiential themes and inclusion criteria within the abstract to meet the standards of high-impact journals. Clarifying these precise qualitative outcomes will significantly elevate the empirical transparency of your summary. Implementing these comprehensive revisions will firmly establish your research as a substantive contribution to teacher professional development literature.

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REVIEWER 2

Specific Comments and Recommendations
You must put the exact location inside the abstract. State clearly that the study happened in Manay North District. Also, the summary needs the exact participant criteria. Tell the audience that educators needed fifteen years of practice. Next, list the exact problem areas in the text. Add weak support and high demands to the paragraph. The public will appreciate these specific facts when they review the document.

General Comments and Recommendations
The research about veteran educator passion is very relevant. The draft lacks some specific words to be ready for the public. People want exact facts when they read the text. Please add the details I mention below to finish the manuscript.

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