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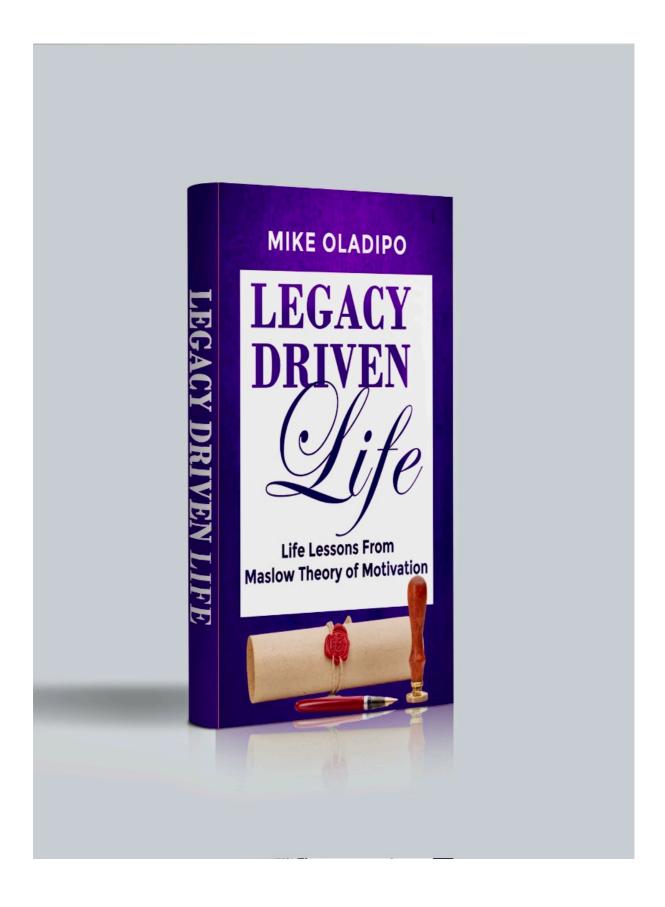
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Introduction:

This book is about finding deeper meaning to life in order to increase our chances of winning and attaining fulfillment according *Maslow Hierarchy of Motivation*.

Maslow Theory of Motivation explains that, man's major needs are centered around these 5 key areas.

- 1. Physiological Need
- 2. Safety Need
- 3. Social Need
- 4. Esteem Need
- 5. Self-Actualization Need

I'll be sharing views around these needs and you can pick needed life's lessons from them.

I have divided them into five stages as explained in the following chapters.

1. Physiological Need - Stage of Confusion

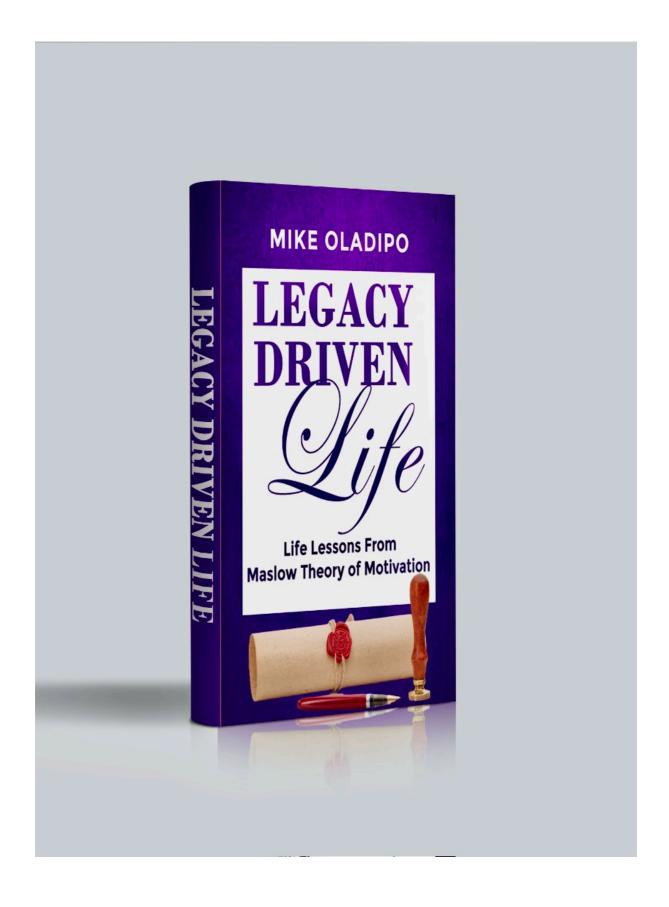
2. Safety Need - Stage of Desperation

3. Social Need - Stage of Contradiction

4. Esteem Need - Stage of Temptation

5. Self-Actualization Need - Stage of Adoration







CHAPTER ONE

THE PHYSIOLOGICAL NEED – The Stage of Confusion

This is the stage I called, "The Stage of Confusion".

This is the stage you move from fantasy to reality. This reality could be provoked by sudden tragedy or progressive manifestations according to the laws of growth, time and season.

You suddenly realize that you are out of school and still yet to figure out where you belong and the path to make a decent living.

This creates a psychological shock that could lead to severe mental stress and emotional instability.

Some Key Characteristics at This Stage:

1. Identity Struggle

You begin to seek for some sort of approval and support structure to help define and project who and what you are.

Many who experienced prolong confusion at this level end up embracing who they are not and begin to live a lie.

This is because, there is a need to project a sense of order and control that you are in charge and that you know exactly where you are going, but sadly, many pretend to be in control while battling the disorder that comes with not knowing where to turn or go. We all passed through this stage.



It becomes worse when you do not have any sort of family support or leadership covering from where you can draw inspiration and grasp some sort of direction forward.

2. Survival Necessity

Of course, you do not expect your parents, guardians or siblings to begin to cater for all your needs and livelihood at 30.

There is a pressure that begins to build up; you have to get a job, work or at least, do something for a living to support yourself.

You would have an obligation to move from total dependence to partial independence and then to total independence.

The need to do this if built upon a state of confused identity can make you settle for anything and may affect your disposition to life onward.

This stage is so important because it would be your first step into the journey of independence. You are now going to be required to step out of your comfort zone into the real world where you begin to face and deal with real life's issues.

You are afraid of what the future holds and at the same time pressurized to meet some sort of either passive or active expectations of friends, colleagues and families.

This is usually a tough season for many to face and survive.



3. Sustained Reality

This comes to play if after you have searched for meaning, purpose and your place in this world, you do not find a head way, chances are that you may begin to accept and conform to the present realities.

This is what it means, when you are charged not to conform to your present realities and situation. You must see yourself at a higher and better place than you are now, this gives you the mental strength to boldly confront the present challenges.

It is a season of process where your potential must produce products and bear fruits, evident in your actions and results.

If the present situation becomes largely unfavorable and it overwhelms, it may kill your faith to aspire for a greater future and you are then forced to settle for what you have, what may come and start to live life on flimsy hope and wishes.

This is the stage many now find who to blame. They give excuses and provide smooth ways to rationalize the reasons they can't move beyond their negative historical realities because they can't find any beautiful exceptions in their family track record. They justify their inadequacies by blaming the past.

Even if they break even, they may get too comfortable easily because their past becomes a measuring framework for their success, not the possibilities that their potential holds in the future.



The Key Need Here - Clarity (Courage Development)

Anyone at this stage needs clarity first; they need purpose before party, identity validation before vacation and some sort of vision before television.

Once clarity is ensured, then they need courage to take steps in the direction of the projected plan.

They may be excited to see a greater future but they need courage to take steps towards it.

Wisdom Pill:

If you are at this level in your life, you need knowledge, the right people and you need to go to places that would sharpen your clarity and strengthen your courage.

People who have never been up may not know how it feels. If they have always been down, it is easy to pull others down because that is where they have always lived.

This is why for you to go or grow up, you need people who are already up. It is easier for them to draw you up because they do not desire to come back down to where they've conquered.

No one who has tasted the victories of the hills wants to relocate to live in the troubles of the valleys.



Chapter One Summary:

Physiological Need – The Stage of Confusion

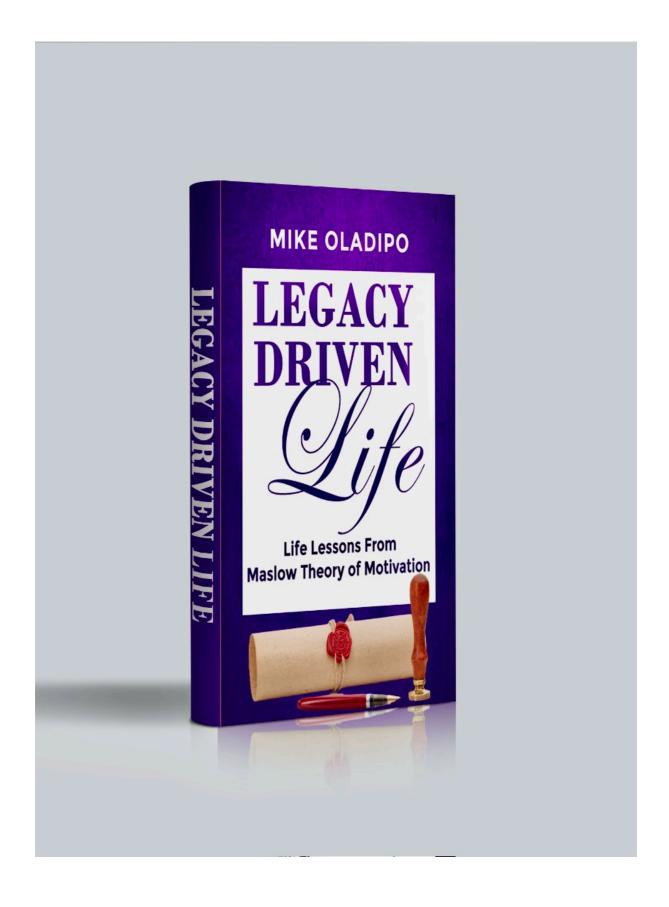
Characteristics:

- 1. Identity Struggle
- 2. Survival Necessity
- 3. Sustained Reality

The Key Need Here - Clarity (Courage Development)









CHAPTER TWO

THE SAFETY NEED – The Stage of Desperation

This is the stage I called, "The Stage of Desperation".

Once the first stage is wrong and you've been victimized by those three reality checks, then it becomes tougher to thrive at this stage.

The state of mind with which you move to this stage is very important and it is key to what your experiences and manifestations would be going forward.

Confusion doesn't leave voluntarily, it represents darkness, it can only be defeated by light - knowledge.

Have you seen people who seem to be so desperate and always in a hurry? It may be that they are suffering from ICS - *Identity Crisis Syndrome.*

They are in a perpetual state of need. They always want to prove a point. There is something they must buy in order to do something so as to look like something for the purpose of impressing someone somewhere.

