



OF PERSEVERANCE

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ABSTRACT:

Some communities are cool-tempered. They wait without any haste. Some others are hot-tempered. They like not to wait. They like not. They get not. Honesty pays. Hard work pays. Similarly, perseverance pays.

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INTRODUCTION

Creative writing is based more on manifestation rather than on expression. It does not inform rather reveals, so it bears no reference. The best creative writing is critical, and the best critical writing is creative. The present article is the outcome of creative writing meant for lay readers. As such free style is the methodology adopted so that the pleasure of reading can be enjoyed by the common mass. As you know well that, Francis Bacon (1561-1626), the immortal writer, wrote many essays, and notably "Of Love", "Of Friendship", "Of Ambition", "Of Studies", etc. The myriad-minded genius rightly pointed out that all the words of the dictionary can be the themes of essays one can write. But little has been done, in this regard since his death, in order to finish his unfinished monumental works. In fact Bacon's way of presentation and his unique style kindled imagination and inspired me to write essays, in the light of creative writing, thus to get relief through Catharsis.

ARTICLE

Perseverance means continued steady effort to achieve an aim. It is the steadfast pursuit of an objective. It is constant persistence in a belief etc. It is steady persistence in a course of action, a purpose, a state, etc. It is steadfastness e.g. show great perseverance in the face of extreme hardship.

Perseverance is the act or state of persevering. It is continued, patient effort. It is continued application to anything which one has begun. It is a going on till success is met with. It is quality of one who perseveres. It implies persistence.

Perseverance of saints is the Calvinistic doctrine that those who are effectually called by God canon fall away so as to be finally lost. In Calvinism, the continuance in grace of people elected to eternal salvation. Theologically, it is

continuance in state of grace.

Perseverance is the act of persevering. It is steadfast pursuit of an aim, constant persistence. For example: After months of disappointment, his perseverance was finally rewarded.

Persevere is to continue trying to do something, especially in spite of difficulty. It is to persist in anything undertaken. It is to maintain a purpose in spite of difficulty or obstacles. It is to persist in speech, interrogation, argument, etc. It is to insist. It is bolster, sustain, or uphold.

Persevere is to continue in some effort, course of action, etc. in spite of difficulty, opposition, etc. It is to be steadfast in purpose. It is to continue. It is to continue steadfastly or determinedly. It is to keep on striving.

Persevere is to persist, in course of action, in doing, at or with task etc., or absolutely. For example: If you persevere I'm sure you will succeed. She persevered in her efforts to win the championship. He was hopeless at French, but his teacher persevered with him. She persevered in her studies in the face of grave difficulties.

Persevering implies showing continued steady effort. For example: A few preserving climbers finally reached the top. You won't be blamed if you fail despite persevering. It is displaying perseverance. It is steadfast e.g. a preserving student.

Perseverate is to experience or display perseveration. It is continue action etc. for an unusually or excessively long time. Psychologically, it tends to prolong or repeat a response after the original stimulus has ceased. It is to recur or tend to recur. It is to repeat the same actions or thoughts. It is of action or mental state and tends to be spontaneously repeated.

Perseveration is the tendency of an idea, impression, experience, response, etc. to persist or recur, or of an

individual to continue a particular mental activity without the ability to shift easily to another at a change in stimulus. In psychiatry it is persistent and pathological repetition of a verbal or motor response, often seen in organic brain disease and schizophrenia.

Perseveration is meaningless repetition of an action, utterance, thought, etc. It is the tendency to experience difficulty in leaving one activity for another. All cannot bear the pain of repetition. An experienced person knows the gain of pain. All does not like to stand still. Very few persons know the outcome of waiting. In crisis period political parties do not take hasty decision. They follow wait and see policy. Through waiting they lose mileage. But in the changed situation when situation favours they cover all pending distance. Then they break all barriers and cross all boundaries. Thus they achieve success through perseverance.

Perseverant is steadfast. A wise is perseverant, seldom a full. It is alias and akin to goodwill. In business goodwill is all and everything. Business runs on capital. Goodwill is more than capital. Where capital ends goodwill begins. It is just like ATM card. A man if loses capital can regain his status through good will. A business man having much money but without goodwill cannot move long thereby prosper in future.

Doggedness and steadfastness are synonymous to perseverance. Perseverance, persistence, tenacity imply resolute and unyielding holding on, in following a course of action. Perseverance commonly suggests activity maintained in spite of difficulties. It is steadfast and long-continued application e.g. Endurance and perseverance combined to win in the end. It is regularly used in a favourable sense. Persistence, which may be used in either a favourable or an unfavourable sense, implies unremitting and sometimes annoying perseverance e.g. persistence in a belief; persistence in talking when others wish to be quiet. Tenacity, with the original meaning of adhesiveness, as of glue, is a dogged and determined holding on. Whether used literally or figuratively it has favourable implications e.g. a bulldog quality of tenacity; the tenacity of one's memory.

Youth stands for restlessness. Old age signifies stalemate. Human life may be compared with river. A river is restless when it comes out of the hill. But it becomes too slow when it reaches the sea, the ultimatum of its inevitable destiny.

Youth likes to get anything instant. It dislikes persuasion. It demands immediate success. So it changes track very often to get the desired result. But in reality it is not always possible. It is so unfortunate that the old queue moved faster than the new queue where it joined. It lacks in experience.

Marriage is a long journey and perseverance is its only fuel. Many times a man leaves his fiancée or wife without any valid reason. It is equally true in case of women also. Both have no perseverance at all. Those who have no

perseverance should neither love nor marry. Both are fool. Both cheat each other. Both suffer. Both are equally guilty. Both are guided either by emotion or evil motif or both simultaneously. In such a case the deserted lover, tender in nature, commits suicide. Those who commit suicide do not know that life has its sweet side too. Both the lovers leave each other and the deserted children become orphan though their parents are still alive and are busy in search of another new temporary partner likely to be permanent. It is an endless drama of temporary partner. In fact the permanency of a temporary person, in every sphere of life, depends on the likeness of the big boss. Thus the orphan houses become overcrowded by the mid-night children. In case of single parent the children are half blessed by their single guardian.

In course of time a person becomes old and inactive. His hair becomes grey and eye-sight becomes feeble. Such an old and experienced person knows the value of perseverance. In early life hardly a man can realise its importance. To realise the value of perseverance time is required. Rome was not built in a day. Similarly, a person realises the utility of waiting through daily experience. Daily drama enriches a person with farsightedness that paves the way to acquire insight the most precious asset of human life.

Thus perseverance is a great virtue. Tender soul can acquire it easily. Good culture and great companion accelerate it. As such student life is the best period to achieve it. It has immense influence to build up character and career as well. Very few persons have this quality. It is a key to success. More few have that key to unlock the lock of fate. This answers why we see few successful persons around us. Such a person is dependable. He is a never failing friend. He is sincere. He is faithful as well. He is a Good Samaritan. He is an asset of the society thereby nation at large. The nation prospers in all respect depending on such human resource.

CONCLUSION

Perseverance is a personality trait. Man gets it by birth. Some others lacking in this quality have to achieve it through sincere and constant practice. Practice makes a man perfect. Perfection isolates a person from common mass. Perfection is always an unattainable ideal. Thus a perfect genius is a blessed soul. He is laured with uncommonness. Some communities are cool-tempered. They wait without any haste. Some others are hot-tempered. They like not to wait. They like not. They get not. Honesty pays. Hard work pays. Similarly, perseverance pays. Perseverance costs nothing, but offers free of cost. Here lies the uniqueness of perseverance.

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No reference, since the present article is an outcome of Creative Writing.