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## The Dreams of Youth

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Abstract: The young age is regarded as the most creative stage with developed and free mind. They are regarded as future of the nation's growth and development. Significant portion of youth have their own dreams with no support and paradoxically those who have support are taught to dream. Youth of today is an amalgamation with those having real dreams and those who dream by choice simply as means of a career option based on social, monetary or political influence, along with those who are either married or made child labour or forced into beggary or gun-filled jobs etc. Thereby, the latter are even prevented from acknowledging the dream light. The youth must join hands and unify for enlightening spark in each other and must strive to achieve their dreams in order to make this world a better place.

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## I. Introduction

Dreams are usually conceived as imaginary, unrealistic, intangible, artistry and intimate. They tend to portray a man's deepest desire or fear during the time period when brain is resting and having leisure. Dreams are considered as reflection of a man's desire yet unfulfilled in the real world. Thus, turning dreams into a reality has been in the history of mankind. It is because of which the mankind has progressed. Indeed, mankind would not have progressed, had they not harboured this zeal of witnessing their dream into reality. Instances could be cited from past, where people have met their dreams and as result, set themselves as role model for further discoveries and inventions. The youth of twenty first century, embraces their own 'dream' which may or may not be influenced by peers, experienced or social, political and economic factors of this global village. Nevertheless, the degree of aspiration and inspiration are the youth's sole asset. However, some portion of the youth population are not patronized to achieve their dream if it does not matches with their family or social expectations or at times due to the monetary or political pressure. Contradictory, there is another significant portion of youth which is patronized for a pre-deciphered and pre-imagined dream where, success is premeasured or "guaranteed" as the sole objective behind it. Instead of social welfare and social well being the era is of a being selective for a suitable future career option over a dream turning into the profession. Though with consistent social awakening from the past, another percent of population experiences youth marriage which has seen a drop down but not wiped out to even build the flight of imagination for them. Thus, youth of today not only needs to awaken themselves but also join hands for lighting up each other's lamp of imagination. As, the work done with passion and conscience delivers the best output.

### **II.** World's Youth Population Statistics

It is the free mind which does the discovery and brings out the best to the world. UN reports increase in youth population each year[1]. With the chunk of world population falling in youth category, not only the future of nations but also the development and growth of the world is highly depended on the youth.

Today's adolescents and youth are 1.8 billion strong and make up one quarter of the world's population. They are shaping social and economic development, challenging social norms and values, and building the foundation of the world's future[2].

Reasons such as monetary, social and other political concerns the youth beaming with ideas and knowledge. Influence of such factors does not brings up the youth to come forward with better output. Thereby, killing their self-confidence and out of the horizon thinking.

The youth of today are taught to dream a life based on existing profession which shall provide them comfort and easy materialistic latter in their lives. What is that dream which is taught by parents, peers or social or monetary influences? It is nothing but a mere meagre of x-directed drama over the self-directed one. This continuation could consequent into nothing but reduction in discoveries and invention. The youth requires to quote apt, "arise, awake and stop not till the goal is achieved"[3].

The buying of educational degrees and the advertisement of material happiness has become a trend in youth whose setter are their fuzzy mentors or their unguided minds. With sole purpose of enjoyment and a rosy life as their dream, this microcosm is futile for themselves and society at large. As merry-making must be

followed by a success, hard-driven work. With no prior step of "real work" jumping to the next ladder is also less satisfying, withholding and reduces their self-mental fertility.

Notwithstanding, the other side of the coin which projects the hard fact of human life is to have a profession which shall provide minimum basic amenities for a healthy living. It often results in conflict with the dream. However, it is the courage, perseverance, sacrifice, creativeness and the strong determination which led Wright brothers to lay a deep impact for several generations till date. Studies show that, "more than 32 percent, the lack of demand meant they couldn't find work after graduation[4]".

To abide by the holy scriptures and teachings, everyone sent on this earth from the heavenly abode has a purpose to fulfill during one's life span . If that purpose can provide benefit and not desolate, it should be promoted by the family and the very society for its achievement. Government of all nations have taken major step to pull up talents and remove unemployment by setting up the minimum wage criterias as well. Thus, the dreams of youth should be aggrandize as it would be done with passion imbibing innovation. As innovation contributes majorly as the key to success.

This is the era of freedom, the freedom to dream, the freedom to rise and the freedom to materialize dream. To keep another angle of cons in picture, with the growing terrorism, the youth of terror nations dream none but the destruction of the world. Such dreams are to be choked at it very core before it could shatter humanity, wipe out the earthly beings and brutality shall reign. Yes, the seed to such terrible dreams of youth must be curbed at its very beginning but definitely not those dreams which can benefit the world, provide self-happiness at the cost of family or social or or monetary or political pressure.

#### III. Conclusion

The present youth must dream big with the zeal to uplift the society and thereby themselves. They should strive to achieve it with passion for a peace and care-free world and not restrain their lives by focusing on a profession and simple merry-making. For those, who dream are not supported for its materialization and for those who are taught to dream are supported. Our, society needs to strike a balance, a rectification for loop-holes and an improvisation for a better future.

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