There is a clear difference between pushing yourself to grow per time in order to perform to the best of your potentials and trying to rush through life's due processes out of desperation.



True success has traces, marks, frameworks and templates. That is why they say "No true star is made without scars".

Desperate people want to avoid scars to reach stars. They will seek to break protocols and try to bridge the law of due process.

They want others to bear the scars for their stardom. They want to get the best out of life and yet they are lazy and ignorant.

And if after they have tried and do not succeed, they return to a state of acute hatred, bitterness and begin to criticize those who through pain, patience and due process attained success.

Some Key Characteristics at This Stage:

1. Compromise Tendencies

The stage of desperation intensifies pressure and because there is no strong foundation to build upon, they will always prefer to seek the easy way forward and it is on this account that compromise becomes the preferred path.

This is a stage of serious confusion because you are daily confronted with situations and options that threaten your values especially the core of your morality and sanctity.

It is at this stage you will need to decide if you will build with patience and dignity or join the popular route to your desired place on the ground of compromise.



2. Associational Influence

The need to kill desperation and impress would draw you into circles you believe can rescue you from your supposedly state of struggle.

You need the association to seek clarity and embrace a desirable identity in order to satisfy the safety need.

This is why some join cults; they pay so much to belong to groups and some high level organized communities.

It is all to mask their emptiness and project a sense of dignity which in most cases never gets filled and fully nurtured because of the wrong belief system, motive and pattern.

3. Self-Imposed Isolation

This is always the resultant effect of failure and the inability to secure approval after many attempts and effort through diverse means.

There are people who are seriously bitter right now because they fill they have done their best to change their situation but nothing is working.

While we all will face challenges on our paths to greatness, this is a different case from the situation I'm describing here.

This particular case is that of someone who has tried many wrong and desperate moves to prove a point and to get ahead in a wrong way but all failed.



Some, at this point can reflect and repent. They start all over seeking to build the right way, while some others may fall into a state of acute remorse and this could trigger depression and then suicide.

It is a dangerous place to be; an extreme zone of frustration provoked as they search for ways to satisfy the safety need.

They have tried to cover their emptiness using drugs, organized groups, expensive wears, filtered images, relationships and even religion but because the underlying motive is wrong everything attempted produced in that order.

The Key Need Here - Clarity (Courage Development)

Someone who is at this level needs to get skills. Mastery of the right skills with economic relevance that can add significant value to others, organizations and places will position you to earn legitimately.

This has a way of strengthening your belief system and it would reinforce your self-esteem affirmatively. This is a stage where competence development must be prioritized.

Without skills, you may steal.

You need to pursue knowledge with all your strength and execute intelligently accordingly.

If this doesn't happen, economic safety is not guaranteed and once this is out of place, every other thing will not be in place.



This is not a stage to be adamantly loyal to skills or passions that do not have economic viability. It is not a stage to experiment ignorantly but a stage to follow the money legitimately through the instrumentality of relevant skills.

This is how you prevent assaults that come with lack and raise your intellectual satisfaction, emotional wellness and overall confidence with dignity and honor.

Wisdom Pill:

Those who refused to learn now will learn latter. In life, we all would learn, some will learn early by instructions while some will learn later by affliction.

Those who are going down the wrong road do not need motivation, if not, they will get there very fast, rather they need education to show them the right path.

There is a kind of motivation you give an ignorant person so he gets inspired to learn while there is that you give someone with expertise so he can get up and work.

Understand the type of motivation you need right now and position for it.

Whatever you do not position for, you will not possess. It is about finding people who can teach you and help you improve from a place of randomness to a state of refined expertise.

This would take sacrifices and momentary discomfort, but it the price you pay to liberate yourself from perpetual state of worry.

Economically viable skills can help attain economic security and safety.



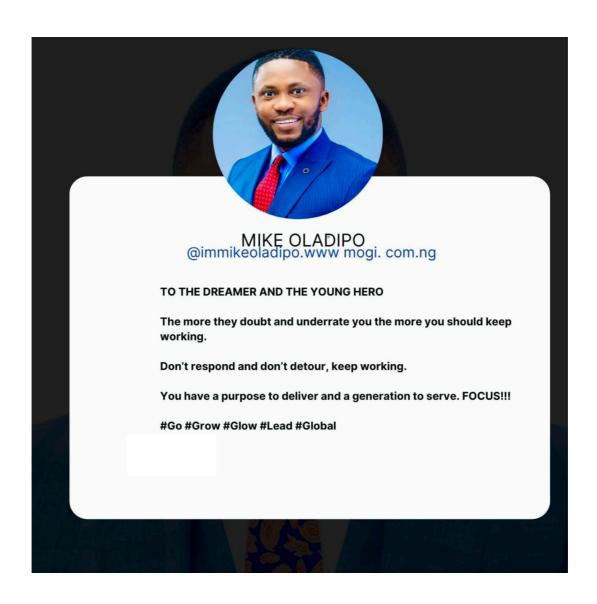
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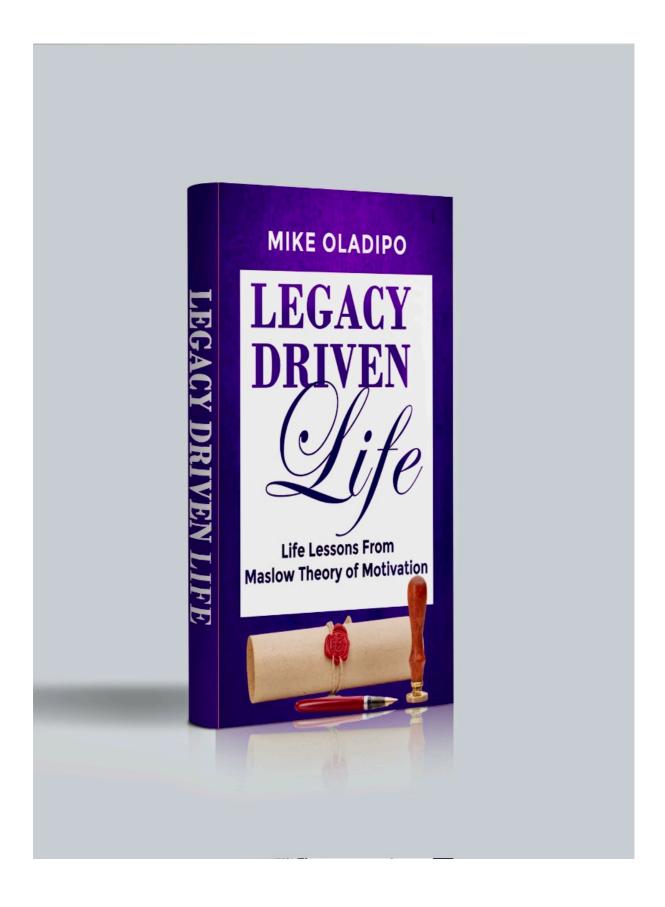
Characteristics:

- 1. Compromise Tendencies
- 2. Associational Influence
- 3. Self-Imposed Isolation

The Key Need Here - Skill (Competence Development)









CHAPTER THREE

THE SOCIAL NEED – The Stage of Contradiction

This is the stage I called, "The Stage of Contradiction".

According to Maslow Hierarchy of Needs, the social stage is that stage that is characterized by love and belonging. It is true that humans are social beings and there would always be a need to interact and socialize.

Therefore, once the physiological stage is not well structured and a sense of safety is not in place, then socialization which is a necessity becomes difficult and largely distorted.

Some Key Characteristics at This Stage:

1. Value Transfer

This is that stage which when you add value to others, you qualify to get value. What then happens when this stage is not well solidified is that, you find people who go about trying to take from others without adding anything.

All forms of relationships, interactions and socialization should thrive on mutual exchange.

But do you know there are those who hold a strong entitlement mentality and try to make you feel bad when you call them out for their greed, stinginess and overbearing attitude.

They are always out to take and grab; everywhere you see them they have the tendency to beg or forcefully take from you. They are parasitic in nature!



They take from everybody and give to nobody. They will tell lies to make you believe they have nothing even if they have something.

This is as a result of the faulty foundation. They begin to run with a "Victim's mindset" instead of a "Victor's mindset" which is a syndrome of low self-esteem, lack of value and inferiority complex.

Some who try to mask this attitude under high ego rooted in false confidence could fall into a state of acute defensiveness a called Superiority complex.

This is where people become so proud that they would rather pretend to know what they don't know and will refuse to learn because they feel it is an insult to learn from someone that is below them.

2. Values Concretization

By the law of value and life, what you have become, who you are and what you have already dictates to you what and who you will attract, serve and have in your circle.

This is why a smart, purposeful, visionary, kind and humble person will attract such to his or her circle. Confident people are easily magnetized to other confident people.

The value you possess will determine the people you will serve, the places you will go, platforms you will access and the quality of reward you will get.



Now imagine someone who is still struggling with identity crisis, lacks a sense of safety and does not have premium value with dignified economic weight, it would be hard to deal in true confidence.

Confidence is built through the understanding of whose you are, who you are, what you have, what you have done and what you can do.

Value system is influenced and can be concretized based on the predominant realities you are faced with.

There are superstitious beliefs we had to break from because they were formed from a place of shallowness, ignorance and poverty, sponsored by the association of local, lazy, unexposed and highly impoverish people.

This is why you must audit your values from time to time. The value system that raise a child from a very poor background will be different from the one from a rich background.

While it is true that you can come from a poor background yet hold strong moral values to work and to deal peacefully with people, that gives you an edge to train yourself and eventually, it could increase your chances of success.

But, what I'm saying here is, socialization affects mindset and this could be a formative ground for shaping and structuring the values that prevail in our hearts and homes.



3. External Opinions & Public Expectations

There is no stage that puts pressure on you like the social stage. The need to socialize is an opportunity to market our good sides to the world.

There is a sense of inferiority that comes with feeling like you are not as successful as you should be.

I didn't go to the right school. My parents are poor. I don't have the designer wears. All my friends are married with kids, I'm not. When will I buy my own car. I am 60 and don't own no house yet.

This is the stage some children who are now graduates cannot show off their parents publicly because they feel they are illiterates. A stage where a man jilts his wife to marry someone he thinks befits his new social status and it is a stage where young people would do anything just to feel among.

It is called social pressure realities, influenced by peer groups and it most times driven by the need to meet unrealistic expectations.

This is the state of gross dissatisfaction and those who feel successful can as well become overly insensitive, robbing it off on the faces of those they consider unsuccessful in life.

Are you striving hard daily to meet some public expectations? Whose plans are you running with?

It is good to have a reputation that is honorable publicly, but to build it on lies and desperation is what is not right.



The Key Need Here - Character (Composure Development)

Anyone at this stage must prioritize character. Character here is a compound word that describes dignity, integrity and loyalty.

