

“AMBITION”

WHEN I WAS A YOUNG BOY MY MIND WAS AT 160.

AS LIFE CAN BE, A TUMULTUOUS YOUTH CAME ALONG WITH IT, AND SO LIKE A POWERFUL ROCKET WITHOUT A GUIDANCE SYSTEM, IT WAS GOING NOWHERE FAST.

**AT 27, I DIDN'T HAVE A POT TO PISS IN OR A WINDOW TO THROW IT OUT OF.
I WAS LITERALLY AT THE VERY BOTTOM OF AMERICA.**

THAT'S WHEN I FOUND DISCIPLINE.

BY 34, I WAS AMONG THE TOP 4000 FILERS IN THE UNITED STATES.

AT 38, I HAD SPENT MYSELF DOWN TO THE LAST MILLION.

I DIDN'T EVEN KNOW WHAT THE SP 500 OR NASDAQ WERE.

**I KNEW NOTHING OF SUCH MEN AS
WARREN BUFFETT, CARLOS SLIM, BILL GROSS, SETH KLARMAN, ET AL.,
OR EVEN THERE WAS SUCH A THING AS THE FEDERAL RESERVE.**

I HAD NEVER THOUGHT IN TERMS OF BILLIONS, MUCH LESS TRILLIONS.

WHEN I CAME TO THE MARKET I WAS ABSOLUTELY IGNORANT.

**FORTUNATELY, UNLIKE STUPIDITY,
IGNORANCE CAN BE CURED WITH TIME AND DISCIPLINE.**

**THAT ABJECT IGNORANCE WAS MY GREATEST ADVANTAGE.
I WAS NOT BOUND BY PSYCHOLOGICAL GRAVITY.**

**I BEGAN WITH A SIMPLE PREMISE TO STUDY EVERYTHING THERE IS TO KNOW AND
THE CONFIDENCE TO BET ON MYSELF.**

EARLY ON THANKS TO PAUL TUDOR JONES, I CAME TO MEET JESSE LIVERMORE.

I WENT ON TO ASSIMILATE WD GANN, BERNARD BARUCH, BEN GRAHAM, ET AL.

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**BY 43, THE “DAYS OF MY IGNORANCE” WERE LONG GONE, AND
I FINALLY KNEW WHAT I WAS BORN FOR.**

I REALIZED INSTEAD OF “MILLIONS” IT COULD BE BILLIONS, OR EVEN TRILLIONS.

**I COULD SEE THEN THE \$ 100 BILLION LINE IN REACH,
NOT ON A GENERATIONAL HIGH, BUT ON A PERMANENT BASIS.**

TO COME OUT ON THE OTHER SIDE WITH OVER \$ 100 BILLION INTACT.

ACHIEVING THIS REQUIRES ALLIANCE AT THE VERY TOP.

THE ONLY WAY THERE WOULD BE BY REPUTATION FIRST, THEN CAPITAL.

**AT 44, I BEGAN TO BUILD THE PUBLIC RECORD TO EARN THE REPUTATION,
AND SET OUT TO REACH THE MEN AT THE TOP OF THE PYRAMID.**

**AT 49, WARREN BUFFETT PROVIDED THE OPPORTUNITY TO
INTRODUCE MYSELF TO MANY WHO CAN SAY “YES”.**

NO INSTRUMENT IS “IMMUNE”.

BY 50, I COULD TRULY SAY “293 BILLION IS NOT TOO MUCH MONEY”.

AT 52, I REACHED CARLOS SLIM.

**SHORTLY THEREAFTER I WAS INTRODUCED TO THE BOOK “THINK AND GROW RICH”,
AND AS I BEGAN TO READ IT I SMILED, BECAUSE THERE ARE INDEED
LAWS OF SUCCESS.**

**AT 53, I CROSSED THE 1 MILLION PAGES DIGESTED MARK.
I LITERALLY DO KNOW EVERYTHING THERE IS TO KNOW ABOUT MARKETS.
MOST OF IT IS USELESS.**

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IT HAS BEEN SAID TALENT IS THE ABILITY TO DO WHAT OTHERS CAN'T AND GENIUS IS BEING ABLE TO SEE WHAT OTHERS DON'T EVEN KNOW EXISTS.

A HANDFUL OF MEN COLLECTIVELY ACCUMULATED THE PRINCIPAL KNOWLEDGE. I ASSIMILATED ALL OF THEM AND CONNECTED THE MISSING AND MISPLACED PIECES.

THERE ARE INDEED ANSWERS.

ANSWERS THAT REMOVE “WHEN” FROM THE EQUATION.

MEN PRESIDE, INSTRUMENTS RULE.

BERNARD BARUCH WAS MORE RIGHT THAN HE COULD KNOW.

KNOWLEDGE CAN BE QUANTIFIED.

AT THE PEAK OF THE SLIM FAMILY FORTUNE IN THE \$ 80 BILLIONS IT GENERATED \$ 600K DAILY.

WITH JUST \$ 10 BILLION, IN THE DOLLAR, US 10 YEAR, MXN, APPLE, GOOGLE, ET AL., I CAN EXTRACT OVER 10 PERCENT ANNUALIZED WITHOUT BREAKING A SWEAT, IN A HANDFUL OF POSITIONS, WITHOUT MODEL, MACHINE, OR ANYTHING WHATSOEVER.

NO MATTER WHAT ANY PARTICIPANT DOES.

PURELY ON TIME, PRICE AND VOLUME.

FIVE TIMES THE YIELD, WITH ZERO INFRASTRUCTURE, AND WITH ONLY A TENTH OF THE HIGHEST POINT OF SUCH FORTUNES.

THE INABILITY TO MONETIZE “NOMINAL” IN YIELD GOING FORWARD MAKES THIS KNOWLEDGE SUPREME TO CAPITAL.

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**THERE ARE MEN IN MARKETS WHO HAVE SAID THERE ARE NO
“SHORT SELLERS” IN THE FORTUNE 500.**

NOT YET.

**EVERY ONE OF THOSE MEN HAVE ONLY LIVED IN
THE TIME OF UPWARD MOMENTUM TO A GENERATIONAL PEAK.**

THESE ARE ALL “M[E]N IN THE MIRROR”.

LIKE WILLIAM CRAPO DURANT, FAILURE TO APPRECIATE IS FATAL.

OTHER MEN DON’T DEFINE MY POTENTIAL OR WHAT CAN BE ACHIEVED, I DO.

**MY AMBITION IS TO HAVE \$ 10 BILLION OF MY OWN CAPITAL,
AND A 787 TO GO WITH IT.**

TO THE QUESTION “WHY”, I SAY “WHY NOT” ?

AMBITION IS WHAT DRIVES HUMANITY FORWARD.

AS ALL GREAT FORCES, IT IS BOTH WISELY DIRECTED AND MISDIRECTED.

**THE SYSTEM OF THE WORLD IS THE TRANSFER OF WEALTH
FROM THE HANDS OF THE MANY TO THE HANDS OF THE FEW.**

IT IS THE NATURAL ORDER, AMBITION IS THE MEANS.

I EMBRACE MY AMBITION.

**I BET MY TIME THAT SELF-INTEREST AND AMBITION
WILL YIELD \$ 100 MILLION ON MY TERMS,
FROM PARTIES WHOM EVENTS WILL COMPEL TO EMBRACE THEIRS.**