



ASTRONAUT

**SCOTT  
TINGLE**



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00:00:00,208 --> 00:00:04,754  
[ MUSIC ]

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00:00:09,801 --> 00:00:10,218  
>> RIGHT NOW,

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00:00:10,218 --> 00:00:11,386  
AN AMERICAN ASTRONAUT,

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00:00:11,386 --> 00:00:12,637  
A JAPANESE ASTRONAUT,

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00:00:12,637 --> 00:00:14,055  
AND A RUSSIAN COSMONAUT

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00:00:14,055 --> 00:00:15,306  
ARE STRAPPED INSIDE

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00:00:15,306 --> 00:00:17,308  
OF A SOYUZ SPACECRAFT.

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00:00:17,308 --> 00:00:18,435  
>> THERE'S ALWAYS THE, UH,

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00:00:18,435 --> 00:00:19,728  
WHY DID YOU CLIMB THE MOUNTAIN?

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00:00:19,728 --> 00:00:21,271  
BECAUSE IT'S THERE.

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00:00:21,271 --> 00:00:22,731  
WE ALL TRAVEL DOWN THE STREET,

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00:00:22,731 --> 00:00:23,481  
WE LOOK OUT THE WINDOW,

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00:00:23,481 --> 00:00:24,524

WE'RE IN THE BACKYARD,

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00:00:24,524 --> 00:00:25,900

THE MOON'S OUT THERE.

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00:00:25,900 --> 00:00:26,735

YOU CAN'T MISS IT,

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00:00:26,735 --> 00:00:27,694

IT'S BEAUTIFUL,

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00:00:27,694 --> 00:00:29,654

IT'S THERE EVERY DAY.

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00:00:29,654 --> 00:00:30,321

WHY WOULD WE NOT

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00:00:30,321 --> 00:00:31,448

WANT TO GO THERE?

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00:00:31,448 --> 00:00:32,907

WE NEED TO GO THERE.

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00:00:32,907 --> 00:00:34,284

>> ONE MINUTE TEN SECONDS

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00:00:34,284 --> 00:00:35,952

AWAY FROM LIFTOFF.

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00:00:35,952 --> 00:00:37,620

>> I WAS IN, UH, JUNIOR HIGH.

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00:00:37,620 --> 00:00:38,329

THE TEACHER ASKED,

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00:00:38,329 --> 00:00:38,788

"WHAT DO YOU WANT TO BE

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00:00:38,788 --> 00:00:39,789

WHEN YOU GROW UP?"

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00:00:39,789 --> 00:00:40,874

AND EVERYONE WAS SAYING,

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00:00:40,874 --> 00:00:42,125

"I WANT TO BE A PLUMBER,

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00:00:42,125 --> 00:00:43,042

I WANT TO BE AN ARCHITECT,

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00:00:43,042 --> 00:00:44,252

I WANT TO BE AN ACCOUNTANT."

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00:00:44,252 --> 00:00:45,462

AND I SAID,

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00:00:45,462 --> 00:00:47,046

"I WANT TO BE AN ASTRONAUT."

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00:00:47,046 --> 00:00:47,589

AND LITERALLY,

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00:00:47,589 --> 00:00:49,966

EVERYONE IN THE CLASS LAUGHED.

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00:00:49,966 --> 00:00:50,425

BUT THEN, THE TEACHER

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00:00:50,425 --> 00:00:52,093

LOOKED AT ME AND SAID,

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00:00:52,093 --> 00:00:53,428

"RIGHT ON."

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00:00:53,428 --> 00:00:55,221

>> AND LIFTOFF.

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00:00:55,221 --> 00:00:55,972

SCOTT TINGLE,

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00:00:55,972 --> 00:00:57,182

ANTON SHKAPLEROV,

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00:00:57,182 --> 00:00:58,558

AND NORISHIGE KANAI

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00:00:58,558 --> 00:00:59,225

ON THEIR WAY TO

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00:00:59,225 --> 00:01:01,519

THE INTERNATIONAL SPACE STATION.

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00:01:01,519 --> 00:01:02,771

>> LOOK, THIS IS, UH, EVOLUTION.

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00:01:02,771 --> 00:01:03,521

WE DIDN'T ALWAYS

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00:01:03,521 --> 00:01:04,355

HAVE THE TECHNOLOGY

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00:01:04,355 --> 00:01:05,190

AND THE CAPABILITY

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00:01:05,190 --> 00:01:06,316

THAT WE HAVE TODAY.

