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OF TARGET

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ABSTRACT: Target must be time bound. Otherwise it will be of no use at all. If success comes after stipulated period of time then it is meaningless. If doctor comes after the expiry of the patient it implies failure of time management, the crucial ingredient of human life. The humour goes, "Operation is successful but the patient is dead". Here neither the doctor achieves his success nor does the patient get back his life. Both lose targets. Both fail successfully.

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INTRODUCTION

Creative writing is based more on manifestation rather than on expression. It does not inform, rather it reveals. So it bears no reference. The best creative writing is critical, and the best critical writing is creative. This article is an outcome of thinking about creative writing meant for a general readership. As such, I have adopted a free style methodology so that everyone can enjoy the pleasure of reading. As you might know, Francis Bacon (1561-1626), the immortal essayist, wrote many essays namely 'Of Love', 'Of Friendship', 'Of Ambition', 'Of Studies', and so on. The multiple-minded genius correctly pointed out that all the words of the dictionary can be used as themes for essays. But little has been done since his death to continue or finish his monumental task. Bacon's unique individual style of

presentation ignited my imagination and encouraged me to write creative essays as a method of relieving a wide range of emotions through catharsis.

ARTICLE

Target is a person, object, or place selected as the aim of an attack. For example: The airport was the target of the attacker.

It is a goal to be achieved.

It is an object of ridicule or criticism.

It is something or someone to be affected by an action or development.

Historically it is a small round shield or buckler.

Target may be either direct or indirect. Direct target is always better. Sometimes direct target is not possible. Also, in some cases, it is less effective. Then indirect action is better than direct action. The matter should be handled cautiously considering all aspects. There is no hard and fast rule in this regard.

Any situation is the outcome of resultant effect of various factors known, unknown, controllable and uncontrollable factors. None knows what will happen and what will be the target.

To reach the target both determination and dedication are must. Any lacunae of the either will shut the door of success. Since effort differs outcome differs. Similar is their gradation.

Perseverance is a tool to reach the target. All cannot focus towards objective for long. Consistency is very important. Attention helps to attain success. All are not attentive. All cannot be attentive. All are not destined to be attentive. Very few are blessed by this divine grace. More few can utilize it timely. This answers why successful persons are numbered.

If a person wants to attack someone then, at first, it is judicious to judge the strength and weakness of the concerned target person. If the person is stronger and alert then it is a risky job. Then the only option is to attack him in his weak moment. If the person cannot judge the careless moment of the target or lacks in confidence then it is judicious not to attack. Rather compromise or request is better than attacking. Otherwise he may face danger instead of throwing the target in danger.

A hunter is always alert regarding attack from the wild animal. He may miss the presence of the animal. Similarly, he may not know that the animal is following him. In both the cases his life is in danger. The hunter goes to the forest to kill the target then instead of killing he may become the target i.e. prey of the wild animal.

Torture is of two kinds physical and mental. In case of physical attack there are three outcomes viz., either the target may be partly wounded or severely

wounded or may die. In all these cases the attacker faces punishment. But in case of mental torture the target may be upset or many times the emotional soul may commit suicide. Here punishment becomes difficult for unseen activities.

Someone attacks. Someone attacks not. Both are personality traits. The first category wants to take revenge thereby to prove his supremacy or to teach the target a good lesson that he will be paid back by his own coin. Then the target will not attack further.

The second category argues that one attack gives birth to another attack and so on. It is an endless episode of an infinite drama. Sometimes this revenge transfers from one generation to another generation and so on. Ultimately, it is wastage of time, money and energy as well. Man realizes it in later period of life when he becomes completely exhausted. Ultimately, a wise member of the family becomes active and compromises with all concerned and all the members become happy.

A quarrelsome person can continue his fighting with another quarrelsome person only. They are best matched. The theory goes if two partners are quarrelsome i.e. of equally strong then quarrel continues till they breathe their last. It is, usually, seen in between an unhappy couple. It is culture free. As such it is a daily drama of the society around the world. Either the neighbors enjoy it or become irritated from this sound pollution. If either of the persons is weaker then it cannot continue for long. However, the best strategy is not to attack or re-attack.

