



## August 2017 – Marisol C.

Marisol lived in San Diego most of her childhood, and made the move to Texas when her mother, a realtor, saw potential and opportunity in the Houston market. Her father enjoyed the restaurant environment, and remained in the industry with the move from San Diego to Houston, and later to Chicago. His experience in the industry rubbed off on Marisol, and encouraged her to find a job within a restaurant when the time was right.

At 17, Marisol started as a host and cashier at Brewingz in Baytown. She later trained for a server, but learned she truly enjoyed being the first impression for every guest. Not only did she enjoy it, but she was good at it. Which in turn, is part of the reason she enjoys it. Two and a half years later, Marisol is now a trainer. She just helped open the newest BreWingZ location at Cr-59 & 288 in Pearland. "Training is the best part of the job. I enjoy teaching," she says, which then leads to her goals of becoming a teacher. "I'd really like to be an elementary teacher. It's such a fun discovery age. Learning should be fun, and I think I can help kids enjoy the process," Marisol has wanted to be a teacher since she was a kid herself.

Although she has future plans to become a teacher, Marisol truly does enjoy the atmosphere of the restaurant industry. In her free time, she enjoys trying out new restaurants with friends, all diverse types of food, in all areas of Houston. She rarely goes to the same place twice, always looking for something new! She often finds herself rating the experience, "When I'm out dining I tend to be a little shy, so when a server can find a way to still include me in the conversation and remain good eye contact, I take notice." She takes the hints and pointers from other restaurant visits to better herself as well.