These three components will give you composure as you face daily life's huddles. You are not easily tossed here and there by every weight of opinion and temptation.

- Dignity is earned through self-accountability built on the values of diligence, competence and consistency.
- Integrity is strengthened when you do what you say and you live up to your standards in words and performance.
- Loyalty is built when you choose to become a slave of your dignity and integrity over external temptations.

With good character development ensured at this stage, we will above all, be able to pursue knowledge with commitment, labor with diligence, deal with fairness and run with sane conscience and contentment.

If you have once broken your values because you derailed in search of safety, it is not too late to retrace your steps.

Peace of mind is not just what you pray for, but what you build through sacrifice and intentional living.



Wisdom Pill:

Don't seek to be the best or the biggest so you can oppress others or show off, rather seek to be the best of yourself so you can share and serve your world out of your abundance.

If you checked someone out and you feel happy when you discover that you have a larger following, or a better car or more degrees than the person then, you need a heart check.

If your goal is always to outdo others from a place of pride in order to be the most celebrated and talked about, then you need a heart check.

Greatness is not just in what you have but in who you are. Are you opened to helping others become better? Do you ride on your success to indirectly assault and insult others?

If you are reading this and you are in a race, the question, who is chasing you? And if you are feeling compelled by the need to do something you are not ready or matured for, ask yourself, to what end?

Don't socialize to radicalize, socialize to industrialize, edify and energize in order to foster good causes, amplify good virtues, build enduring values and leave an enviable legacy.



Chapter Three Summary:

Social Need – The Stage of Contradiction

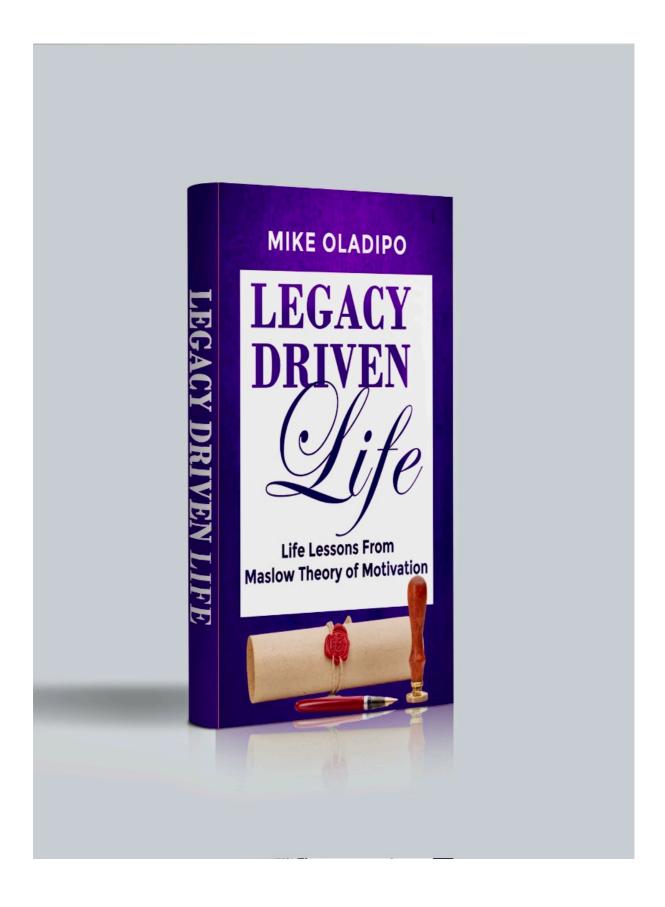
Characteristics:

- 1. Value Transfer
- 2. Values Concretization
- 3. External Opinions & Public Expectations

The Key Need Here - Character (Composure Development)









CHAPTER FOUR

ESTEEM NEED – The Stage of Temptation

This is the stage I called, "The Stage of Temptation".

This is a stage you can consider to be the stage of freedom. A stage where you feel a sense of victory over the negative consequences of your family history and many unpleasant situations you inherited.

A state you have longed and worked. A stage you prayed and fasted to get to. This is that stage where you have attained personal success, corporate success and you are on autopilot mode to unstoppable greatness.

This is that stage where others look up to you. You feel proud of your effort over the years. You can eat what you want, wear what you like and go anywhere you want to go at any time.

You are no longer timid and your voice is no longer muted by fear, you have found the "Hero in You" and you are confident in your abilities and qualifications.

On your walls are hanging awards and honors as rewards for your years of sacrifices.

On the pages of newspapers are your words and faces spreading your success stories and how you made it from the pit to the palace.



And for the person who has been struggling from stage one, this stage (Esteem stage) unveils a new series of threats to your peace as you also desire and want to be like those who are shinning and winning, yet you can't just seem to find the missing link.

You are not the usually proverbial "a fool at 40" by desire but life's imbalances and your lack of know-how has denied you this privilege and you are now feeling like you have lost time.

I want you to know that it is only late if you say and believe you are late. You are never too late to make a change and turn your whole life around.

That you have gone 40 years on a wrong path should not be the reason to live the rest of your life on that path explaining why you missed the road and why you can't turn back.

Transformation begins where the truth is known and it begins to unfold when steps are taken in the direction the truth reveals. Your greatness is trapped within you; you must determine to unleash.

Some Key Characteristics at This Stage:

1. Over-Amplification

Those who made it hail, healthy and happy to the self-esteem stage have the tendency to over-amplify and this is why this stage is called the stage of temptation.



Any damage done at this stage can render your years of struggle invalid, thereby laying a wrong foundation for those you will raise because of your over-bloated impressions and disconnection from reality.

At this stage, it is important one is guided and guarded by a strong sense of higher purpose beyond material things.

There are many who worked their ways here legitimately but they did so just to prove a point and not to leave a stronger impact on humanity.

Ideologies and philosophies can change generations if documented and fabricated from a place of depth, balance and pureness of intentions.

You may be tempted to over-amplify your ability to succeed and thereby belittling the courage and efforts of those who are trying to rise.

You may be tempted to credit your survival to your human strength while ignoring the divine support God granted. This stage requires a great deal of self-awareness and discipline.

Your motivation can pick signals from your unexpressed anger against lack, that you become highly emotional in an attempt to help others change at all cost without considering their histories, personalities and peculiarity.

That you hustled through life and made it doesn't mean everyone must follow the template you used to move from survival to success.



You must also understand that IQ is not evenly distributed, your capacity is not every other person's capacity.

Some are called to not just a profession, but a calling. Attempt to make them to start discarding their higher purpose in order to beat poverty may impair your good intention and their divine mission.

Beautiful intention and passion can generate negative emotional and mental pressure when not enforced and deployed under coordinated tone and approach.

Balance is key as we motivate others to grow and win. This is why before you motivate, know where you are motivating from, what you are motivating for and who you are motivating. This is to prevent over-amplification of your difference.

2. Detachment Tendencies

There are those who also after reaching a stage of freedom, lose total passion, concern and interest for those rising up the ladder.

They enjoy their confident state so much that they've suddenly forgotten how they used to stutter and were helped by the generous investments of compassionate people.

They express strong disgust for their past and anyone who reflects or seen trying to overcome those things they once struggled with.



The reason behind this most times is that, many of them were diligent and determined enough just to conquer poverty, not because they have a stronger purpose for life. And now that poverty is conquered, nothing much to live for.

Don't make conquering poverty your lifetime goal, desire to conquer it in order to fulfill a higher purpose – your God designed purpose for life.

It is probably why you see some people who used to be up and doing and very gracious suddenly drop in passion and you can't seem to find all the enviable qualities you used to admire in them.

Their discipline was motivated by the need to conquer their prevailing situation. Now that they have conquered, they need a higher resolve and people-focused vision to generate new level of energy and excitement.

3. Imposed Pressure

For some, they don't detach, they however become more attached. They become more attached to their new success that they will threaten and fight anyone that seems to oppose or criticize them.

They look successful but they are still hurting. They smile but sad. They pretend like they are strong but they are emotionally sick and their pride won't let them seek help or accept this truth.



Some others become attached to winning that they always want to find the next thing to do to sustain that sense of relevance. This is also an attempt to cover their emptiness.

Do you know anyone who seems to have many and want more titles for no cogent reason? They seem to always want to set up something new, launch this and that so people can feel they are busy with much.

The bad thing here is, they are still driven by public expectations and would rather impose unnecessary pressure on themselves to send a signal that they are still here and riding.

Many have hurt themselves health wise, many have lost money and others have gone to lose what they built because of the urge to always want to keep up.

They become negatively competitive and take uncalculated risks because of their over-bloated sense of relevance and presumed immunity against failure.

They end up becoming highly vulnerable and exposed to many misfortunes due to their ways of life. With this, they end of making more enemies than friends and in the long run grow in frustration and pain.

Haven't you heard of billionaires who committed suicide?

It beats imagination and common rationality to expect a billionaire that probably has everything at his finger tip to do such. It is more than what you see physically, somewhere down at heart, they are sick.



This is caused by over boosted achievement motivation gone in the wrong direction.

One thing you must know is that, you can't be in the spotlight forever, understand your peak season and enjoy it.

Do not keep competing when you should be the one raising and enthroning the new kings and queens.

The Key Need Here - Accountability (Mentorship Support)

If you are at this level, there is no doubt of your competence, you must take your character development to a new height and that is why you need trusted mentors to hold you accountable.

Their goal would be to review your projects, programs and decisions just before you make them.

If you are small and unknown, your decisions may have consequences on only you, but once you are big, popular and successful, your decisions can ruin in one day what you built in 20 years.



Wisdom Pill:

The lessons of your journey must be documented to guide the coming generation.

This is the stage to start prioritizing people over pay.

You have learned upward and you have moved up, it is time to invest downward and help others climb. Be the bridge!

It is not the stage to be competing for public praise.

Draw less attention to yourself (personality) and draw more attention to the impact of your work and to the people you are raising through your purpose, passion, potentials, products, projects, programs and platforms.



