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Leslie February, 2012

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This book is dedicated to my parents, Audrey and Al Fieger, who brought me into this world, gave me so great a head start on the adventure, were there to support me when I stumbled, celebrated my successes and are still my cheerleaders. My parents are my heroes.

They grew up during the great depression and were able to come out of that difficult time, forge a path for themselves and build a life of substance, plus create an attitude of open ended possibilities for their nine children.

Amongst the hundreds of books in my house, as I was growing up, were such success classics as Napoleon Hill's <u>Think and Grow Rich</u>, Dale Carnegie's <u>How to</u> <u>Win Friends and Influence People</u> and even that great LP recording from Earl Nightingale, <u>The Strangest Secret</u>.

I also grew up listening to Harry Belafonte sing <u>The</u> <u>Banana Boat Song</u> "Come Mr. Tally man, tally me banana..." and other calypso songs.

It is no wonder I now live in the Caribbean and write books about creating success.

Thanks Al and Audrey for everything.

# This book is also dedicated to you, the reader. I hope it serves you.

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#### Introduction

#### **Your Masterpiece**



It is not my objective, in these pages, to merely inspire and/or motivate you to create success and fulfillment. It is, rather, my intention to supply you with the methodology to actually create that success and find that fulfillment. I think that the desire to have more success is already latent in your heart and the ideal of greater personal fulfillment lies quiescent in your mind.

I believe that it is an inherent and important aspect of human nature to want to be, to do and to have more. It is this intrinsic urge that has brought us from being simple proto-humans searching for daily sustenance to becoming advanced intellectual creatures who are capable of building orbiting space stations, defining the human genetic code, creating previously unimagined wealth and so much more.

This same urge that drove Alexander and Napoleon, Michelangelo and Shakespeare, Isaac Newton and Albert Einstein, Andrew Carnegie and Richard Branson, Marco Polo and Ferdinand Magellan, is as natural a part of your personality as is the urge to procreate.

I also believe that, although we each innately desire to be, to do and to have more, we are each, unfortunately, largely constrained (limited) in our ability to achieve this "more" by our existing paradigms.

A paradigm, as I use the term here, is a set of experiences, beliefs, values and assumptions that affect the way an individual perceives reality and responds to that perception.

In other words, your assumed and unexamined personal beliefs and individual predominant methods of thinking may actually be holding you back from fulfilling your potential to self-actualize and to create massive personal success.

Since we are, each of us, limited by our assumed paradigms; in order to reach these higher levels of attainment, achievement, accomplishment and fulfillment that we desire, we need to decide to let go of these limiting mindsets and somehow figure out how to adopt more allowing and enabling belief systems.

Each person who desires to self-actualize needs to learn and apply a new Prosperity Paradigm in order to be all that he is capable of being, to do all that she is capable of doing in order to have all that he desires to have in order to maximize her experience of, and enjoyment of, the great gift of being alive on Planet Earth.



More importantly, each of us cannot fulfill our purpose to be contributory to the future of our species unless we maximize our individual capacity to be, to do and to have more of what is available to us.

Since what is available to us is only limited by our own imaginations, we each need to expand our ability to imagine and to train ourselves to expect so much more. Our ability to imagine is defined (limited) by our paradigms. Want more? Change your paradigm!

This book was written to empower you to free yourself from the mental and emotional limitations (that you may not even be aware of having) that are holding you back from being, doing and having all that you desire and deserve to be, do and have. And, much more importantly... to free yourself from the mental chains that may very well be preventing you from getting the joy, personal fulfillment and empowerment from your already existing, but under-appreciated, achievements.

I have a profound faith in the potential of the human creature to not only evolve naturally over time, both as a species and as individuals; but also to take intentional control of our own personal evolution and selffulfillment in order to radically transform our lives in any given moment.

At the very least, those of us who are fortunate enough to have satisfied the first two levels of basic human needs as identified by <u>Abraham Maslow</u> (see Appendix 1), are free, if we choose, to undertake the journey to conscious self-actualization; and as such, are capable of creating both a spectacular immediate success for ourselves and a valuable lasting legacy for our fellows.

Of course, you can be willing to change, to transform yourself, in order to have that more that you imagine is possible; but you also need a bit more than just the intense desire and the profound willingness. You also need the system that will take you there. You need the defined technology. You need the proven path to follow.

