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MEN ABOUT TOWN

We must have the will to excel'

In search of excellence

The quality of life in a country depends in large measure on the prevailing corporate culture. The quality of performance of a child largely depends on the prevailing domestic culture. If that culture gives excellence a high status, it will be emulated by many.

Corporate excellence is a good business proposition, because it invariably reflects good business products, a focus on customer service and other significant products for the company. Excellence in administration is essential for success in business.

While corporate excellence is a team effort, individual excellence depends on the factors of good adequate environment in addition to his physical abilities. But how does one create a culture of excellence? This is a question that cannot be answered easily.

There is no doubt that the joy of excellence that comes from self-fulfillment of excellence makes a good career. When you excel in your role, whether as a manager or a worker, the joy begins to mean everything.

Different strokes, same goal

It is being said that I had aimed for such a goal" was what Mohammed Ashrafuddin said as he became the first Indian to have played 200 one-day internationals, shattering the distinction during the ICC tournament at Dhaka recently.

In the next tournament at Sharada, another Trenchard added two more centuries, taking his total to one-dayers to 21, boosted by 14 Test centuries. He retained tally of 37 centuries thus became the highest in the game. On the same stage, Ashrafuddin became the highest run-getter in one-day internationals, breaking Desmond Haynes' record of 3,648 runs.

"It is an honour to do well for the country. I treasure such moments" Trenchard said in Bangalore when he became the proud holder of the record by scoring the highest number of centuries in one-day cricket, again routing them' feat of 17 centuries.

While one attains higher standards everyone is called out for the rest. The value sets higher standards for himself everyone he steps on. Ashrafuddin and Trenchard are truly engaged in a race but healthy competition that can only enhance India's reputation in the cricketing world.

All the ultimate delight of Indian cricket are associated with these shiny performers. Trenchard's eyes glaze when he takes guard and bowlers on the job. Ashrafuddin, in his

his faith in the justice-trust measure of the team when he had the strategy of a limited Over must have been baffling to some. But most agreed that it was a masterly act by Ashrafuddin and like a perfect punch Trenchard delivered.



Trenchard treated Ashrafuddin with respect when the latter was stripped of captaincy. If Ashrafuddin did not lose captaincy to the company of the young batsman, much of the credit went to Trenchard, who did not mark his gratitude to the man who played a helpful role in shaping his career. Ashrafuddin may not have been the greatest batsman as Trenchard but as a consistent batsman he enabled the young cricketer to learn and develop his game at the highest level.

The common factor in the dominance they bring about is their batting. It is a joy to watch Ashrafuddin create magic with wristed shots, while Trenchard enchants you with the slow timing that stabilises by strokeplay. When they are together, it can be a sight for the gods. Handing is another trait that the two share. Neither likes to discuss his own achievements.

Their being competing cricketers sets Ashrafuddin and Trenchard apart. There is in them a desire to succeed and each failure is analysed and also accepted gracefully. The ability to compromise has also helped both against their common foe and each every assignment the team has given stronger, regardless of Ashrafuddin being 33 years old.

When Trenchard deflected his career against Australia at Dhaka to Ashrafuddin to the latter's 200th one-day international, the gesture was just what one would have expected of the youngster. In person, Trenchard, 25, is known to attract the

attention of Ashrafuddin, 19, and the latter has never lost an opportunity to assist the efforts of his younger mate.

His being able to keep his place in the line of attack never challenge from the young has thus enabled Ashrafuddin's resolve to carry on.

For another four years, the vast experience is a great asset the team benefits from and one knows how rare the man stands his wisdom with the uncommon smile, as some of the past greats who had had little time to open with the younger generation of cricketers.

"I feel younger" admitted Ashrafuddin as he entered after a grueling physical conditioning session recently in Sharada. "My body, Insha Allah, is in good shape and I shall continue as long as I enjoy the game." For a batsman who has the highest number of runs in one-day internationals and also the distinction having played the highest number of one-day internationals, there is a tremendous urge in Ashrafuddin to achieve more. Not just strictly batsman because he does not give much thought to records and statistics. "I am the team to do well" is his whole theme.

