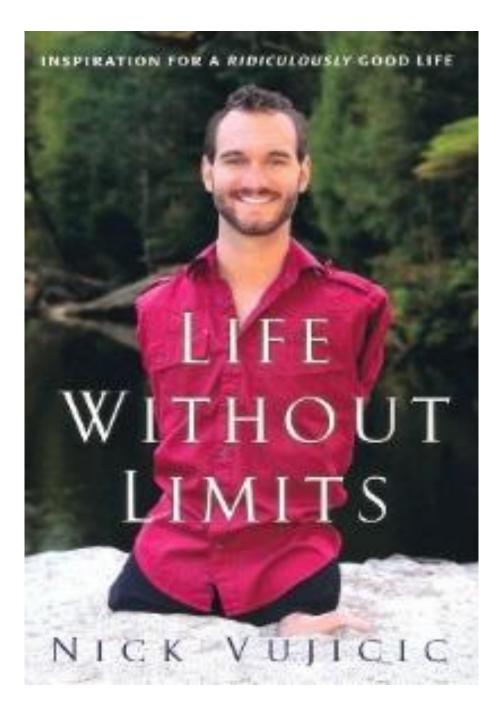
My favourite book

Life without limbs

Life Without Limits by Nick Vujicic. Life Without Limits an inspiring book by an extraordinary man. Born without arms or legs, Nick Vujicic overcame his disability to live not independently. It is a biography.



Nick Vujicic was born with a rare affliction called tetra-amelia syndrome, Nick Vujicic was cast into this world without any limbs to support himself, yet he continued to live his life to the fullest. Ignoring the hindrances that tried to pull him down, Nick Vujicic accomplished two degrees in accounting and financial planning. Realizing that his own experiences could inspire other to push towards their dreams, at the age of nineteen, he began to travel around the world to provide comforting and loving words for those in need.

Currently, Nick Vujicic is the president and CEO of a non-profit organization, Life Without Limbs, urging others with disabilities to follow the yearns and goals of their hearts. Even though many looked upon Nick with distain and rejection, he continued to push himself and ignore what the outside world thought of him. He knew "that his self-worth was not tied to what he looked like or couldn't do", so he never let a mirror judge his possibilities of making a future. In spite of his circumstances, Nick Vujicic never let his eyes wander away from the goal that his mind and heart were never willing to let go. His resourcefulness, his unrelenting persistence, and his overwhelming abundance of compassion towards the needy kept him continuing on his trek towards his goal; a goal filled with the passion of letting others understand the true meaning of encouragement through inspirational speeches unraveled from his heart.

Nick Vujicic uses all that he can find within his mind and environment to obtain the goal of helping those faced with mental or physical poverty. His resourcefulness seems to never end. During a speech of his, Vujicic tried to send one of his messages home by summarizing a scene of his life, "Every single person on earth has imperfections... When I was a child nobody knew that I could do a lot of things. I used whatever was available, even this little foot'

- Vujicic understood how his disabilities put him at many disadvantages, but he didn't want his life to be enveloped in the gloomy light of depression. Even with all these hindrances, "Vujicic acquired a double degree in accounting and financial planning. He was able to do his school work with the help of his tiny foot and two toes.
- "He could also "swim, play football, and golf". At a first glance, Vujicic exemplifies someone who can't do anything, but he didn't let these judgments put him down. He used all he could with all he had to make the best out of his challenging life. A third person encounter of Nick Vujicic during a speech makes itself known through this scene: "Wearing a wireless microphone, Vujicic zoomed onto the stage in his wheelchair.

He was lifted onto a table for his talk, in which he made fun of his "chicken drumstick" foot, hopped from one end of the table to the other, tipped himself over and righted himself". During this speech, Vujicic used his own disabilities as an advantage. To keep his audience focused upon his message, Nick delineated his depressing life humorously. He also used the action of righting himself with only one foot to show how one could do whatever his/her heart desired. Vujicic employs whatever he has to keep the audience aware of his disabilities and how he overcomes them. Nick Vujicic's ability to use all his disabilities as a factor to improve his own and other lives magnifies his resourcefulness in making the best out of any situation.

About book

Life Without Limbs, a book by Nick Vujicic. Many hindrances came Nick Vujicic's way as he progressed through a path towards his goal, but he never let these obstructions push him down. His persistence overcame all the obstacles that tried to block the path towards his goal. In one of his speeches, Vujicic explained how fear could dull one's view of his/her dreams, causing him/her to fall into a dark void of failure, never to get back up again, "Who puts limits on our dreams? Fear? FEAR, False Evidence Appearing Real, is the biggest disability of all. If you fail, you have to try again,' he said". These words from Vujicic emphasize how fear creates a barrier for people trying to continue on with their dreams.

It blocks them from following the path that their hearts yearn for, fading the light that had provided them with a path to see and follow; a goal to comprehend and grasp. Without a spark of light to lead the way, there is nothing but a dark void, welcoming them to a deep darkness where hope cannot lend a match to lighten the environment. The fear of another failure can lead to the loss of wanting to try again. Failure is what pushes people to the ground. Fear is what keeps them on the floor, hopeless. It is the person's choice to get back up again, to spark the chance of success. Vujicic urges others to never give up. Even when a person falls, he/she must never lose the hope of succeeding, of passing the barrier of fear.

Every failure is a step closer to success; every time you try and fail you learn something new'. Through this illustration, Vujicic managed to paint the picture of how one must never lose the mentality of trying again and again. The path towards a goal or destination can only be reached one step at a time. There might be times when the steps find themselves wandering away from the path, but one must never give up the hope of finally reaching the destination.

This speech from Vujicic magnifies his strong willpower and persistence. When someone gives up, his hope is lost and is there no chance of success. Once he tries again, there is that chance of succeeding. Nick Vujicic's persistence is one filled with the surging energy of an unsurpassable bull. He will make sure to always get back up after a fall. He will never give up.

Nick Vujicic and his son.

