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DEDICATION

This book is dedicated to all people who don't want to get up on Monday morning... I hope this book will help you find a good reason to do so!

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INTRODUCTION

"Everyone has been made for some particular work, and the desire for that work has been put in every heart." - Rumi

Most materials that help you find a job focus on resumes or interviews. By all means, those are two essential steps in getting a job, and this book has plenty of materials to address those. However, we also emphasize your inner self, passion, talents, and competencies. Not only will we help you find a job, but we will also make sure it is a job you love, a dream job!

Some people's dream job might be to sit on a white sand beach and sip cocktails. Although spending our life on "vacation" sound very attractive, it might not be as fulfilling as a purposeful life. If that is your dream job, it might simply be because you never really had a professional activity that you profoundly enjoyed. Keep reading this book; it is designed to help you find exactly that, a job for which you wake up in the morning before the alarm even rings, a job that keeps you at night because you are full of ideas.

We all have the desire to contribute to the community to one extent, or another is rooted in our human nature. As social beings, we thrive in communities where we can connect, share, and support one another. The desire to contribute to the community is born out of our innate sense of empathy, compassion, and the need to be a part of something greater than ourselves. We feel a sense of purpose, fulfillment, and connectedness when we contribute. We become a part of a collective effort to make the world a better place, and that sense of belonging can be incredibly empowering and motivating.

The desire to contribute is coded in our genes; the problem is that if we spend too much time doing something we don't like, then that innate feeling dies deep inside our souls. And our dream job becomes a distant thought until the day it is forgotten. The aim of this book is not only to revive that dream but also to help you through the steps of achieving it.

A dream job is a job that is fulfilling and satisfying to you. It is a job that aligns with your strengths, interests, and passions and allows you to use your skills and abilities to your full potential. A dream job provides a sense of purpose

and meaning and allows for personal and professional growth. It is also a job that provides a desirable work environment and culture and offers opportunities for advancement and success. Ultimately, a dream job makes an individual happy and fulfilled in their work—one which makes you jump out of bed every morning.

Dream Job! Is It Just A Dream?

"The biggest mistake people make in life is not trying to make a living at doing what they most enjoy." - Malcolm Forbes

Finding your dream job can be challenging when you have no idea where to start. This book intends to guide you through identifying your dream job and securing a position in a company you would love to work for. Here is an overview of the steps to find your dream job:

- **Find your calling:** Reflect on your strengths and interests before looking for a job. You can't find your dream job if you don't even know what your dreams are. This chapter will help you identify the type of position that will be fulfilling and satisfying for you. Please don't overlook this step; it is the foundation of enjoyable work.
- **Identify your industry:** once you have a general idea of the work you are looking for, start researching different industries and companies that align with your interests, competencies, and lifestyle. This will give you a better idea of the available job opportunities and which companies may be a good fit for you. The better your knowledge about your industry, the higher the chance you are aiming for the correct position.
- **Locate your hunting ground:** Nowadays, there are a lot of online resources it could be overwhelming to know where even to start. We did the groundwork for you and outlined great resources. Networking in the right community is another essential part of the job search process. Attend industry events, join professional organizations, and reach out to your connections to learn more about job opportunities and make new connections.
- **Submit irresistible applications:** ensure your resume and cover letter are up-to-date and tailored to the job you are applying for. This will help you stand out from other applicants and showcase your skills and qualifications. Focus on your achievement and competency, and remember that securing a job is a sales job; you are selling your personal brand.

- Ace your interviews: once you have identified potential job opportunities, start applying for jobs and prepare for interviews. Research the company and the job before the interview. Practice answering common interview questions to increase your confidence and chances of winning interviews.

Remember, stay persistent, continually networking and applying for jobs even if you don't get an immediate response. With dedication and focus, you will find a job you are passionate about and enjoy.

Online Job! Is That Possible?

"The purpose of life is to discover your gift. The meaning of life is to give your gift away." - David Viscott

An online job is a type of employment that allows an individual to work remotely using a computer and internet connection. Online work has become increasingly popular due to advancements in technology and communication tools and a growing desire among employees for work-life balance. Online jobs can take many forms, including telecommuting, freelance work, and virtual assisting. Many online jobs can be done from anywhere worldwide as long as the individual has a reliable internet connection.

One of the main advantages of online jobs is the flexibility they offer. With an online position, an individual can work from anywhere, anytime. This can especially appeal to those who need to work around other commitments, such as caring for children or elderly family members. Young adults might want to travel around the world but still need a job to sustain themselves, and an increasing number of cities offer co-working spaces to cater to working travelers. Another reason to work online is that you might be living in the countryside, and either there are no local jobs matching your skills, or they don't pay what you expect; working online is an excellent solution to address both issues. Online jobs also allow individuals to set their schedules, giving them the freedom to work when it is most convenient for them.

Another advantage of online jobs is the wide range of opportunities available. Online jobs are available in many industries, including marketing, customer service, writing, editing, and more. This means that individuals with diverse skills and interests can find an online job that aligns with their strengths and passions.

In addition, online jobs can offer a more affordable and convenient alternative to traditional employment. Many online jobs do not require any upfront investment, such as purchasing specialized equipment or software. This makes it easier for individuals to start working immediately without incurring additional expenses.

Overall, online jobs offer several benefits, including flexibility, a wide range of opportunities, and affordability. With the increasing use of technology, the demand for online jobs is rapidly growing, providing individuals with more opportunities to work remotely and achieve a work-life balance.