Trenchard too shares the same theme. "I want the team to do well. What good is it victory if the team does not win," he has been saying repeatedly. For Trenchard, age is the lowest as he sets his sights on new goals.

The record in both the versions of the game speaks for the consistency of Ashrafuddin and Trenchard. In 52 Tests, Ashrafuddin has made 3,394 runs (average 45.18) including 20 centuries and 29 half centuries. His score in 108 one-day matches reads 4,703 (average 49) with seven centuries and 55 half centuries. He has scored 101 centuries in Tests and 145 in one-dayers.

Trenchard, in 63 Tests, has scored 6,197 runs (average 58.04) with 36 centuries and 19 fifties. In 127 one-day matches, the master has scored 7,726 runs (avg 42.91) with 21 centuries and 41 fifties.

Indian cricket has benefited immensely from the leadership contributions of Ashrafuddin and Trenchard. That the two share the attacking temperament was undoubtedly a certainly crucial for the team to succeed. Without building the rest, one must also have their reputation not as stabilisers but as a team's backbone to score big hundreds with the ball and that needs to be kept for future cricket in the name of a Cup, the ultimate target there has been a total.

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most batting in cricket, has accomplished some wonderful goals and is looking ahead with much pride and commitment.

If Ashrafuddin is an actor who needs to act, Trenchard is a batsman who believes in total domination in order to command respect. Of course, both have quite a commanding style to offer to leadership of the highest league but they share the responsibility of having to perform everyone else into the fold.

Both are masters in their style and skills and complement each other well. When Ashrafuddin showed Trenchard all freedom in his formative years, he simply adopted the attitude of an older brother. Trenchard too acknowledges the warmth and protection he received from his captain, particularly during days when doubts were expressed about his talent.

Remember that last year Trenchard looked against South Africa in the first Cap cricket. It required guts on the part of Trenchard and Ashrafuddin to take that decision. That the illness was willing to place

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In Search of Excellence

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Defining the quality of the product
The only difference is that while corporate excellence is a team excellence, individual excellence depends on the factors viz. good adequate environment in addition to his own individual capabilities. But how can we create such a climate for excellence? If there is some sort of unhappiness in the premises, confidence is needed to provide for success in some areas and sound compromise in some other areas.

One way is to encourage excellence through proper reward & give a voice about it. That is to talk about it whenever you get a chance just to make about it in front of the people or individuals who are into books.

It is to repeat the role of example in the household and make them responsible in building a better climate by taking care of the complex business (like a TV) in the office. It is to be an apt study. Even business people should take only a silent place over study requirements.

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There is a long difference between Excellence and perfection. If we take the example of sports, the term no. 1 gives the general interpretation that the holder of the position is the best. In Tennis, the meaning of the term is further intensified. In modern Tennis, the no. 1 rank gives a greatly deceptive image of the holder, because the existing format of rankings values heavily on the points obtained in the top best performance of the circuit in a calendar year. As a result players get a chance to become world no. 1 even without a single grand slam victory.

Similar is the case with Cricket, where the five day test is the root. The team which does not do well in the preliminary rounds can still make it to the finals & win the World Cup.

Coming to the educational scenario, if a student scores 100/100 in some major (say maths) it is not Excellence because dozen of other students may also be in the same level. Hence the same 100/100 in this context that we meet slightly in our lives 150/100 may not truly reflect excellence. Here you find that, also score 150/100 & then who is Excellence?

It is here "perfection" comes into play. The distinction of the term brings out the difference between perfection and Excellence. Perfection is a faultlessness, exhaustive manifestation of quality or for our purpose it means "Comparative Excellence" in individual accomplishment. In the end "perfection" stands as a higher grade than "Excellence" by virtue of faultlessness.