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00:01:06,316 --> 00:01:06,858

WE DIDN'T ALWAYS

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00:01:06,858 --> 00:01:07,859

HAVE AUTOMOBILES,

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00:01:07,859 --> 00:01:08,735  
WE WEREN'T ALWAYS ABLE

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00:01:08,735 --> 00:01:10,570  
TO JUST JUMP IN A VEHICLE

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00:01:10,570 --> 00:01:12,071  
AND TRAVEL FOR 16 HOURS

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00:01:12,071 --> 00:01:12,614  
AND GET TO THE OTHER

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00:01:12,614 --> 00:01:13,865  
SIDE OF THE COUNTRY.

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00:01:13,865 --> 00:01:15,408  
SO THIS IS THE NEXT STEP

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00:01:15,408 --> 00:01:16,701  
IN EVOLUTION,

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00:01:16,701 --> 00:01:18,661  
TO BE ABLE TO TAKE SYSTEMS

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00:01:18,661 --> 00:01:20,288  
AND HONE OUR PROCESSES

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00:01:20,288 --> 00:01:21,498  
AND GET OUR OPERATIONS DOWN

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00:01:21,498 --> 00:01:22,999  
SO THAT WE CAN SET UP CAMP

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00:01:22,999 --> 00:01:24,000  
ON A PLACE THAT'S DIFFERENT

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00:01:24,000 --> 00:01:25,460

FROM EARTH SO THAT WE CAN

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00:01:25,460 --> 00:01:26,461  
CONDUCT SCIENCE THAT'LL

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00:01:26,461 --> 00:01:28,630  
BETTER HUMAN KIND.

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00:01:28,630 --> 00:01:29,756  
THIS WAS JUST A DREAM WHEN I--

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00:01:29,756 --> 00:01:31,216  
WHEN I FIRST MET MY WIFE.

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00:01:31,216 --> 00:01:32,383  
YOU KNOW, WAS IT GONNA HAPPEN,

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00:01:32,383 --> 00:01:33,343  
WAS IT NOT GONNA HAPPEN?

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00:01:33,343 --> 00:01:34,010  
WHO KNOWS?

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00:01:34,010 --> 00:01:34,803  
BUT WE'RE HERE,

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00:01:34,803 --> 00:01:36,471  
AND WE'RE DOING IT,

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00:01:36,471 --> 00:01:38,473  
AND EVERY STEP WE TAKE

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00:01:38,473 --> 00:01:39,933  
IS BOTH A CHALLENGE

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00:01:39,933 --> 00:01:41,142  
AND A REWARD.

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00:01:41,142 --> 00:01:43,102  
AND TO BE ABLE TO LIVE THAT LIFE

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00:01:43,102 --> 00:01:44,604  
AND-AND LOOK BACK AT THE TRACK

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00:01:44,604 --> 00:01:46,523  
THAT WE USED TO GET HERE

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00:01:46,523 --> 00:01:48,900  
IS, UH, IS JUST AMAZING.

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00:01:48,900 --> 00:01:49,818  
LIFE IS PRETTY BUSY

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00:01:49,818 --> 00:01:50,819  
WHEN YOU HAVE LOFTY GOALS

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00:01:50,819 --> 00:01:52,362  
AND YOU'RE CONSTANTLY FOCUSED,

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00:01:52,362 --> 00:01:53,488  
YOU'RE CONSTANTLY WORKING

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00:01:53,488 --> 00:01:55,031  
TO GET POSITIVE RESULTS.

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00:01:55,031 --> 00:01:56,282  
BUT THAT MOMENT FOR ME

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00:01:56,282 --> 00:01:57,909  
WAS COMING OUT OF THE SOYUZ

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00:01:57,909 --> 00:01:59,577  
ON MY FIRST SPACEFLIGHT

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00:01:59,577 --> 00:02:00,495

AND STANDING ON THE GROUND

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00:02:00,495 --> 00:02:02,205

FOR THE FIRST TIME IN SIX MONTHS

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00:02:02,205 --> 00:02:05,124

AND REALIZING THAT I DID IT.

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00:02:12,715 --> 00:02:14,008

>> IF YOU ENJOYED THIS VIDEO

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00:02:14,008 --> 00:02:14,551

AND WOULD LIKE TO SEE

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00:02:14,551 --> 00:02:16,469

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