

Once upon a time there was a man with a trucking company who needed to hire a new driver. He had 2 applicants for the job. At the interview, the owner of the company asked only 1 question.

- If you were driving on a narrow mountain road, with a full load, on one side you had a 1000 foot cliff drop off. On the other side you had a 1000 foot cliff wall – side of the mountain. Tell me how good a driver you are.

The first applicant answered:

I am so good a driver, and I know my truck so well that I could drive within 2 inches of the edge of the cliff.

The second applicant answered:

I am so good a driver, that I can drive my truck within 2 inches of the side of the mountain. Regardless of the truck I try and stay within 2 inches of the mountain side.

The boss then said to the first applicant – thank you for applying, we don't need your services.

The boss then said too the second applicant – your' hired.

Who would you select?

Why did the Boss select man # 2?

Because: I don't want a dare devil, I want someone who will protect the truck, the goods being hauled and his/her own life. I value safety more than daring.