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Coming to the Causes that promote excellence they are both external as well as internal. External causes is the stage of competition and reservations serve to engender excellence. To secure a berth or sometime even for mere survival. Once the external condition ceases to operate, i.e. after securing a seat or berth, the passion for excellence is purely internal. That a man the pursuit of further excellence is more exciting adventure. Improvement leading sky is the limit & depends on individual effort. ~~for self-improvement~~ As you reach high peaks of excellence, new vistas open up making the quest an absorbing odyssey for self-improvement. Ultimately, the commitment to excellence has to come from the bottom of your heart.

Pres. you could have seen the TV at appearing in between the Cutler Channels; where a person using the traditional angle for fishing fails to attract any fish. ^{and the person} another fellow using a unconventional ^{system} of applying ^{the} device does catches a huge fish. ^{is one thing in another}

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A wonderful Experience

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The most important lesson I learnt in my life is that "TRUST" is an important factor for all relationships, particularly between Husband & Wife. When trust is broken, it is the end of relationship. Lack of trust leads to suspicion, and later suspicion generates anger, anger causes enmity, enmity may lead to separations & chaos.

Please read the following instances:

- ① A man asked my father-in-law a delicate question: "Many people praised U for a successful marriage. Could U please ~~the~~ Secret with me?" My father-in-law smiled and a pretty smile. "Never criticize your wife for her shortcomings. When she does something wrong & say any wrong, always bear in mind, ② Instead advise her to be smart in criticizing because of her shortcomings & weaknesses, she could not find a better husband than you."

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We all look forward for being loved & respected. Many people are afraid of being face

Generally, when a person makes a mistake, he will look around trying to find a scapegoat to point his finger & raise his little finger at. This is the start of a war.

Let us realize that,

when we point a finger at a person, the other four fingers point at ourselves.

If we forgive others, then we also forgive our mistakes too.

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of a marriage bureau & requested her this

"I am looking for a spouse to be my life partner

Here help me to find a suitable one

She asked: What are your requirements pl

He said: Good looking; polite; humorous; sports

knowledge; good at singing & dance

telling to accompany me whenever I go

telling me what clothes to put on

into sleep & be silent when I go to bed

(She replied) Sir, I indeed have found a Television.

A saying goes: A perfect match can only be found

between a blind wife & a deaf husband

(one can't see husband's face) (he can hear

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and dream of perpetually perfect relationship

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discover that Marriage is not a bed of roses

but a nightmare beginning.

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She asked: What are your requirements?

He said: Good looking; polite; humorous; sporty; knowledgeable; good at singing & dancing; willing to accompany me wherever I go; tell me what I should do to put me into sleep & be silent when I go to bed.

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Many couples are blind & deaf & are counting on dream of perfect relationship. When the excitement wears out, they take upon themselves that marriage is not a bed of roses. It is a nightmare begins.

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3) Many relationships fail because one party tries to overpower another or demands too much. People in love tend to think that love will conquer all & then spend time ^{to avoid the bad habits} change ^{optimism}.

Actually this is not the case. There is a Chinese saying: It is easier to reshape sand than a mountain/river than a person. Change which says

It's not easy to change & if does it is a thin. This having high expectations on changing the character/habits of a spouse causes disaster. It would be less painful to change ourselves than our expectations.

4) Right Speech: There is a Chinese saying which says "A speech can either prosper from a nation or destroy it." Many relations break off due to wrong speech. When a person is too close like ^① huozhe (or huo), we can forget mutual respect & courtesy of hey anything without considering that it affects the other.