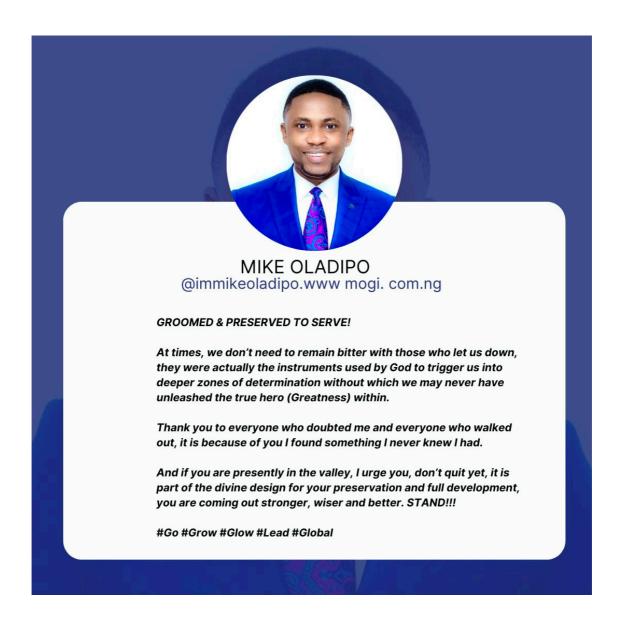
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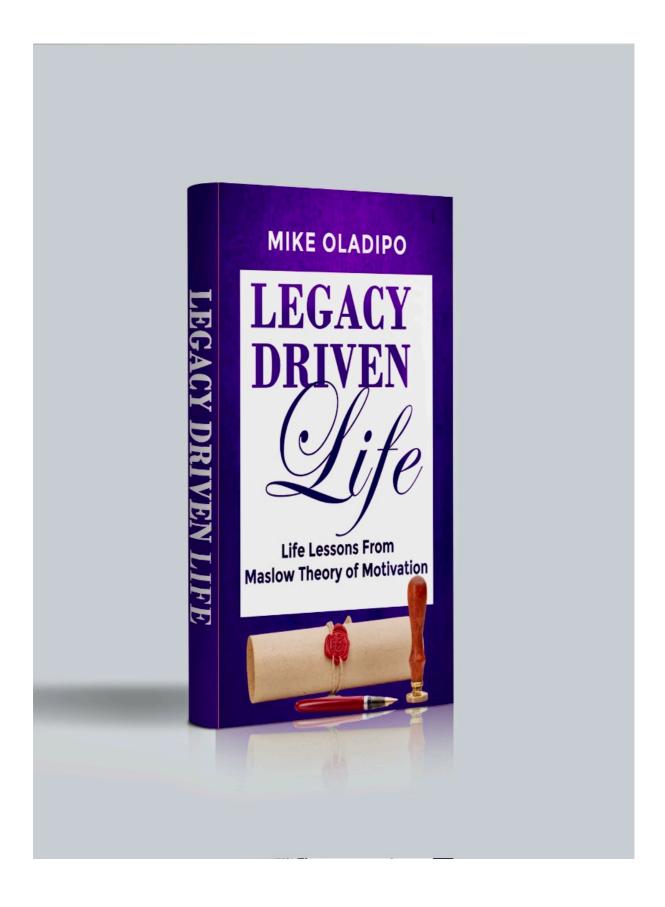
Characteristics:

- 1. Over-Amplification
- 2. Detachment Tendencies
- 3. Imposed Pressure

The Key Need Here - Accountability (Mentorship Support)









CHAPTER FIVE

SELF-ACTUALIZATION NEED – The Stage of Adoration

This is the stage I called, "The Stage of Adoration".

This is the last stage of human need according to Maslow. This is a stage where you want to feel the uttermost good about yourself and you want to be recognized, rewarded and respected for it at the highest levels.

You feel the urge to go for more, to push yourself to the highest level of your potentials because of a strong sense of possibility that now lives and abides with you.

Everyone wants to get to this level - the flow state of performance, profit and pedigree.

It is the highest level on the hierarchy and it is the one that has the less number of people.

The urge to get here is present in everyone, but the discipline required to get and stay there is usually the limiting factor.

You can't attain this by yourself and for yourself. It is a state of endorsement that is validated by the people.

We can measure how you are doing at this level by what the people are saying about you.



This is where we can get a clearer clue of how you rose to greatness and your many hidden ventures start to come to light with the prevailing feedbacks and energy your new status and personality now generates.

If you are not a people person, you may have many accomplishments and qualifications and still may not enjoy public goodwill.

Focusing on yourself has helped you climb, but focusing on helping others will help you sustain your relevance here.

Now, if you got the structuring wrong from the very start of the need hierarchy, if you have always wanted everything to be about you, switching at this level to begin to genuinely serve others with your greatness will be very hard and such actions may even be perceived to be manipulative.

This is because you self-focused style will drive you harder, you will still want to be in the news every day. You will want to be the only voice people consult.

You will detest the idea of raising others and you will probably despise young dreamers who are pushing to do what you've done.

On the extreme is the other side, to manipulate in order to stay in control. You will want to clone to own, mentor to torment, coach to colonize instead of grooming to let go and going close to contribute and endorse.



Some Key Characteristics at This Stage:

1. Exaggeration Tendencies

Those who get here have the possibility of zoning into a state and habit of over exaggeration if humility, self-awareness and discipline is not maintained.

This could be done to make others look extremely bad or to make themselves look extremely good.

They may make things look harder than it is just to send a signal that you are not able and that such feat is only for people like them.

They enjoy the emotional gratification that comes with people seeing them as a god who can defile uncommon laws.

They may also exaggerate their stories and over praise their achievements in order to further feel good.

However, those who get here with the right mindset will rather shift the attention to those that helped them.

They use their greatness at this level to draw others up and lavish praise on those struggling.

They identify with the weak to strengthen and they give generously to good causes to multiply good in the society.



2. Super Human Propensity

This stage may also make you believe that because you've achieved greatness in different areas and accumulated wealth, honors, awards and accolade that you can do anything you want to anyone however you like.

That is why you see some persons become obsessively uncultured and arrogant in their manners. They can attempt to take what is not theirs because they believe they have the powers that be behind them.

This is a "super hero" attribute gone wrong. Some believe that they have their life in perfect control and so cannot be limited.

They also believe they are not prone to errors and because of their wealth and power, they can never lose, lack or take a back seat again in life.

The ability to dream and do the impossible is in everyone, but when taken to the extreme with "self" in focus can turn a person into a monster.

As we aspire and pursue greatness, we must prepare for these manifestations and equip those around us for the realities that this stage holds.

3. Boundless Escapades

Boundless escapade is an extension of the last point. When you begin to have your ways freely without questioning.



When your indulgencies flow without coordinated restrains. When the mindset of impossibility is deployed to foster greed and evil.

When you have achieved all you can think of, know that the law of "deficit principles" says that, once one goal is conquered, it no longer serves as a source of motivation to grow, so you begin to dream of what more can be done.

This is what pushes people to start to think strangely; they start making attempts to alter divine designs and structures.

The soul of man is insatiable in wants and when overridden by pleasure, it complicates every sense of moderation and caution.

We must know that even though all things can be dreamed and pursued, it is also good to know that not all things can be achieved by you.

The world does not revolve around you, there are things packaged for others to birth, lead and control by divine design.

You can't be everywhere, do everything and have everything.

Man must know his limits; failure to know this is why some people end up losing all they built to greed and gross irrationality.



The Key Need Here – Contentment (Conscience Development)

If you are lucky to make it here, first, see it as a privilege because it is only few who get to make it here.

You will also observe that you did not get here by yourself, certain occurrences, events, platforms and people played strategic roles in your emergence.

Just like becoming "The President" of a nation, such privilege is not opened to everyone, it is only a few persons who can hold that position in every generation.

Emergence at this level must have taken due consultations, strategic planning and endorsement of many people in your favor.

Therefore, this truth should guide your heart, that for you to be here, it is a trusted privilege you've been given to serve your generation.

It is not something to brag about or accord yourself unnecessary praise for but something to be really humbled by and hold yourself accountable for.

Without contentment, you will break the code and you will be seen by God as ungrateful and by the people as unreasonable.

That is why you must prioritize character development as you grow. The part of your character you must ensure at this state is the "Affective Domain" where you purify your conscience and deepen your compassion.



Wisdom Pills:

As much as we all desire to rise through these levels, not everyone will be privileged to make it and thrive sustainably at the self-actualization stage.

The support systems and needed structures to make informed decisions per time may not be available to all.

Purpose pursuit gives you a good advantage to live a fulfilled life, because in the end, what we all seek is fulfillment and a sense of dignity, security, love, significance and relevance.

Purpose is not just a word or a passion. It is your disposition to life. The message, the goodwill and the value your life embodies, these are the things that affect the way you think, act and react.

If you discover that your rising to the highest level of this hierarchy is fast and early, be grateful but then, you may also have a challenge.

The challenge of accomplishing so much early that you begin to spend the rest of your days in boredom and uncontrollable lifestyle of self-indulgence because of lack of higher-healthy aspirations.

This is why you should always prioritize people over profit. As long as you live, there will always be people to serve, save and settle.



As you wrap up this reading, what I want you to do is to begin with the end in mind.

Plan your exit and write your departure statement.

- What can you see?
- How did you end?
- What did you leave behind?
- Who did you raise?
- Who did you serve?
- What are they saying?

Let these questions provoke a deeper search for deeper reason to live.

When this is done, we can say a true life of meaning has been birthed and we can then beckon on God, Destiny and Nature to conspire generously in your favor.



Chapter Five Summary:

Self-Actualization Need – Stage of Adoration

Characteristics:

- 1. Exaggeration Tendencies
- 2. Super Human Propensity
- 3. Boundless Escapades

The Key Need Here – Contentment (Conscience Development)



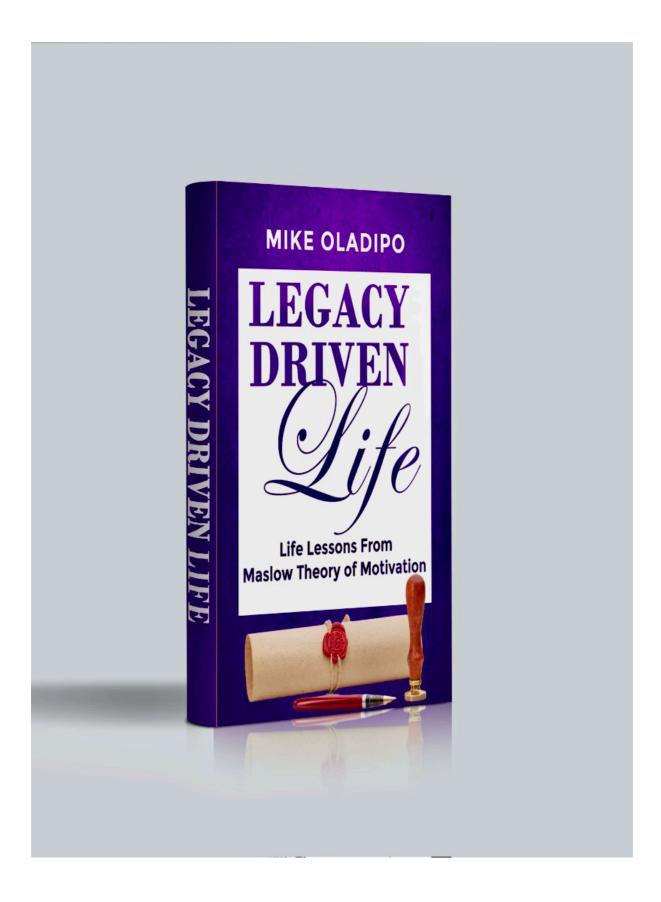


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NEED	STAGE	CHARACTERISTICS	KEY NEED	DESCRIPTION
PHYSIOLOGICAL	CONFUSION	Identity struggle Survival Necessity Sustained Reality	CLARITY	COURAGE DEVELOPMENT
SAFETY	DESPERATION	Compromise Tendencies Associational Influence Self-Imposed Isolation	SKILL	COMPETENCE DEVELOPMENT
SOCIAL	CONTRADICTION	Value Transfer Values Concretization External Opinions & Public Expectations	CHARACTER	COMPOSURE DEVELOPMENT
ESTEEM	TEMPTATION	Over-Amplification Detachment Tendencies Imposed Pressure	ACCOUNTABILITY	MENTORSHIP SUPPORT
SELF-ACTUALIZATION	ADORATION	Exaggeration Tendencies Super Human Propensity Boundless Escapades	CONTENTMENT	CONSCIENCE DEVELOPMENT

"The true beauty of life is measured not only by what you have become and achieved, but in what you have helped others to achieve and become because of who and what you are becoming — Dr. Mike Oladipo."









