

The Root of All Money is Evil

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There is not enough money in the world. The total amount owing on all the loans is far greater than the actual money available to pay them, by a factor of hundreds. Why is this the case? Because of interest. Every time money is loaned and interest is charged, that interest has to be paid out of the original principle.

We are screwed. The debt gap is exponentially getting wider because more and more money has to be injected into the system to keep the beast alive. And the beast can only be fed by debt.

The Money System

Where do I come from? That's the question that every little boy and girl asks. Daddy says "ask your mother" and mommy says "ask your daddy." Confusion sets in and mommy and daddy are relieved to have bought another couple of weeks without feeling ashamed. However, eventually a kid learns the truth.

Money and debt are exactly the same thing.

Money is created out of thin air by the Federal Reserve Bank. This invisible money is loaned to the government who are required to pay it back with interest. Where does this interest come from? Well, they loan that money to the banks at a higher interest rate. The banks in turn loan it to other institutions at an even higher interest rate. Who is at the bottom of this pyramid scheme? Who are the suckers that pay the highest interest with no chance of ever paying it back?

Human beings.

A simple example: If you work for a bank, then you will almost certainly have several loans with that bank. You think you're getting a good deal because you work there. You work 8-10 hours a day for the very people that loaned you the money in the first place, and you pay them back with interest. This is the definition of perpetual slavery.

"Hello??? Earth to the human race, do you read?"

"It's dead Jim."

"No Scotty. It's life, but not as we know it!"

The Guilt of Money

Every cent that exists in the world right now is someone else's debt. If your business is out to make a profit, what you are actually doing without realising it, is trying hard to maximise other people's debt. Very few people know how the money system works, so we just blindly follow the herd and try to make as much "profit" as possible.

Then there is the multiplication factor to consider. If you have no debt, but have money in the bank, you are actually perpetuating someone else's debt by a factor much greater than the actual money you (think) you have. For example:

You are debt free and have R100,000 in your bank account. This means that $100,000 \times 100 = R10$ million worth of debt is needed in the economy to allow you to have it. Most of the world's population, who are in debt, owe less than R50,000 on credit cards, retail cards and micro loans. If you take this into consideration, then for you to enjoy the luxury of having R100,000 in the bank, 200 families have to slave away in desperation.

WOW! Will this make you re-think the strategy of your company? If your strategy is built around profit, it is mathematically impossible for you to reach and sustain financial success. If you build your business around the creation of happiness in other people's lives then you will actually BE successful and not just bask in its illusion.

The Solution

Over the past few decades, layer upon layer of nothing, sold as something, has been building up. With each layer comes more and more pressure on a finite planet with finite resources. Each layer whittles down the value of money and takes us further away from the purity of nature.

Small business owners MUST find an alternative reason for running a business. Money cannot and must not be the driving force of our business existence. Right now we are slaves to a stupid, unsustainable nightmare that doesn't work and never will. A business who's primary objective is on the accumulation of money is doomed to fail. And it will fail so dismally that the owner will suffer beyond all horror. I was one those business owners so I know what it feels like. Trust me, YOU DO NOT WANT TO GO THERE.

Make a change in your attitude NOW!

Money is there only to make your business tick over. It is oil for your car, not the destination of the drive. Your destination is something that you are passionate about: art, creativity, teaching, empowering, investing, nurturing, growing, sustaining. These are all the kinds of values you need to adopt as well as making money. I want to convince a million South Africans to plant an organic vegetable in their home or office (see www.plantingseason.co.za). I want to learn the true applications of the ancient martial art forms. I want to build a parallel economy so small businesses can operate as collaborative communities independent of the centralised grid.

You do NOT need money to make your dreams come true. If this were true, then less than 1% of dreams would ever come true. That's the truth. As the debt gap widens, you are being drawn deeper into a debt spiral that can NEVER, EVER, EVER be repaid. More and more of your time is being sucked into business survival and not into your passion. This must change NOW. Only your passion will set you free.

The lesson: *Make a choice and be the change you want to see in this world.* When you've made that choice you'll begin to see how your business can help make it real. You'll also realise the importance of collaborating with other businesses around you.

World Micro Business Domination is a state where small businesses are the driving force of the economy. Let's make it happen!