I am going to assume that, since you have read this far, you have the willingness, the desire and, maybe even, the commitment that is necessary to undertake this change in paradigms from scarcity to abundance, from paucity to prosperity. And that, perhaps the only thing you lack is the proven methodology of personal transformation (or technology of success) that will take you from where you are to where you want to go. If so, please continue to read on; because in the pages that follow is the time-tested, proven and very real system that has produced enormous success for tens of thousands of other people, who, just like you, decided to take control of their own lives and of their own success and happiness.

All that you need to do now in order to make it work for you, as it has for so many people before you, is to actually apply it to the way you live your life, day-by-day and moment-by-moment.

There is an old saying that goes something like... "You can feed a man for a day by giving him a fish; but you can feed a man for a lifetime by teaching him how to fish." True enough, potentially, but the sad bigger truth is that you can teach a man how to fish, but he will still starve if he does not actually go fishing. The trained fisherman who sits on the beach and stares at the sea will still go hungry.



The knowledge that you need to create the success you desire is here in these pages. However, the application of this knowledge is entirely up to you. Only you can make it real. It is always up to you to launch the boat, put to sea and drop your lines in the ocean of pure potential.

This knowledge of how to create success is not theoretical. It has been proven over and over again by the direct application of so many people. This is not a hypothetical philosophy. This is not some empty motivation. It is a very real and applicable technology. It is up to you to put it to use to construct the life of your dreams, like so many before you have already done. Will you? Only you can make that choice.

No matter what we each do in life... homemaker, business person, architect, engineer, painter, author... our own life is our greatest work of art. We can, by the choices we make, either create an original masterpiece or an unremarkable paint-by-numbers piece.

Each of us has the potential to create a wondrous masterpiece; yet so many people end up with the off-the-shelf art, the velvet painting version of life, simply because they don't have the tools needed to create the masterpiece. That is sad.



What is even sadder is when those people who do have the necessary tools do not use them, or use them poorly.

A hammer and chisel are two simple tools. Almost anyone can use them to break apart a marble floor. Michelangelo used these same tools to create the glorious Statue of David, the sublime Pieta and many other great works of art. The tools and techniques that you need to create a masterpiece of success for yourself are right here in this book. I urge you to put them to use. They will produce results. If your intention is clear, your resolve is firm, your ideal is grand and your desire is strong enough, you can use these tools to create that great work of art called a happy, successful, fulfilling and contributory life.

It is possible that you may have previously read, heard or come across some, or all, of the ideas, tools and techniques you will find in these pages.

Almost everyone has the same tendency when they come across some familiar information: they say to themselves, "oh yeah, I already know that," and they then stop reading, stop listening, skip over or dismiss the idea.

So, yes, even though you may be familiar with some of the ideas in this book, I urge you to read it slowly, completely and carefully. Perhaps, even more than one time. Familiarity with something does NOT denote knowledge of something. You demonstrate your knowledge by your application of it.

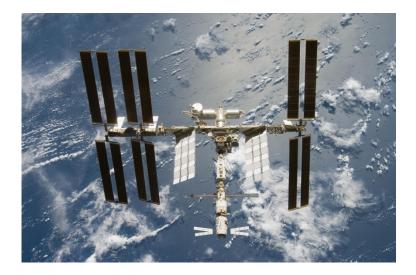
For example, you can read a <u>recipe for lasagna</u> in a cookbook; you can listen to your grandma tell you how to make it; you can even tell when you are eating a good lasagna or a mediocre one. But you will not know how to cook a great lasagna until you get into the kitchen and use the tools and apply the recipe. It is the application that denotes true knowledge and understanding rather than mere familiarity.

You may be familiar with the <u>recipe for success</u>, but unless you have already created all the success you desire to have, you either have not applied the information to the way you live your life; or, you have not practiced it enough to create that great lasagna (success).

So, please read the formula/recipe again, even if you think that you are familiar with it. You may have missed some critical nuance (like that teaspoon of oregano) that is a necessary component.

Enjoy your reading. May it taste better than the best lasagna you've ever eaten. Once you've read this recipe, get into the kitchen and start cooking up your very own success story. Make the application; create your masterpiece.





"Dream lofty dreams, and as you dream, so you shall become. Your vision is the promise of what you shall one day be; your ideal is the prophecy of what you shall at last unveil." ~ James Allen

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