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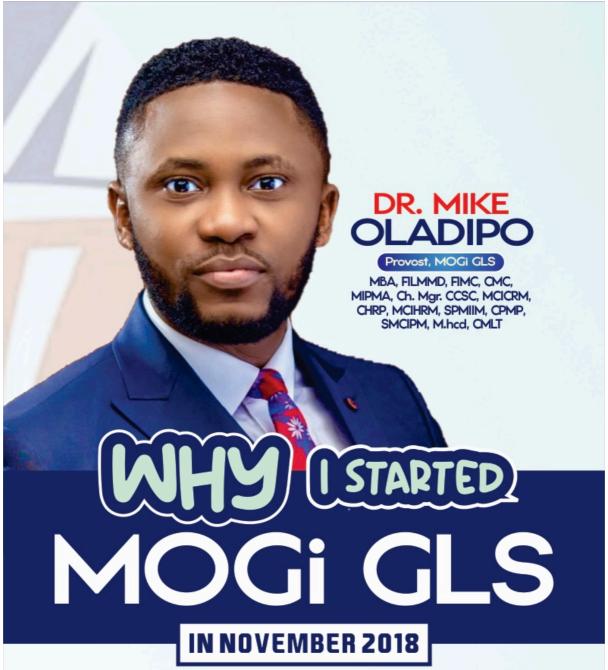
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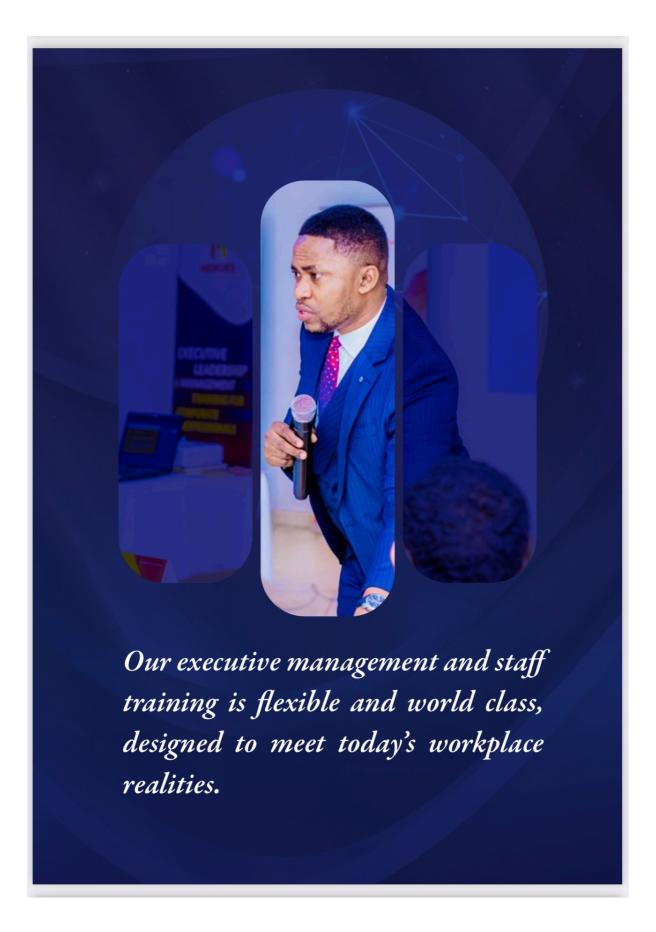
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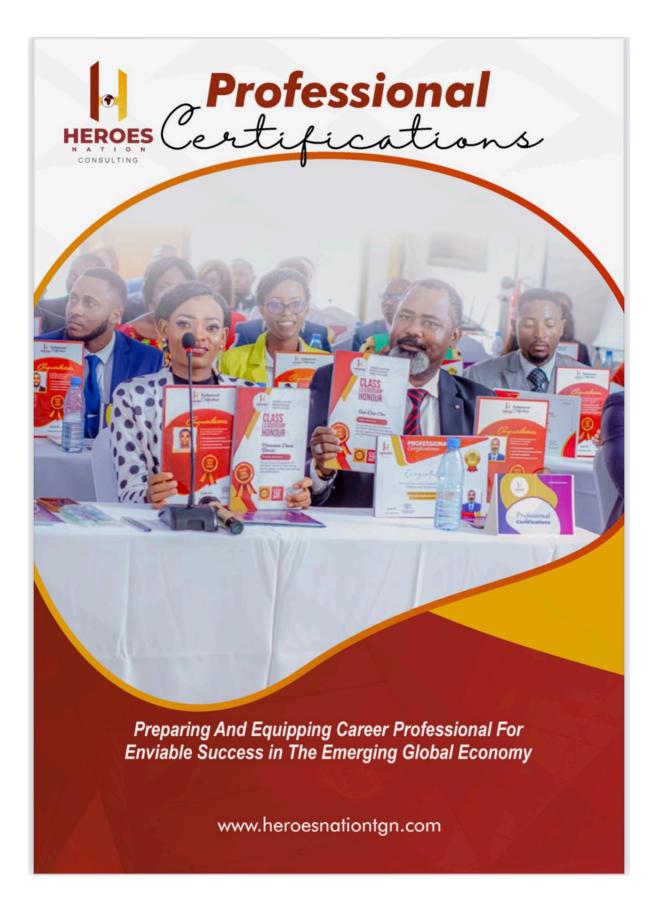
















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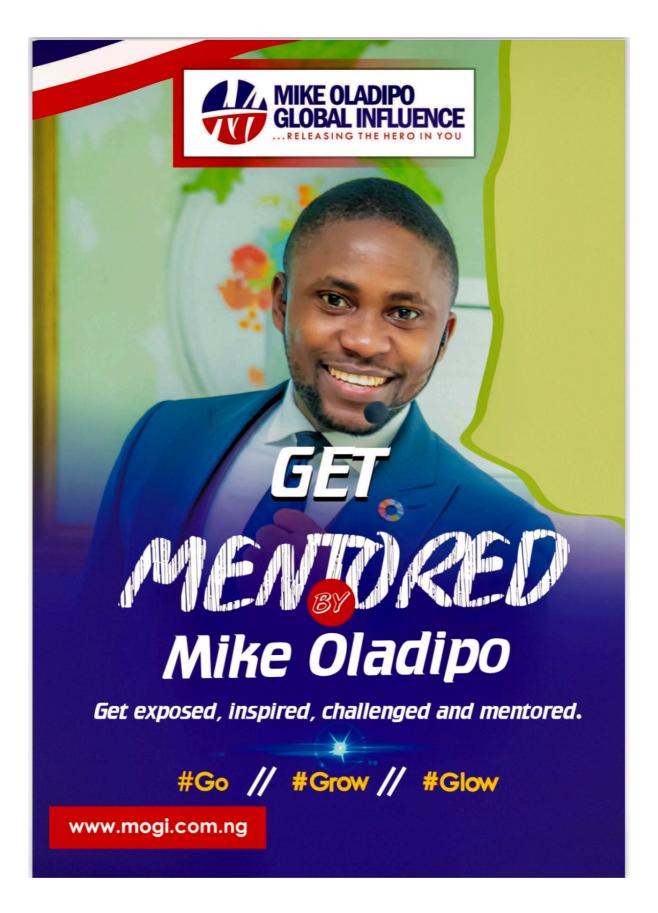
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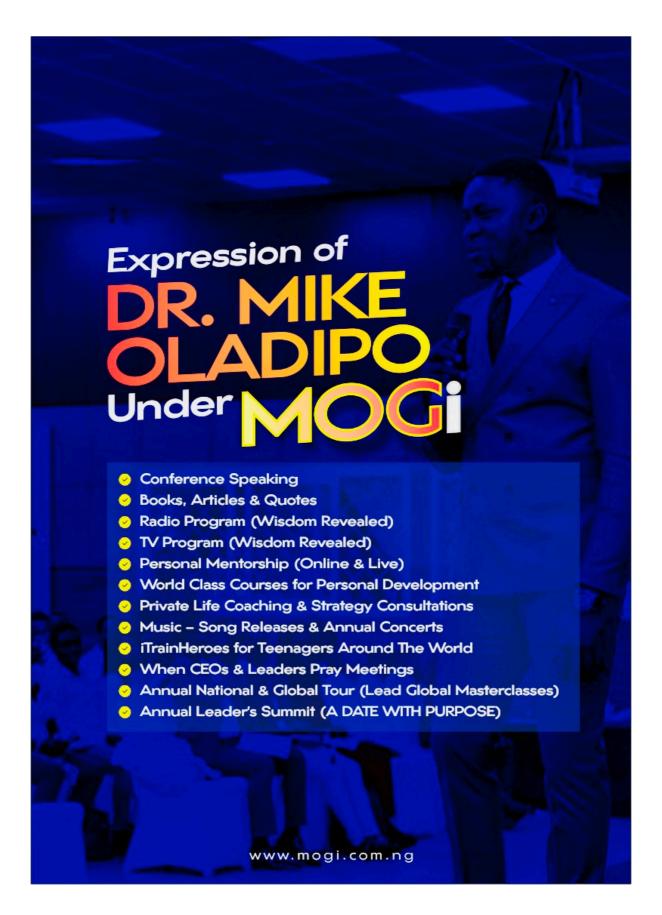




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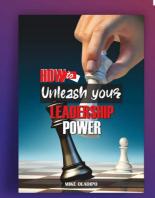
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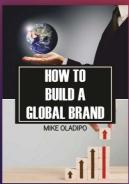


















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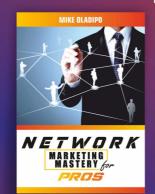
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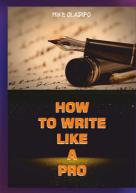