Quarrel is a bi-partite issue seldom a one-sided game. Obviously, the weaker party has to face loss and bear it permanently for permanent peace. As such a judicious weak person avoids an evil soul. If, unfortunately, the neighbor is quarrelsome or wants to encroach his property then he changes his residence to save him from total eviction without any compensation. The sooner the better.

To achieve target thereby realize ambition one must not divert his attention. He will try repeatedly till he becomes successful. Attention is alias and akin to physical pain. Very few persons can bear

that pain. This answers why successful persons are so numbered. Instead the society is infested with restless mob that become violent for the trifling matter and become too glad thereby becomes too mad when get the coveted thing. They are too extreme in both the situations. As such it is difficult to handle them and utmost care is to be taken in this regard.

Target must be time bound. Otherwise it will be of no use at all. If success comes after stipulated period of time then it is meaningless. If doctor comes after the expiry of the patient it implies failure of time management, the crucial ingredient of human life. The humour goes, "Operation is successful but the patient is dead". Here neither the doctor achieves his success nor does the patient get back his life. Both lose targets. Both fail successfully.

Success is target. Successful failure cannot be target. It is quite absurd. But this absurd thinking becomes the target in match fixing. Match fixing is a nasty game. It involves huge transaction of money. In such game the batsman gets out easily. The bowler balls callously instead of cautiously. Similarly, in football the goal keeper does not keep the goal. The soccer does not kick the ball in the net. All the players deviate from their standard expertise which is perceived but cannot be proved. The supporters mourn.

A hunter targets an animal. Also the animal targets the hunter as prey when it sees the hunter in the forest. Who will be the prey depends upon the cunningness of the opponent. Similarly, a detective chases a criminal in disguise of a lay person. Also the criminal may escape from the reach of the detective. If the detective can befool the criminal only then the criminal can be arrested otherwise hide and seek game continues for an indefinite period of time. The most interesting point is that both detective and criminal are known to each other.

Sadistic pleasure is a low graded entertainment. Not only the lower class people but also the so-called elite class gets amusement from it. Then the higher elite class becomes alias and akin to proletariat. In case of lower class the target either is

a mad or a handicapped or a poor person who become irritated by any provocation either verbal or physical or by vulgar gesture and posture. In case of high society the target is a person of same rank and status. The more abuse, the more violent, the more is enjoyment. It continues till a mishap takes place.

Target is omnipresent. Human traffickers target children. These children are used for begging or child laborer or for stealing or cheating purpose. If the minor child is caught red-handed while stealing then the person cannot punish it out of passion and kind-heartedness as well. The trafficker takes the advantage of emotion. They simply exploit the tenderness of human soul.

They target the teenaged girls for engaging in prostitution. A widow-hunter takes the advantage of the helplessness of the poor widow. There are so many social agitations against these illicit activities. Since there is much demand of the prostitutes in the society these businesses will never shut down rather will continue forever to serve and satisfy human lust. People from all walks of life are their customers. This is open secret.

There are various types of target. Different people have different targets. Basically target is of two types viz., private and public. Private target is for personal gain. When it is meant for the benefit of all then it becomes public in nature.

Target discloses the true identity of any person. If a house sets fire then someone will rush to bring water and someone will enter the house to steal. Both the persons are diagonally opposite regarding their targets. Similarly, if a person meets accident on the road then someone will try for ambulance and someone will try to take the money bag of the wounded person. This happens. This is hard reality.

To meet the boss for any favour requires courage. A timid person cannot meet the boss. As such he requests a subordinate or a favorite person of the boss to reach him. It has two outcomes either boss may grant request or reject it. Also favour of boss depends upon his mood or way of approach of the source.

Sometimes boss grants instant if anybody approach him direct. As such they say always proceed to higher authority. Its essence is that higher authority is always possesses higher mentality and lower authority always possesses lower mentality. Lower class always possesses meanness that restricts their up gradation. They remain down-trodden lifelong.

CONCLUSION

There is ideal. There is actual. Actual most of the time is less than ideal. Ideal cannot be attained due

to so many hurdles. As such, ideal is always unattainable. Conversely, ideal is called unattainable ideal. Now, if a student wants to acquire 60 % then his target must be 80 %. If he wants to get 80% then his target must be 100%. If someone wants national recognition then he must try to be internationally famous. They humorously say first Noble Prize then local prize. As such they say think globally act locally. Thus target of the wise is always higher or greater.

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