

Dr Hasan Sohaib Murad; An Inspiration to Follow

***Ye sabi veranian us k juda honay sey thin
Ankh dundli hoi thi shehar dundlaya na tha***

The legend left to leave an unlimited followers in mourn for all the times to come. The robust spell finally shattered after almost three decades of peerless achievements and by becoming a role model which the contemporary world has adored, inspired and followed. The ever smiling face ultimately rest in peace to unrest all associated with him in any manifestation of relationship. The Man who was for everyone even the strangers once met him become a lifetime admirer of his kindness and unmatched care. He has done everything just in sheer love of Allah SWT and with the greater objective to serve the society/nation by actively taking roles and responsibilities to set international level institutions to channel the merit student with elegance in best learning and research environment.

There is a series of everlasting memories that can give an insight about the class, caliber, credentials and character of this gentle and genius soul who set history of unmatched success in the contemporary arena without any local or foreign funding. He was the proud founder of UMT, Lahore and Sialkot. The Chairman of 77 ILM Group of Colleges and over 200 plus The Knowledge School. As Training, teaching, coaching, writing and consultancy was his passion the Institute of Knowledge and Leadership, Dubai was established to manifest the execution of his dreams in the international arena by accepting the challenge to step in to become visible to the world with a distinction.

There are two types of people in the world; one who dream about things and say how- not possible and there are other side of the people who dream about things and say Why not, he was from the second rare breed that set standards and benchmarks for the world to follow. By declining a life that could guarantee him the best of everything from power to position but he opted to start a life to translate his vision into reality. This journey of 28 years was not easy. Every step was a struggle, sacrifice and agony that demanded highest level of commitment and nerves and the great man raised against all challenges with grace and dignity without falling short to any objective.

Like every great man he was humble on best manifestation of humanity. You always feel comfort to meet him to discuss any demanding and daunting situation with this unparalleled assurance that you will get the best advice without any fear of getting taunt or insult and in my whole life I never saw him in fury and furious mood, like a mountain stream he was always moved with smiles that motivates to speak your heart out. He knew how to motivate and elevate his team, with care, respect and lead he led from the front to set personal examples of crisis handling by cascading a winning path.

It has always been a learning pleasure to meet him and we learned a lot by attending his formal meetings and informal discussion to seek the best management practices and out of box thinking for the conventional and unconventional issues. Without any wrinkles on the forehead he used to mentor and guide his team. Irrespective of the magnitude of financial loss he always looked beyond the possibilities with determination and the will to Rise. I had having this privilege to attend his classes of post graduate level and My God, he lectured to spell, the knowledge and command on the subject was amazing and this was further integrated with contemporary corporate and professional practices. He was a firm believer of two way communications with the students just to engage them to get the best out of them. Encouraging them to speak and appreciating them for their achievements he has translated ordinary students in extraordinary stuff. He was the best manifested face of Transformational Leadership.

He was a Man with a futuristic Vision and what he has anticipated ages before the contemporary world even takes ages to follow after that. He was a risk taker and had taken decisions which people may never take. He has always been confident in his moves and motives while launching any new project. The spiritual touch which was reflecting in his soft and passionate behavior has inculcated a soul within that was created to serve and serve with generousness and forgiveness without expecting an iota of reward and acknowledgement. The unmatched patience was his core features. I never saw him in frustrated and depressive moods always on the move on the face of adversity and crisis. The great man who flamed his life to become a beacon for millions in one way or another and till the day of judgment his good work, welfare projects and academic institution shall act as a source of Dua for him. May Allah SWT bless the departed soul in high Heavens and give strength and courage to those who have this understanding what it means to see this world without the all time great Dr Hasan Sohaib Murad. Great are the people when they depart everybody feels that this is his loss.

" A Scholar is the favorite of the Heavens

*And Of Earth; The excellence of One's country,
the happiest of mankind*

Dear Sir, you will remain live in our hearts like a soul in the body and praying for you is like asking blessings from Allah SWT for ourselves. Please know you will be missed until we missed our last beats.

With Prays

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