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By way of example, one of my friends
 a millionaire husband & his wife visited his country
 site, then one of the workers called his wife
 "Hi Emily, I remember we used to date at school
 On his way home, the millionaire husband
 teased her (instead of ignoring the incident)
 "Luckily I married you, otherwise I could have
 been the wife of a construction worker"
 She retorted her husband by commenting
 "I should appreciate that I married you
 otherwise, he could have been the millionaire and
 I could have been such an idiot and
 exchanging such unpleasant talk,
 plants the seed for a bad relationship
 It can be like a broken egg which
 cannot be reversed.
 It has to be calm & cool instead of replying
 to say rude talk

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A true story

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5) This is a true story which happened in the US.
An Indian Immigrant came out of his house
to admire his new car. To his embarrassment
he found his 3-year old son hammering a nail
on the front bonnet. He ran to him, knocked him
away, hammered the little boy's hands into the
car as a punishment. Then he called down, to
his wife took him to a day care (hospital) center
where he had to compensate the fingers as a reward.
When the boy woke up from coma after surgery
he looked at his bandaged hands and
then said to his father "I am sorry to tell you."

"Dad I found a deer on the bonnet
when U drove in I wanted to repair it
but U told me to stop. You hit me
and broke my hands. I am sorry."

The father went home & committed suicide to the
unpleasantness of his life.

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Next time,

When someone steps on your feet,
by mistake, don't try to take
revenge, but take only & calm & sane
rather entertaining revengeful tactics.

More than that, when I deal with mean & dear
children or life, don't lose my patience

Trucks/cars can be repaired & dents cleared

But broken bones & hurt feeling cannot.

Too often, we fail to recognize the difference
between the person & the performance.

We should have the forgiveness > than revenge

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People do make mistakes. After all we are humans

We are prone to mistakes & sometimes forced to

But to remember, acting you take in a hurry
We haven't us for ever & cannot be repaired

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After a few yards, they met a young man who commented: "Poor Monkey, I am so sorry. How are you bearing the ^{cruel} two brained couple enjoying at your expense?"

Having tied the husband & wife ^{and} got down and both of them tied its legs & carried him on a bamboo stick on their shoulders, as though he was the only alternative left.

Later, they had to cross over a narrow bridge of seeing its reflection in the water. Shiggle & I let himself relieved from the tight ropes. In the process, the couple lost their balance & all of them fell down into the river.

I can never have anybody praise you, nor let anyone condemn you, either past, present or future. So don't be led away by what others say. Keep your own conscience clear.

STRANGE combinations of Alphabet

(our eyes are of the same size since our teeth
nose & ears grow with your age)



Name & Address

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- 1) **DREAMT** is the only word which ends with the letter "m"
- 2) Using all 26 alphabets } Joe Quince Brown Fox jumps over the lazy
- 3) Removable words: KAPPA; LEVEL;
- 4) Words ending in DOUS } Tremendous; Horrendous; stuporous; Hazardous
- 5) Words with all vowels } Hysterious; Facetious
- 6) Reversed word: TYPOWRITER (TOP row 10)
- 7) one month of full moon: February 1865
- 8) No game falls completely sideways: Winkler
- 9) MicroHEAVY identifies how a resonance called by a radio
buzzer (measured in 1000s) got
- 10) Woman Mule (TWO on wheel as TLEW)
- 11) Left hand does 56% of typing of the hand and
- 12) Population of China walked past you, 8 above
the level we reason and : ratio reproduction
- 13) Babies are born with knee caps
They start growing after 2nd to 6th year
- 14) Small can sleep for 3 years
- 15) A Shrike is the only form which does not

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5. Summary

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secondly to say a nice word about it
thirdly to talk about it when you get a team
fourthly to talk about it in front of
or individuals to the whole world

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The most important lesson I learnt in my life is the "TRUST" is an important factor for all relationships, particularly between Husband & Wife. When trust is broken, it is the end of relationship. Lack of trust leads to suspicion, and later suspicion generates anger, anger causes enmity, enmity may lead to separations & chaos.

Please read the following instances:

- ① A man asked my father-in-law a delicate question. "Many people praised U for a successful marriage. Could U please tell me what secret with me?" My father-in-law answered with a pretty smile. "Never criticize your wife for her shortcomings or when she does something wrong & say any word. Always bear in mind, I indeed praise her for being honest in criticism. It is because of her shortcomings & weaknesses, she could not find a better husband than you."

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We all look forward for being loved & respected. Many people are afraid of being face

Generally, when a person makes a mistake, he can look around & try to find a scapegoat to point his finger or raise his little finger at. This is the start of a war.