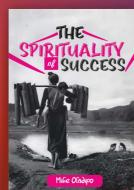
















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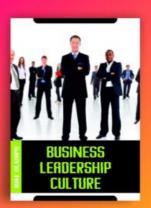




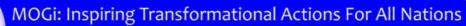










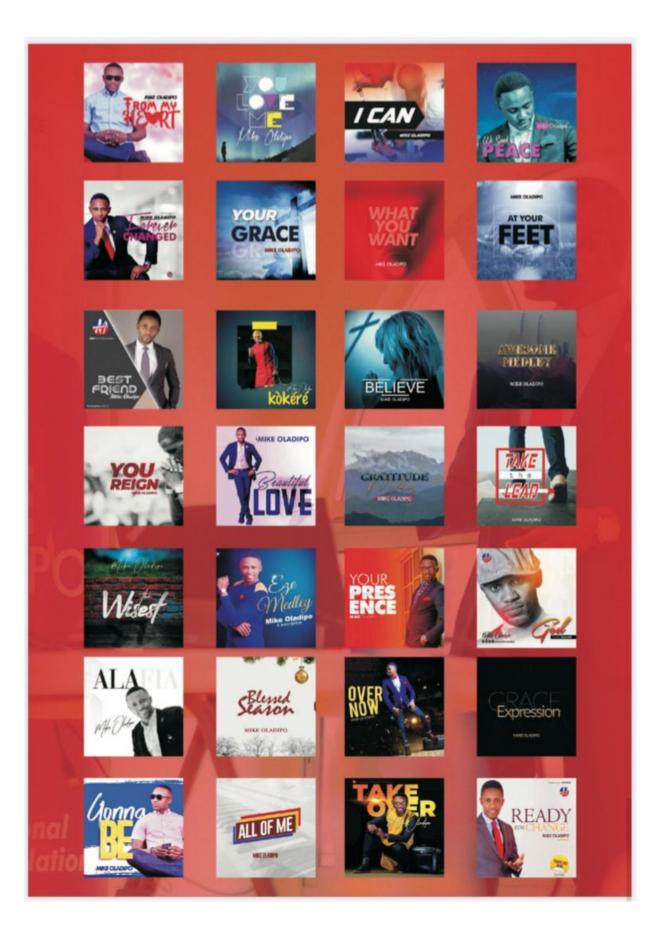


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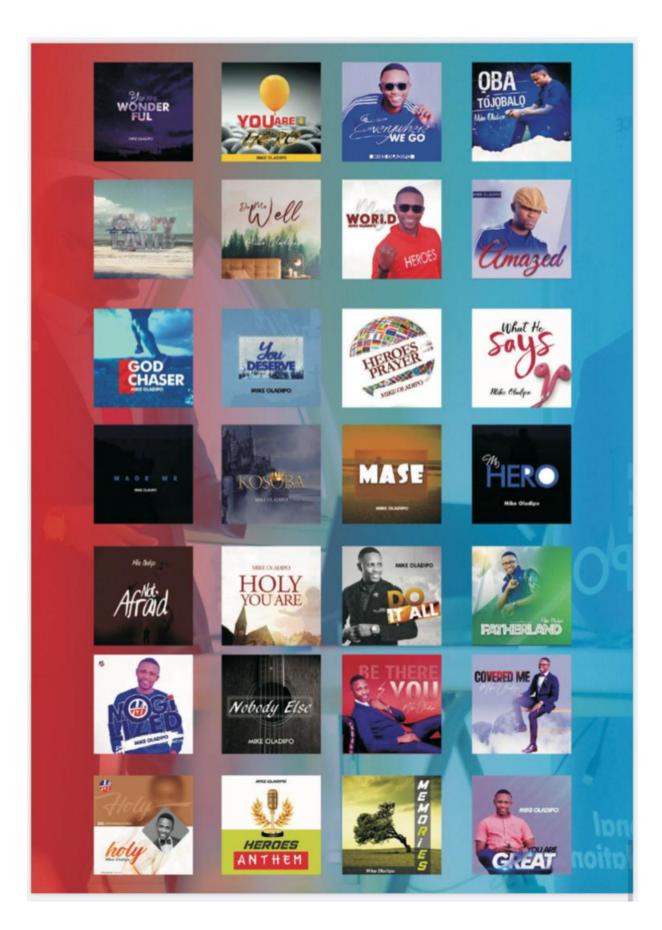




