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*A Man
With A Vision*

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He was born in an influential wealthy family of industrialists,
but his dreams were much bigger than the material wealth,
his vision was to uplift an entire nation,
to make India strong & self reliant.

This is a story of The Indomitable Will, Vision & Daring To Dream
of a Parsi boy born in Ahmedabad in Year 1919.

By following his fascination of science he went at Cambridge to study Physics.
But he never saw it as just an academic qualification. He saw Science
as a force capable of transforming society, of solving real problems faced by
common people of India by improving the fields of Communication,
Agriculture & Weather Forecasting.

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In 1962, at the time when people used to think it's impossible for a developing nation like India to invest in a space technology.

This man gathered a team of young engineers and scientists
& with basic conditions and shortage of resources,
without any advance equipment
by working from a small church in Kerela,
they launched India's first rocket, The Nike-Apache.

From India's first satellite Aryabhata to world class marvels like Chandrayan, Mangalyaan, none would have been possible without this man's foresight, unwavering faith & courage to pursue a dream that many thought was beyond India's reach.

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So now, whenever you hear India is astonishing the world again
by launching a new amazing satellite,
don't forget to remember & pay gratitude to
The Father of Indian Space Programme,
The Founder of ISRO

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