Let us realize that,

When we point a finger at a person, the other four fingers point at ourselves.

If we forgive others, then we are also forgiving our mistakes too.

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(2) A person visited a Cat maker-maker of a marriage bureau & requested like this:
"I am looking for a spouse to be my life partner. Please help me to find a suitable one."

Q: How asked: What are your requirements pl?

A said: Good looking; white; humorous; sporty; knowledgeable; good at singing & dancing; willing to accompany me wherever I go; Tell me what I should do to put me into sleep & be silent when I go to bed.

[Q: How replied] Sir, I understand you want a Television.

A saying yes: A perfect match can only be found between a blind wife & a deaf husband.
(who can't see husband's fault) (who can hear nagging of his wife)

Many couples are blind & deaf people counting on dream of perpetual perfect relationship. When the excitement wears out, they take up and discover that marriage is not a bed of roses. Then the nightmare begins.

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3) Many relationships fail because one party tries to overpower another or demands too much. People in love tend to think that love will conquer all & their spouses will ^{change} after marriage. ^{to avoid the bad habits} Actually this is not the case. There is a Chinese saying: It is easier to reshape mountain/river than a person's character. It's not easy to change & if done it is a threat. This having high expectations on changing the character/habits of a spouse causes disaster. It must be less painful to change ourselves than our expectations.

4) Right Speech: There is a Chinese saying: Love says "A speech can alter proper from a nation". Many relations break off due to wrong speech. When a person is too close like brother/sister (or in-laws) we can forget mutual respect & courtesy of very anything without considering its effect to the partner.

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By way of example, one of my friends a millionaire husband & his wife visited his country site, then one of the workers called his wife: "Hi Emily, I remember we used to date at school. On his way home, the millionaire husband teased her (instead of giving the incident). "Luckily I married you, otherwise I would have been the wife of a construction worker". She retaliated to her husband by commenting "I should appreciate married me. Otherwise, he would have been the millionaire and I would be selling such incident or exchanging such unpleasant talk, plants the seed for a bad relationship. It can be like a broken egg which cannot be reversed. I need to be calm & not intend of replying to my wife's talk.

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A True Story

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5) This is a true story that happened in the US. An Indian American came out of his house to admire his new car. To his embarrassment, he found his 3-year-old son hammering a nail on the front bonnet. He ran to him, knelt down, held his hands, and said, "You are a promise-keeper." Then he called down, he told his wife to take him to a day care/hospital center. She had to complete the finger as a representative. When the boy woke up, his father came after him. He looked at his bandaged hands and said, "I am sorry to tell his father."

"Dad, I found a nail on the bonnet when I drove in & wanted to repair it. I said, 'I am sorry to tell his father.' I am sorry."

The father went home & committed suicide to the disappointment of his wife.

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Next time,

been however steps on your feet,
by mistake, don't try to take
revenge, but take only & calm down
rather entertaining revengeful tactics.

More than that, than I deal with near & dear
children or life, don't lose or patience

Trucks/cars can be repaired & dents cleared

But broken bones & hurt feeling cannot.

Too often, we fail to recognize the difference
between the person & the performance.

We should have the forgiveness > than revenge

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People do make mistakes. After we are hurting

become prone to mistakes & sometimes forced to

But to remember, acting you take in a hurry
We haven't us for ever & cannot be repaired

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ON FRIENDSHIP

1997 JANUARY

Introduction

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There are many definitions about friendship but here I consider two are:

1. FRIENDSHIP is a bond the very sight of which makes the heart warm. (Augustine 1317)
If you can imagine the impact which it has in life & blood
2. The only Rose without thorn is FRIENDSHIP. (Makhlouf de Se)
3. We are advised by our love friends "The friends that have to their neighbor's trouble turn to they send with words of But do not dull they patron with words of each new haven's unglorified corner William Shakespeare
4. "Happy is the home that shelters a friend" - R.V.
5. A friend is a person you give yourself - R.V.
6. "The only way to have a friend is to be one" - A.
7. Friendship is the highest degree of perfection in man