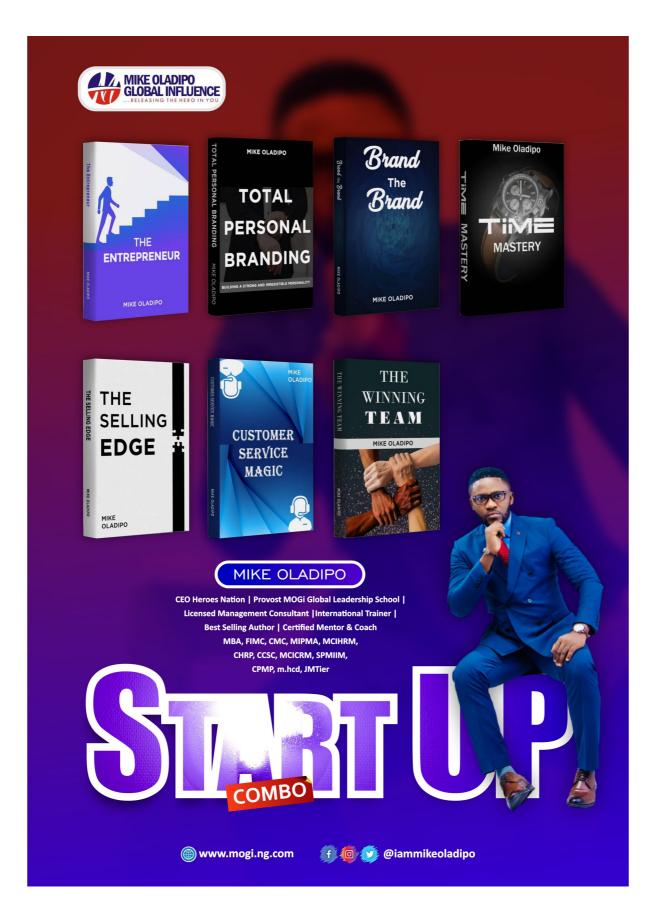




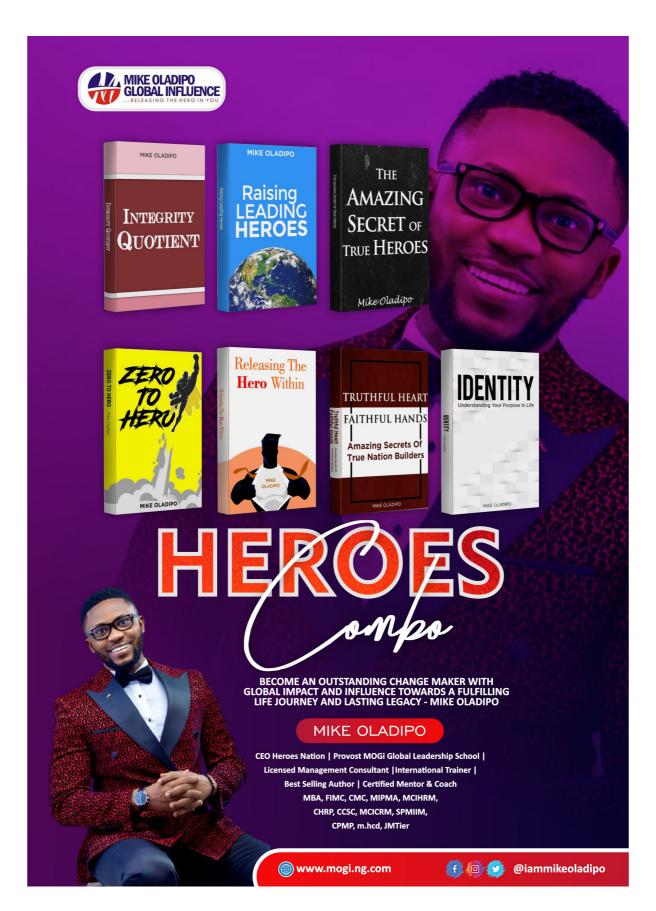








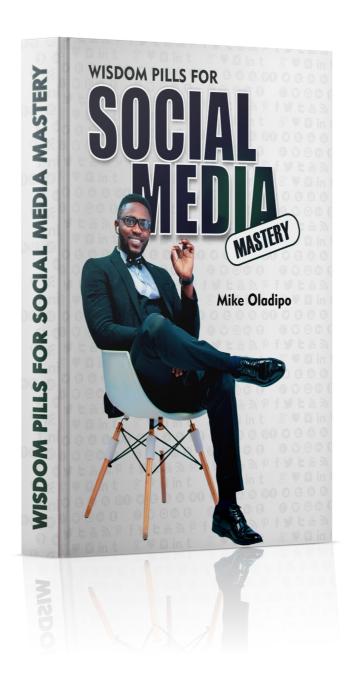




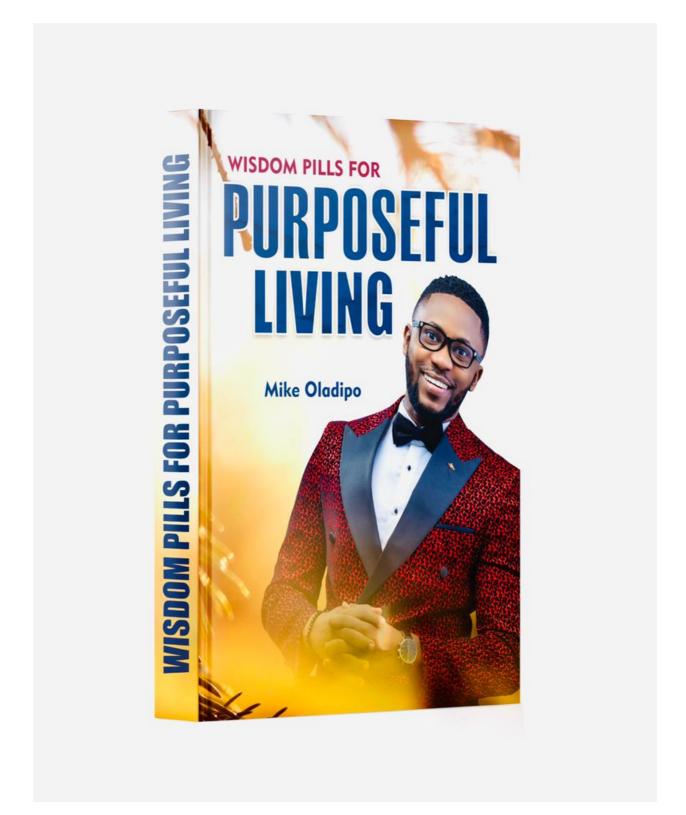




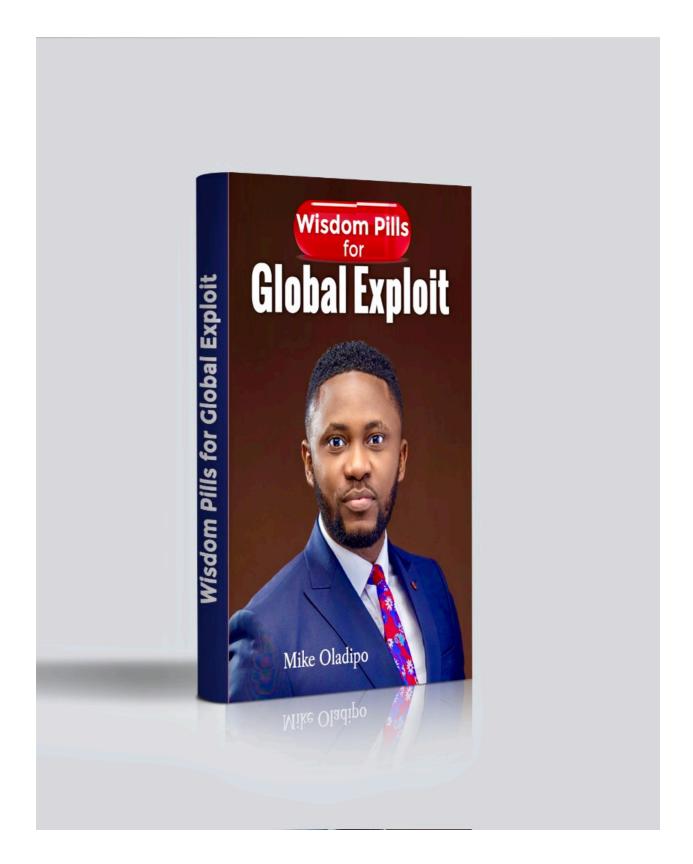




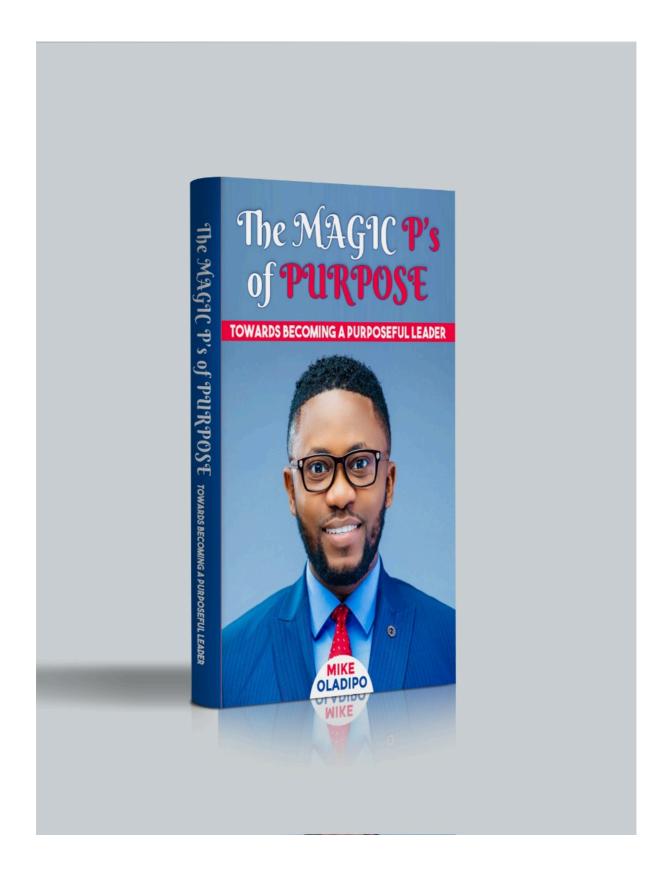




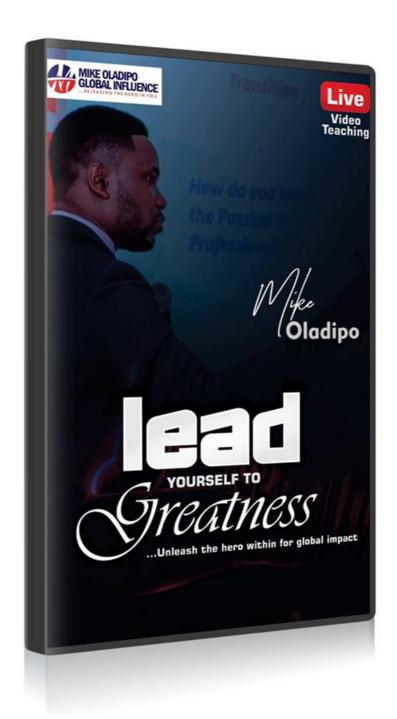




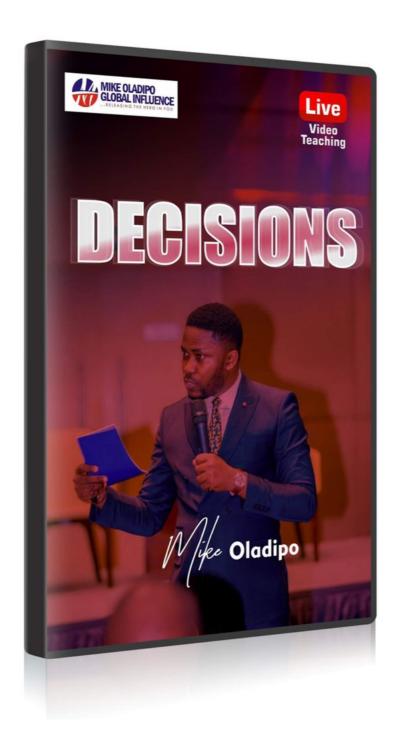








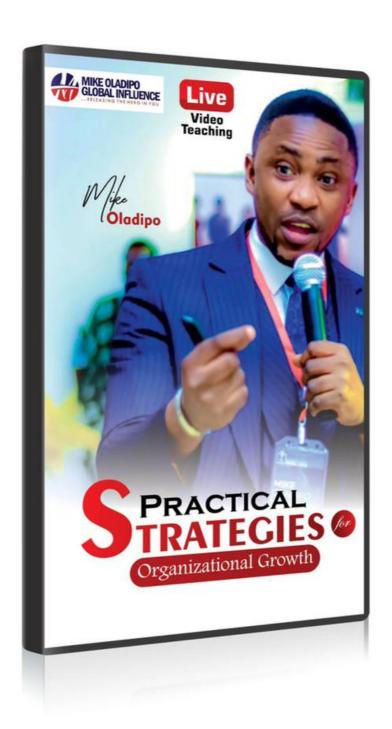
















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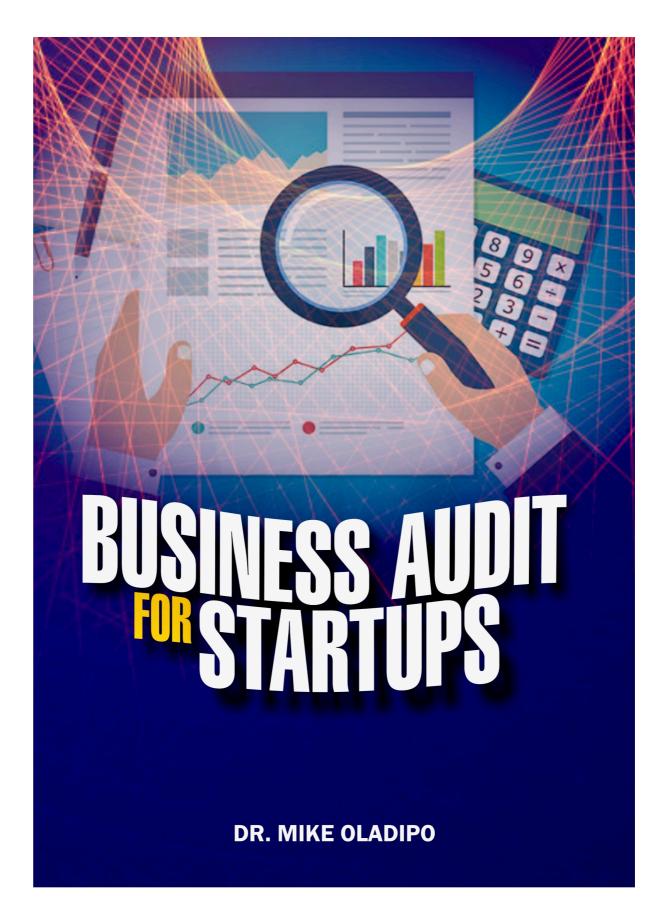
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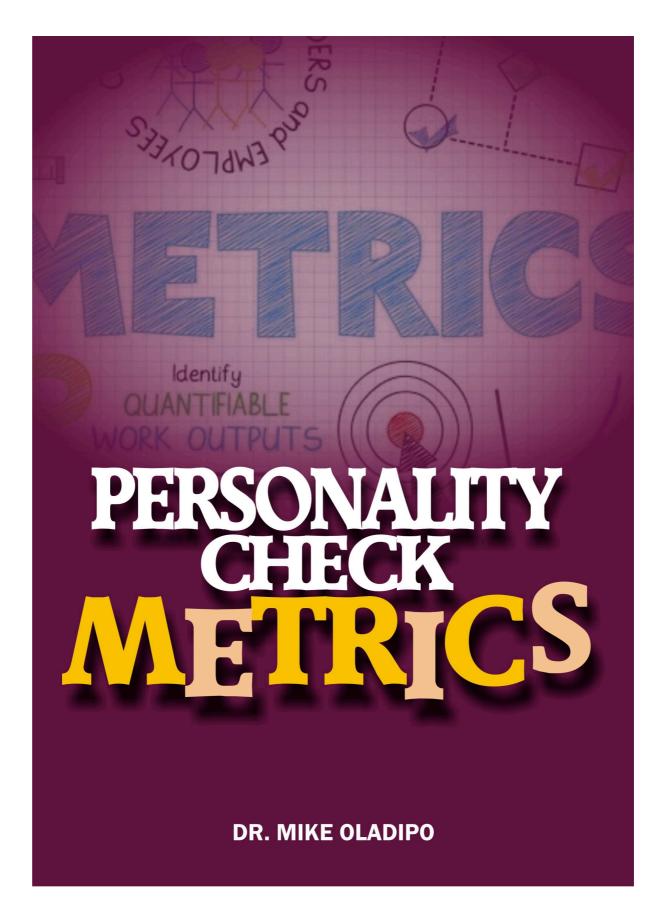




