

“Jack Welch inspired me to dream BIG”

When you were reborn, you would like to be born as?
 My next birth I would like to take myself to the next level of self development.

What is the best compliment you have ever received?
 I can't say if it is the best or not, but people say that I am a nice person to be around. I think I am a good friend to people. Generally I do not believe in taking, but I do appreciate paying compliments.

What is the most memorable event of your life?
 When I became an entrepreneur.

Your idol in life?
 My professional role model is Jack Welch, ex CEO of GE. His achievements really inspire me to dream big in life.

What is that one thing that you would like to change in yourself?
 It would be my inability to set my priorities right. I face this challenge every morning.

Most embarrassing moment?
 I am a very cautious person and avoid such situations. However, there have been a few instances

where my act of over selling and the subsequent customer's query embarrassed me.

Your favorite author and book?
 Ram Charan is my favorite. I like reading all his books; but my favorites are 'Every Business Is a Growth Business' and 'Confronting Reality'.

What are your hobbies?
 Reading, writing and photography.

Five things you cannot live without?
 Family, books, traveling, selling and staying in touch with my friends.

Where do you see yourself five years down the line?
 I would be enjoying life after retirement. I might also take up teaching or training in future.

Your advice to upcoming entrepreneurs?
 Honesty, sincerity and transparency. Adequate planning and careful sourcing of funds is also necessary. All of these have to synchronize well. People generally do not take proper care of their customers. One must treat his customers, stakeholders and employees equally.

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