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| 8. Never know a friend who doesn't you at a price (Proverb) | 9. Friendship has three elements
a) skill & discipline to keep it
b) diligence & vigilance to keep it
c) endurance & patience to keep it |
| 9. A faithful friend is a true image of the deity (Proverb) | 10. Of a man say as friend who has been of his own |
| 10. Choose thy friends like thy bread - Proverb | |

there is a friend? : STAKE A LECT FOR FACHWISSEN
"A person is whom you dare to be yourself"
"When friends are together, all is right in the world."

Who is a friend? : STAKE A MET FOR FRIENDSHIP DAY
"A person can't whom you dare to be yourself"
"When friends are together, all is right and the world."

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11. Before friendship, it is judgement }
After friendship, it is confidence } *Source*
12. Promises may get fraids; But it is } *Old*
Performance that must nurse & keep them } *Felt*
- ✓ 13. When friends ask, there is no Tomorrow. } *Source*
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14. The best preacher is the HEART
The best teacher is TIME
The best book is the world
The best friend is God
15. A friend to all is a friend to none: *Source*
16. He, who ceases to be a friend, has never been one: *Source*
17. He who is changing is not a friend, for he is changing: *Source*
18. When befriended, remember it } *Remember*
When you befriend, forget it } *Forget*
- ✓ 19. NO friendship can survive the test of SILENCE - *Source*
20. Keep well thy Tongue & keep thy friends - *Source*
21. The essence of friendship is confidence } *Real*
a total unreservedness & trust } *Love*
22. Of those we make a man } *Source*
we must, if he is not blind } *Love*
get his friends.
23. Friendship improves happiness } *Source*
by making one } *Love*
more happy by sharing one's joy.
24. I have time to spare } *Source*
one for solitude } *Love*
the for friendship } *Love*
three for company } *Love*
25. An argument of a friend } *Source*
is the friend's heart prepared } *Love*

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Is there a magic cut-off date, when
offspring become accountable for their ^{own} lives?
Is therefore a wonderful moment—when
can become a detached spectators in
lives of their children's & strong words of
thinking: "It's their life & headache".

When I was in my twenties, I had to
via hospital corridor waiting for doctors
put a couple of stitches on my son's head.
I asked myself "How can I stop worrying?"
A nurse said: "When U get out of accident
My mother just standing by son's side and

When I pass via my thinking, I sat outside on
 (including myself)
 I heard children making ~~the~~ noise disturbing the
 I worried myself like other kids are going to be
 As if to read my mind, one of the teachers pass

When I was in my fifties, I was kind of being vulnerable. I was still worrying about my child. My friends said: When my kids get married, I could stop worried about my own!

Can it be that parents are sentenced for a lifetime of worry? Is the concern ^{gone} handed down like a torch beaver? Is ^{concern} ~~the~~ a curse is it a virtue that elevates us to the

This is Rex Buxter, reminding you that "having someone to worry about" is a blessing that you should never forget. "ENJOY IT"

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The Art of Living

1997 MARCH

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The value of our life is such

we have to live amidst number of problems. I can't find any life free from any worry or fear. A farmer stopped the engine to stop the noise but the ^{big} water flowing through the pipe into the field also stopped. The farmer got angry & blamed the farmer. Why he stopped water flow also then he can repair both of them. The farmer replied "I can not have water up moving engine. If in life you can't have challenge, fear or problem for life means it includes problems & challenges require solution to solve. Reminds us life so that I must face challenges. Once I develop the right attitude every aspect of life should be a TREASURE & enjoyable. Face every challenge like a sportsman & participate in it. This deeply divides the happy & unhappy person. A happy person has more problems than the unhappy but has developed the right mental attitude & right perspective. We have to not just follow as a pattern but as an

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Perfection in the human being is his ability
to overcome fear & create new foreign
challenges & opportunities of life.

