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Two Different Marketing Models

Albert Einstein, physicist and Nobel Prize winner, declared:

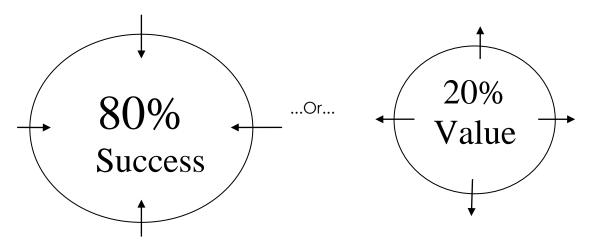
"Strive not to be a SUCCESS but rather to be of VALUE"

This principle applies in business...especially in relation to marketing.

We believe there are two choices: the SUCCESS model and the VALUE model.

Neither is right or wrong, they are just different; and they are not mutually exclusive because some elements can be found in both models.

The 80/20 rule applies to all businesses owners in a marketplace:



Some characteristics of the two models include:

Issue	SUCCESS model	VALUE model
Owner's focus:	Inward: Me and us	Outward: Others
Owner's vision:	To make money	To serve
Key character trait:	Pride	Humility
Owner's role:	Master	Servant
Goal at point of sale:	Close a sale	Open/nurture a relationship
	Anxiety, fear, stress, apathy,	Love, joy, peace, grateful,
Owner may be	despair, discontent,	excellence, compassion,
impacted by feelings of:	frustration, discouragement	kindness, unity,
		contentment, generosity

Here's the deal:

SUCCESS is getting what YOU want; VALUE is helping OTHERS get what they want; and isn't this what the experts say is the real purpose of marketing?

We began with a quote; let's end with one - from Bill Gates:

"Success is a lousy teacher; it seduces people into thinking they can't lose."