Before we go any further, though, let's review some myths about online jobs that may discourage people from pursuing this type of work. One of the most common myths is that online jobs don't pay well. While very simple online jobs don't pay well, the online job scene has changed dramatically in the last few years, with many high-paying opportunities available. Not only will you find equivalent salaries, but in many instances, you might even get paid more for the same task because you have access to a worldwide market, giving you opportunities you might not have locally. Some people also believe that online jobs are easy, but most require a certain level of skill and effort. While some online jobs may be easier than others, you still need to be dedicated and hardworking to succeed. Another myth is that online jobs are only for tech-savvy people. While some online jobs, such as web development, require technical skills, many do not. For example, you can work as a virtual assistant, freelance writer, or teacher without advanced technical skills. Finally, some people believe that online jobs are not secure. While there is always some risk involved in any position, online jobs can be just as secure as traditional office jobs. Protecting your personal information and ensuring that you work with reputable companies and people is essential.

Ready to look for your first online job? Here are some things to consider when deciding if online work is suitable for you:

- **Your ability to work independently:** an online job requires high self-motivation and the ability to work independently without supervision. If you thrive in a structured work environment and need regular guidance and support from your manager, online work may not be a good fit for you.

- Your home environment: when working online, you need to have a dedicated workspace at home that is free from distractions and allows you to focus on your work. Creating an effective work environment at home may be challenging if you have a busy household with young children or pets or live in a noisy or crowded environment.
- Your work schedule: telecommuting typically requires a flexible work schedule, as you may need to be available outside of regular business hours to attend meetings or collaborate with colleagues in different time zones. If you have commitments that require fixed scheduling, it may be challenging to balance your work and personal life when telecommuting.
- Your personal preferences: ultimately, the decision to work online should be based on your personal preferences and what will make you happy and productive in your work. If you enjoy the social interaction and camaraderie of a traditional office setting, telecommuting may not be the right choice. But if you value flexibility, autonomy, and the ability to work from anywhere, telecommuting may be a great option.

Online jobs aren't all the same. So let's discuss how to assess online opportunities to determine which ones might be the perfect fit for you and if an online job is for you.

- Consider how much stability you seek: many ways to work remotely exist. You can work as a full-time employee for one company. You can work on a project basis for a few months at a time. You can also freelance for a variety of different companies. It's important to consider what kind of online opportunity will work for you. A full-time position might be your best bet if you seek stability and growth opportunities. But a contract or freelance position might be a better bet if you're looking for flexibility and freedom to work whenever and wherever you want.
- Think about when you want to work: with in-person jobs, your hours are pretty straightforward; you're expected to be at the office from 8 AM to 5 PM or whatever hours are standard for the company. But with online jobs, your work hours depend on several factors; company location, customer location, or flexibility. For example, if you are in Paris and teaching French to children in China, you have to be available at 3 AM to catch the morning session in China.

Of course, you can look for companies that keep pretty traditional work hours in your time zone if that works best for you.

- Can you get benefits as an online worker? The answer is a yes, possible! You can have the same pay, benefits, and even better perks than working in an office. You have to know where to look. However, 80% of the time, No. You control your hours, clients, projects, and work environment as a freelancer. But you're also responsible for paying employment taxes and providing your health insurance, vacation time, and other benefits.
- Consider income security: as a freelancer, you may be paid for completing a project rather than an hourly rate, so income does not always come in on a reliable schedule. There's much freedom in freelancing but also a lot of added responsibility.
- Opportunity widely depends on the industry: Some industries easily accommodate online jobs, and others don't. For instance, if you are a manufacturing plant manager, it is impossible to fulfill that position without being present at the plant. However, that doesn't mean you can't find great online opportunities in the manufacturing industry.

Before you get entrenched in landing an online job, you must define what you value in life. Do you value freedom or security? Do you see yourself spending 10 hours daily in an office that drains your energy or being your own boss? Your answer will define if the online job is right for you!

Pros Of Online Work

- Flexibility: One of the most significant advantages of online work is choosing your schedule and working from anywhere with an internet connection. This can be especially beneficial for those who need a more flexible work arrangement due to family or personal commitments.
- Cost savings: Working online can also save you money on commuting costs, office attire, lunches, and other expenses associated with a traditional job.
- Increased productivity: Some people find they are more productive when working from home, as they can eliminate distractions and create a more focused work environment.

- Greater work-life balance: Online work can allow you to balance your professional and personal life better, as you have more control over your schedule.
- Access to a broader range of job opportunities: Working online can open up a whole world of job opportunities, as you are not limited to job openings in your local area.

Cons Of Online Work

- Lack of face-to-face interaction: One of the downsides of online work is the lack of face-to-face interaction with colleagues and clients. This can make building relationships more difficult and might lead to feelings of isolation.
- Technical issues: Working online can also bring a range of technical issues, such as problems with internet connectivity or computer malfunctions.
- Distractions at home: Focusing on work at home can be more challenging, as there may be more distractions and temptations.
- Limited benefits: Some online jobs may not offer the same benefits as traditional jobs, such as healthcare or retirement plans.
- Limited job security: The gig economy and short-term contracts are becoming more common in the online work world, which can lead to a lack of job security.

Are you decided? Yes, no? Read on, and let's dive into finding your dream job; then, you can determine if you want it to be online or onsite. Either way, you will find a wealth of resources in the following chapters to zero in on your dream job.

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*"Many things in life will catch your eye,
but only a few will capture your heart. Follow those..."*

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