

Resolve

Where there is a will there is a way

What most of us lack in our lives is, resolve for a purpose. For example, we want to be happy all the time and we know very well that real happiness is a result of our inner strength but still as soon as we face some difficulty, we forget our resolve to be happy. We start blaming others, get depressed and to make matter worse, even compromise with our basic values. Our own experiences teach us that we can get by and do not have to stick to any of our own principles. Whenever and whatever one resolves one time or other, it will be difficult to stay with that principle all the time. The easiest thing will be to let it go as no body will know or see it and we do not have to face the situation head on, question is at whose expense. Our conscience will not be clear no matter how many excuses we offer, we are the losers.

If we go in depth of the meaning, we will know that re- solve is redoing the process, as solution already exists and been tried before. The problems of society or our own never get solved unless we have resolve. Obviously we cannot live our lives positively with out resolve. I was surprised to find some 20 meanings of resolve in the dictionary. That it self shows it's importance in human life, be it in the field of music, chemistry, medical science, mathematics etc. Some of the meanings are as follows: to make a decision, to reach a decision, to decide or express a formal vote, to separate into its constituents, to change or convert, to find a solution, to remove or dispel doubts, to bring a successful solution, resolve a conflict, cause of reduction, cause a tone, to separate racemic compound into optically different constituents, rendering a visible distinguishable part of an image, to separate vector in coordinate system, to melt or dissolve something, reaching a decision or determination on a proposal, to undergo resolution, a firmness of purpose, a determination for a fixed purpose, a formal decision of deliberate body. In Latin it's meaning is to unite, which is most needed in our present day Bharat, to solve most of our civic problems, especially with politics.

It is very clear that the understanding of this word alone will help us solve many of the problems, provided there is a strong will behind it. The norm is to swing like pendulum, where as time passes by without achieving any thing. The problem remains and we blame this or that person or circumstance. The need of the hour is to list problems, make a resolve, and write it down, follow-ups till the problem does not exist any more. Energy cannot be created; we can only change it from one form to another. Similarly, problems will not disappear, they will only change the face if we don't go to the root cause and spend our time in quick fixes. The best example is found in the medical field; medicines do not cure the ailments, they only keep the troublesome symptoms suppressed while their side effects are more harmful in the long run

The best resolve I have heard comes from my mother-in-law who says, " God, give me my share of troubles and problems but also give me the strength to face them head on so I am not afraid and can solve them." Life can be unadventurous and quite boring without them. We should agree on one thing that once a decision is made and we are party to that decision then we all should work to achieve the goal. In mathematics when there are various forces working in different direction the resultant is the decisive force it can work only when it is let to be free to act in its direction. This is the basic law of Physics. It will be true for any other field as well. If this resultant force is allowed to work with its magnitude then result will be great and time taken to complete the task will be less as well.

I would like to end this article with a story I heard in my childhood. There was a person who worked for a rich man and he was expecting some reward for this work. Soon he started daydreaming that with this money he will buy eggs and when eggs were hatched he will have hens and when hens will become mature he will sell them. With that money he will buy a cow and by selling the milk of cows he will become rich by selling the ghee etc. etc. Because he was planning in his mind all this time, he could not perform the task at hand properly and instead of getting money he lost his job. Moral is what ever one resolves for the present task at hand, should be carried out with utmost care and devotion towards detail, success ultimately will come, one resolve at a time.

"There is no chance, no destiny, no fate, that can circumvent or hinder or control the firm resolve of a determined soul." Ella Wheeler Wilcox

We cannot achieve anything worthwhile without Resolve .

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