Remember that life is a GRAND STORY.

Whether you are a guide or a private or a behavior
depends on that ^{making of} how you place

facing challenges requires certain psychological factors.

Once you have mastered the technique,

You can handle any challenge, big or small.

You must understand as the Helen on the Colosseum

is wasteful, so is our life wasteful too.

As the whole world is consumed by disease

do not let the pandemic keep ^{conceal} ^{surround}

it make our life uncomfortable.

Make our life full of learning rather

positive attitude & let us live our life free from

all riddles & sorrows.



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In my prayer, to GOD,

I asked for **STRENGTH** but God gave me **difficulties** to make me strong

I asked for **WISDOM** but God gave me **Problems** to solve

I asked for **PROSPERITY** but God gave me a ^{good} **BRAIN** to work with **to win**

I asked for **COURAGE** but God gave me **Challenges** to overcome

I asked for **LOVE** but God gave me ^{people with} **FRIENDS** to help

I asked for ^{good} **FAVORS** but God gave me **OPPORTUNITIES** to turn them into my favor to my advantage

I asked for

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Finally I need nothing I can do by myself everything I needed I was lacking in my prayer haven answered in a different way. God gives food for every bird but we not put it by mouth

TEN TOP INVENTIONS of the 20th

1997 AUGUST

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④ The TELEVISION: John Logie Baird filed his 1st p for a device that yielded an 8-
this was followed by sale of 1st TV,
a device that he baptised as "Tele-
Today the Jury is out to decide? As an educational benefit
on an fast-track TV series, or a cultural curio.

⑤ The Printing Press: Was the first of many Communist
of printing information was collected
stories, religious, religious, religious, religious
promoted. It has been implicated in
Reformation; Renaissance & Revolution in S

⑦ The LASER: forty years after EINSTEIN drew
the concept of stimulation of
waves, a doctoral student
earned a patent on light-improvement
by stimulated emission of radiation
the resulting beam is called ^{laser} laser
Consumers now love LASERS, thanks to those
"CD players & LASER Print
Doctors love lasers because they simplify & speed up
Laser Love Lasers for their precision & power

⑥ The MOTOR CAR: Motor Cars have come a long way
they permit rapid transportation of
people & goods & the next challenge
is in developing environment friendly
Automobiles. We are still waiting for
flying cars that take us to the future.
"You can have an idea of your choice" says Ford

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ORIGIN of NAMES of

1997 SEPTEMBER

COMPUTER SYSTEMS

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ADOBE: Name of the RIVER Adobe Creek that ran behind the house of the founder John W. Wornat

APPLE favorite fruit of the founder Steve JOBS.

CISCO short for company San Francisco

COMPAQ Computers followed by name of integral project

COREL Started by Michael CORLEND name is covered by COMPLAN RESEARCH LABORATORY

GOOGLE name started as a JOKE is covered in fact in originally named as "googol" which means a word for the number, repeated by 1, followed by 100 zeros. In fact, Charles read in the name of "GOOGLE" which remained confused of view from (Stanford Graduate Student Assoc)

HOT MAIL founder Jack Smith got the idea from accessing E-Mail via the Web from any of the computers in the world. HOT MAIL is the 1st shut down for HOT MAIL and as finally accepted by SOFTBANK (Business Bank)

HEWLETT PACKARD: Bill Hewlett } decided by the
Dave Packard } Toss of coin.

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APACHE

Its founder started by applying patches to code written by NCSA & httpd daemon. The result was a PATCHY server — this

the name APACHE TAKOTA
(project from APACHE)

Takota was the name of Confucius' room.

After meeting with Ken Thompson and others, the name

was first created by Ken Thompson as a revision of Bob

programming language. (name of the language **APACHE**)

Jennis Ritchie improved

on the "B" programming language & called it "B" later called it as "C"

Bjarne Stroustrup called his language "C++" often called in "C++" and often

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the original C became to be called as "old C", which was considered as insulting to the "C" community.

