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MANAGEMENT IN COMMON MAN - An Exploration

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Abstract

Contemporary management education and practices in India and abroad, are primarily related to organizations in general. Their management and leadership are the subject matters of this discipline. Whereas, individuals, their life journey and other dimensions are not addressed by management as a discipline as well as practice. This dimension is being addressed by the speaker by studying 10 individuals focusing on their life journey. The qualitative analysis of these cases and the inferences are being explored by the speaker as management in common man. This needs to be studied and explored in the days to come in India as a new era of management.

About Prof. M. K. Sridhar

Prof. M. K. Sridhar is a Post Graduate in Commerce and has obtained Doctor of Philosophy from the University of Mysore. He worked as a senior lecturer in Commerce at Vijaya College, Bengaluru for two decades. Subsequently, he joined Bangalore University as Reader at Canara Bank School of Management Studies, where he became Professor, Director and Dean subsequently. He has successfully guided four M. Phil and twelve Ph. D scholars. He has published thirty papers and completed eleven research projects.

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