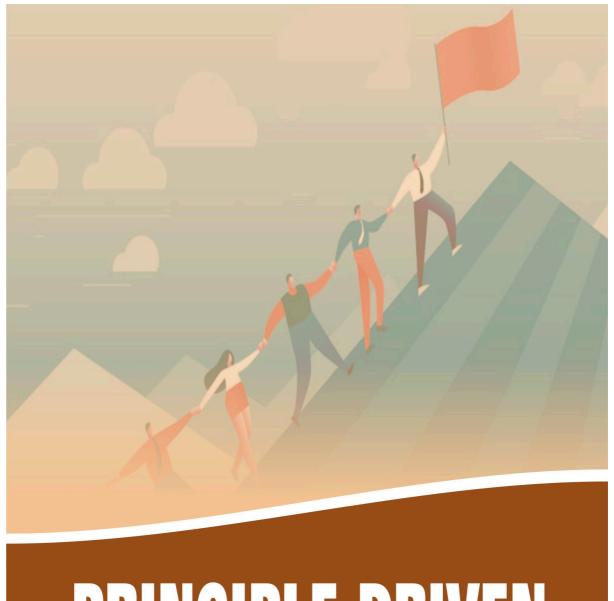












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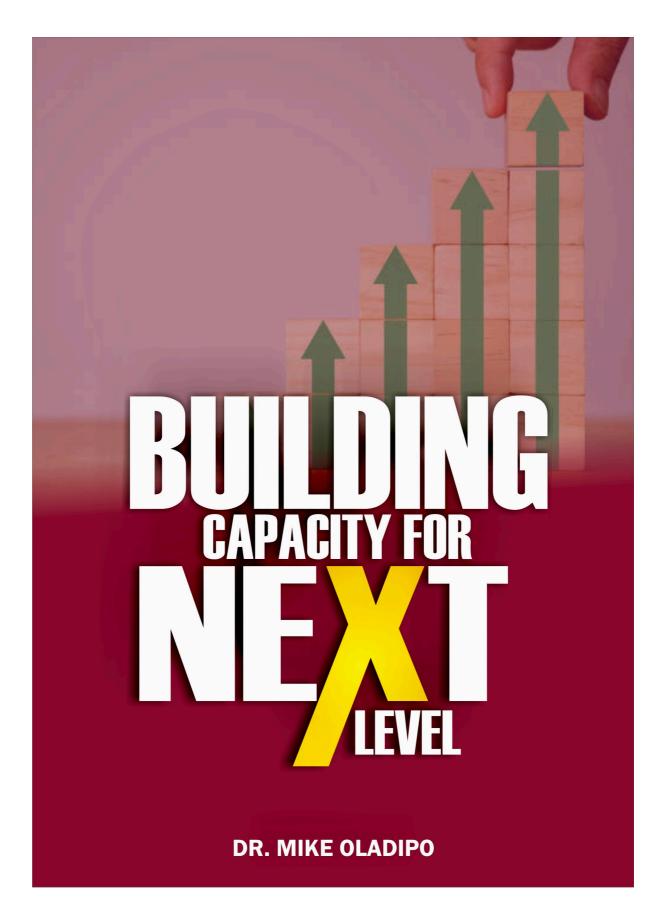




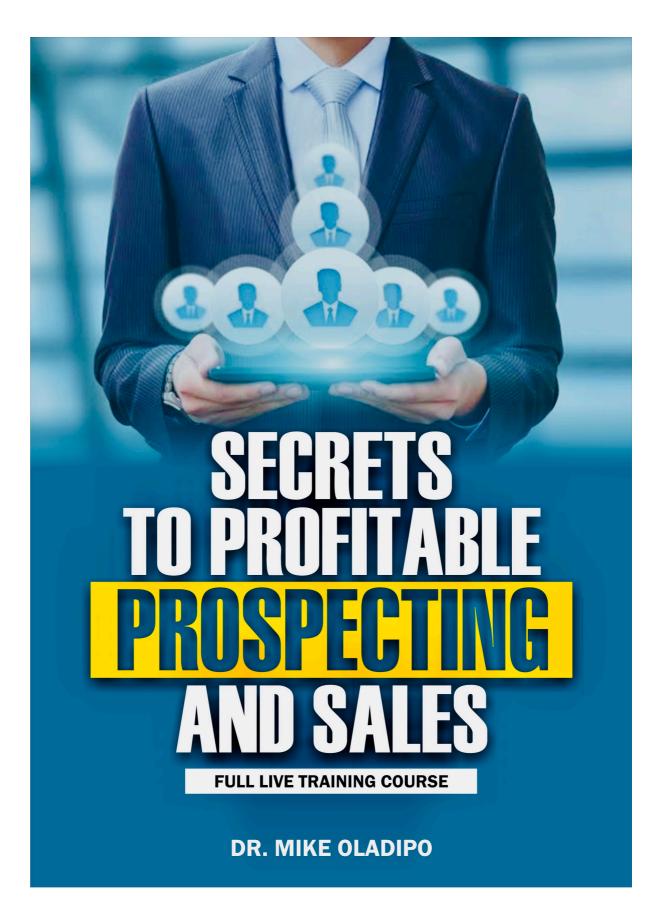




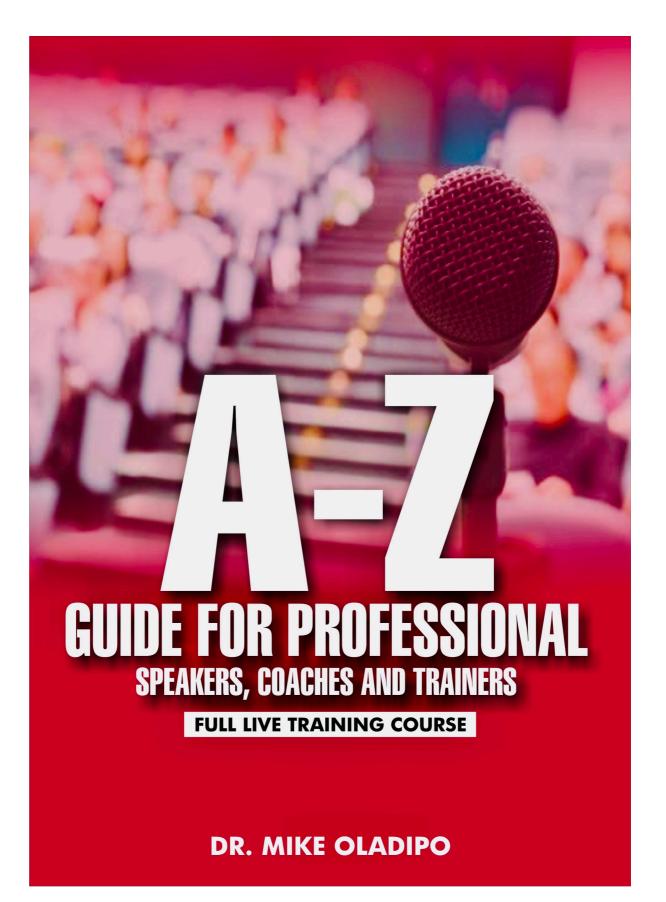






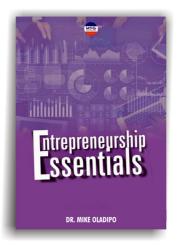




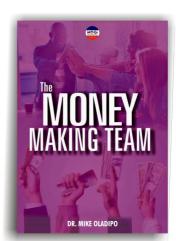


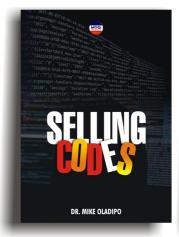


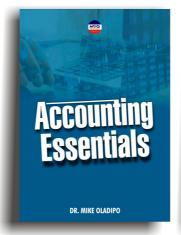








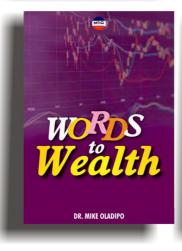


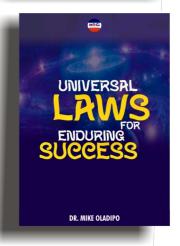




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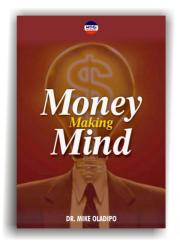
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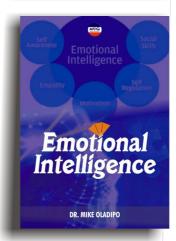






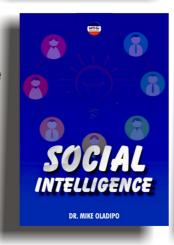


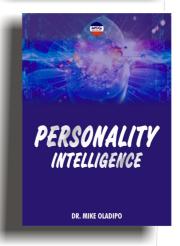




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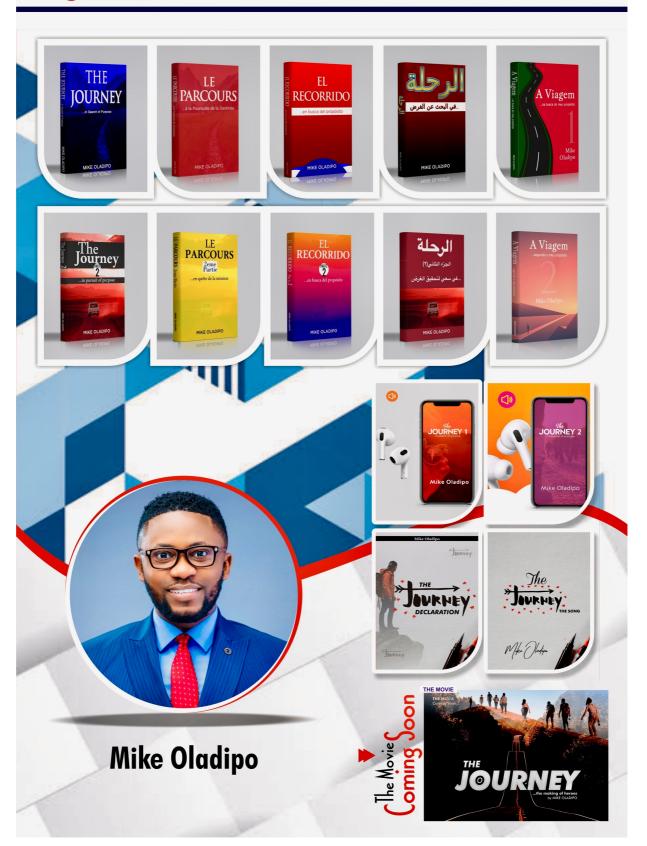








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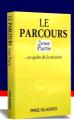




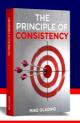


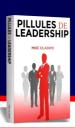














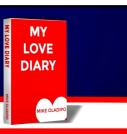














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