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HOW TO MIND YOUR OWN BUSINESS



AS AN EMPLOYEE,
CREATE INCOME FLOW,

INCREASE YOUR WEALTH AND ASSET COLUMN

AND STILL KEEP YOUR JOB.

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My Journey

During the past 10 years I've had the privilege of working with an incredibly diverse group of people, from different countries to different professionals, from managers, Artist, to high-powered business executives.

I've had the unique opportunity to see people in the midst of real challenges, whether it's the professional who wants to regain his competitive edge, the business leader who wants to expand her influence or the political leader who struggles with a difficult decision.

I understand that I may not have all the answers to change everything but after working with so many people and observing the patterns that make them succeed or fail, one thing I am sure of is this: It is our decisions, not our conditions, that determine the quality of our lives.

Lets take a look at your own life.

Are you where you want to be? Are you as healthy or financially secure or as happy in your relationships as you would like to be? Or, even if things are going well, are you looking for that extra edge to retain the competitive advantage? Perhaps you feel that in spite of your success, there's more out there for you, but for some reason, you haven't grasped it yet.

Your first instinct may be to blame the present economic situation of your country e.g. in Nigeria, or the government, your employer or someone who has treated you unfairly, right?.

Well, that shouldn't be our instant judgement, but before we go any further, we need to understand that we are where we are today because of the decisions we've made—decisions about what to focus on, decisions about where to place our priorities, decisions about what we want in life. Therefore do you feel that you are being punished

or challenged to find a new path? What are you going to do about it? Are you going to give up or give more? No matter what we have experienced in the past, our history should not be our destiny—we all have the power to make new decisions today.

Here's another way to look at it: Success is a result of good judgment; good judgment is a result of experience, in most cases. And what about experience? Yes, experience is most often a result of bad judgment.

So here's the good news: The experience gained from bad judgment and bad decisions is unbelievably valuable—it's priceless! So don't waste time beating yourself up over poor decisions you've made; learn from the experiences. Really, failure is actually one of the best ways we learn.

So why is it that when people succeed, they celebrate. When they fail, they ponder? Why don't they stop and think, What happened here? What could I have done differently? It's only through self-evaluation that we learn how to make better decisions. So, when you make mistakes, learn from them; use your experience to improve your judgment and make better decisions.

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Now lets come down to real business of why we are here today.

Let me ask you this, how often have you made this mistake after graduating from the higher institution?

The mistake we often make after learning a skill at the school is that we get employed by companies, we help them Mind Their Business and create more wealth for them while we get paid from our hard work and then we forget to Mind Our Own Business.

However, if you must be rich, wealthy or financially stable, you must be financially literate, as such, if you are an employee you can retain your job and still MIND YOUR OWN BUSINESS instead of spending all your life minding someone business and making him or her rich. More so you should know the different between assets and liabilities.

When I say mind your business, I mean to say, you should build and keep your assets column strong and once you invest one naira /one dollar don't allow it to go out of your investment for no reason other than reinvesting it. Therefore, invest aggressively and reduce your spending attitude.

If you happen to be an employee, you can keep your job, be a great hard working employee but also try to "mind your own business at creating income flow by investing in profitable assets that will create and increase your column of assets and wealth than investing in liability assets.

There is a fact that rich people buy luxuries last while poor people and middle class buy luxuries first, they invest in liabilities like cars or live in an expensive rented house or buy a house they want to live in because they want to look rich, Well, they will look rich but in the actual sense they are deeply in debt and poor.

So why focus on looking successful instead of focusing on becoming successful? Today vast number of this generation focus on looking successful. Factually, you should remember that as you build your strong assets column so will your income flow increase and your wealth also increases, in other word acquiring luxuries should be a reward from your strong and real assets investment (profit).

Therefore start minding your own business and stop helping others like your employer to mind their businesses by creating income flow for them while they pay you.

Why not do the same for your self by employing your salaries to work for you and you become an employer to your income by investing in profitable assets, trust me when you invest on personal assets like car or jewels, once you take them home the values decreases, E.g. a new car will loose at least 25% of it value from the day you buy it.

Now that you have learn how to create these stream of income, get to work and work hard, save more and invest aggressively to create a strong asset column in that when you retire, you wont depend on your pension.

And for those who have kids, start teaching your kids how to invest in profitable assets before they leave your home.

BONUS

TODAY IS YOUR'S! DEFINE YOUR GOAL AND MAKE POSITIVE DECISION.

Few weeks ago, I wrote a piece about the decision you make . I want us to understand that every new day is an opportunity for you to make another positive decision. what are your decisions—today, have you chosen to remain the way you are or you have decided to take a bold step towards making a positive decision in your life? because "TODAY IS YOURS".

Whatever happens in your life—what you're thrilled with and what you're challenged by today—began with a decision. The life you live today is the outcome of the decisions you've made and the actions you've taken as a result of those decisions, different decisions will definitely produce different results.

Therefore, if you want to control the direction of your life from today, you must consistently make good decisions. It's not what you do once in a while that has

impact on the direction of your life—it's what you do consistently. Make decisions today about how you are going to live in the years to come.

For your decisions to really make a difference in your life it's imperative to decide what results you are committed to—and know specifically how these results will transform your life. It is as well critical to decide what kind of person you are committed to becoming.

Get clear about what you want to be, do and have (Set Your Goal) and what your life will be like after you accomplish this. With that clarity, you will find it easier to make the kinds of positive decisions that will move you in the direction you desire.

What are your standards? What will you demand from life? Decide today if you will accept life as it is or if you will live your life on your own terms, at the edge and at the highest level. Define your goal and make a positive decision today.

Stay blessed.

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