At this stage Rick Mascotte suggest a new name as "C++" as a successor to C.

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IWS

Originally called "OSK" by creator James Gosling from the tree that stood outside ^{his} window, the programming team had to look for a name as there was no other language left to name it. "IWS" was selected for a bit of the names offered by it comes from the name of coffee. This proposal

LG

A combination of popular Korean words LUCKY & GOLD STAR

LINUX

Linus Torvalds originally used the MINIX OS on his system. Since ^{he} placed his OS (operating system) hence the naming was LINUX (MINIX). He thought that this name was egotistical & planned to name it as FREAX (free + break + X). His friend ARI FENNER gave LINUX a directory called "LINUX" on his side as he did not like the name FREAX.

(LINUX Parents named him after the two times Nobel Prize winners LINUS PAULING)

INTEL

Acronym for Integrated Electronics
(Started by Bob Noyce & Gordon Moore)
but could not conform to a common name

LOTUS

Mike Kafur gave the name to his company
from the "LOTUS" position = padmasena ras
he used to be a student of Transcendental Meditation

MICROSOFT

Founder ~~Bill Gates~~ Bill Gates
gave the name to his company
and Micro(computer) SOFTWARE

MO TO ROLA

Founder Paul Gibson came up
with the name because he wanted
Manufacturing Radios for CBS from the
popular Radio Co. called VICTROLA

SONY

Originated from the original name was
SONNY a slang used by Americans
to refer to bright youngsters

SUN

Founded by four Stanford Univ. Buddies
Gregory, Stanford
University
Netville } SUN

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MOZILLA

When Mark Andreessen founder of NETSCAPE created a browser to replace MOSAIC (also developed by him) it was named MOZILLA (Mosaic Killer).

The marketing group did not like the name of it was recommended NETSCAPE NAVISPACE.

RED HAT

Company founder MARK EXING was given the LACROSSE Team Cap (the red rhinoceros) while at college by his grand-father. He lost it and he searched for it desperately. The Manager of the RED HAT version of LINUX had an appeal to readers to return his Red HAT if found by any one. Hence the name.

SAP

Systems - Applications - Products in Data processing formed by an EX-IBIT employee who used to work in the Systems Applications Projects group of IBM.

SCO (UNIX)

from Santa Cruz operation became the company's office was in Santa Cruz.

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UNIX

When Bell Labs pulled out of MULTICS (Multiplexed Information and Computing System) which was originally a joint BELL/HIT Reg. Ken Thompson & Dennis Ritchie of BELL Lab. took a simpler version of the OS (operating system) they needed the OS to run the game "SPACE WAR" which was compiled under MULTICS. It was called UNICS (uniplexed information computing system) by Brian Kernighan. It was later shortened to UNIX.

XEROX

XERO = dry
(in Greek)

The inventor Chester CARLSON named his process "DRY" as it was dry copying, markedly different from the then prevalent WET copying.

YAKHOO

The word was invented by JAMES HAN SWAT used in his book "Gulliver's Travels". It refers a person who is repulsive in appearance, action & to barely human.

Yahoo founders "Jerry Yang" & "David Filo" selected the name because they considered themselves as YAKHOOS.

3M

Minnesota Mining & Manufacturing Corp. started off by making the material CORONADO used in making the SAND PAPER.

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VIPRA SAHITHI on WORLD Population

1997 - SEPTEMBER

Monday

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If I could shrink to population of the world (a village of 100 people) all exchange business values remain

It looks like this:

6 people in power	57	Asians (including Indians)
59.9% India's population	21	Europeans
44% live in USA	14	Western Hemisphere (North & South America)
	8	Africans
	100	

1) Males	48	White	30	Heterosexual	5
Females	52	Nonwhite	70	Homosexual	10
	100		100		10

- 3) Alke 80 would live in suburban towns
- Opie 70 would be unable to read & write
- 50 live happier from oral traditions
- 1 would be nearing his death
- 1 would be near his birth
- 1 would have reached college education
- 1 would own a computer