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Hello and welcome to Success Left A Clue. This is your host, Robert Raymond Riopel and I am coming to you on this episode from beautiful Ho Chi Minh, Vietnam, a.k.a. Saigon. I want to welcome you to Episode #101. Episode #101, which is called *Dream Globally, Look Locally*. And as always, you kind of wonder where does this title is coming from.

So let me explain what's going on. Before I dive into that, just touch bases, I just want to say to all my regular listeners, thank you for being regular listeners and you have noticed I actually haven't released an episode in a while. So that's kind of cool that we're back with Episode #101 now. We hit that one hundred milestone and all of a sudden, things stalled out in the podcast so I do apologize. If you're a new listener, take a chance, go back, and pick and choose different episodes. Listen to them and see what kind of lessons you can learn.

All my podcasts, where do they come from? Well, they come from the lessons that I learned when I'm just in my day to day life, traveling around the world or even at home. Wherever I am on that day to day, moment to moment basis, I see something and I might get an impact from it where I go, that's interesting. And then my mind will automatically ask me, how can I turn that into a life lesson? And that's where Success Left A Clue, the podcast come from.

And so, with Episode #10, it kind of goes back to things I talked about a couple previous episodes, touched bases on it. Right from my book as well. The book which has the same title Success Left A Clue, which is step number one, to really create the life that you want is to dream. It is not just about dreaming. It is actually about dreaming big. Most people that's what they forget to do.

So this episode is kind of an addition, an amendment to that because I'm always learning. Even though I travel around the world, I've taught hundreds and thousands of students how to change life, how to go to the next level, how to create the reality they want, I am still a student myself and I'm always learning. So that is a lesson I've been talking about all over the world, to dream big and here I was. Last week in Singapore doing an event.

After the event, I had a chance to have my relaxation day, recuperate, recover and so I was energized and I decided to hop on the MRT, which is the mass rail transit. I decided to head downtown. One of the reasons kind of goes into one of the episodes that'll be coming up, that I will be recording. One of the reasons I love to go on mass transit in a different place so I can just watch. I can watch the people around me. I can observe. I become that absolute observer.

So I am in this beautiful country of Singapore, and I went on the MRT all the way downtown, about a forty minute train ride. I get downtown and I am in this area of stunningness. Things that people have dreamed, since Singapore has kind of become the country it is, these become things that are on people's bucket list of what they'd like to see. They take pictures from the internet, for magazines, they post them on their dream boards of these places that I was standing in the middle of.

Right in front of me, there is the world famous Marina Bay Sands hotel, 358-story buildings with a platform that connects the three of them, all across the top, looks like the shape of a of a ship, the haul of a ship I should say. On top they got like a swimming pool. They got bars. They got restaurants. They got lounging areas. The pool when you're in it, if you look off the edge, it looks like you would fall right off and go down the edge, down, it's so stunning. So that's in front of me.

If I turn around, a hundred eighty degrees, right behind me is something called Garden by the Bay. And this is an amazing garden structures that they built, huge towers, a hundred plus foot tall, looking like a garden. It's just stunning. If I go now and turn to the left, from looking at Garden by the Bay, I see the Singapore flyer, which is A huge Ferris. At one point it used to be the largest in the world. And then I turn around again a hundred eighty degrees to the other side and what do I see? I see Sentosa Island. Sentosa Island is a resort island that was built off of Singapore. It has its own SeaWorld, a theme park. It's amazing.

So I'm standing kind of in the middle, on all four sides of this world famous attractions, things that people want to see, things that people want to experience in their life. It is absolutely phenomenal and I'm thinking how lucky am I that because of my big dreams, I'm in a space like this and been able to witness this. And so my mind automatically started asking, so why is it that very few people, and when you say very few people, it's millions a year, come to Singapore or visit or see things like this? But when you compare it to

the fact that there's over 7 billion people on this planet, it's really in comparison not a large number of people have really been able to actually experience this before in their life.

And so my mind started asking, why is that? I'm teaching people to dream big. I'm teaching people to reach for what they want. So why is it that they haven't been able to do that? I teach them, think globally. And then it hit me. I went back to years ago when I used to live in a resort community that had a lot of attractions somewhat like Singapore, not to the scale of course, but a lot of people come there every summer and the Chamber of Commerce decided to run a whole promotion called, "Be a tourist in your own town".

And what it was drawn out was to really get the locals that lived there year round, to start realizing the beauty that's right there in their own backyard that people from all over come to see. But what's right there in their world? And that's when it hit me. That's kind of one of the missing pieces of why people end up not achieving their dreams, not really accomplishing or achieving what they really want to get to. I realize it's you think globally but you guys start looking locally. Another way of saying is instead of being a thousand steps ahead of yourself of where you want to be, come back to the present.

Come back to where you are and start noticing the beauty around you. Because here's what I'm going to guarantee to every single one of you that's listening to this episode right now, if you listen to this episode, I want you to pause for a moment and I want you think about where you live right now. And the beauty that's right there. Maybe it's a park, maybe it's a tourist attraction. Maybe it's a place that you met someone special, maybe it's a place that events happen. I want you to start thinking of all the amazing places in your local area. And start realizing your dream right here, right now, right there, right in the moment.

So as an example, maybe you have a dream to come and see the Marina Bay Sands and Sentosa Island and all the beauty that Singapore has to offer. And you say, "That's my ideal dream. So what's the first step I can take?" Well, I want that dream because of its beauty. So I'm going to look at for the beauty that's around me right here. I want that dream and it is going to mean I've made a higher level success because in order to go there, financially I'm gonna have to be more successful. And start looking at the financial success around you right in your location.

Well, Robert, you don't understand. I'm struggling financially. I don't have a lot of money to achieve a dream like that. Let alone, even look at it and think of achieving that dream in my own hometown. What's one thing that you can do to maybe create a little more financial freedom in your life? And that is kind of another inspiration that I take for being here. I'm in Vietnam right now and you talk about the shared economy. It has hit this country big time with what started as Uber and then Uber had competition called Grab. And Grab bought out Uber for the region because Uber all of a sudden couldn't compete with Grab.

And so, now you can get anything and everything. By Grad, you can rent a Grab bike or a motorcycle pulls up, you hop on the back, very inexpensive. Or you can do a Grab car, which allows you to have a comfortable car driving. And what's my point on this? Well, where you live right now, can you do something like that with the shared economy, with resources you already have, the strength in your financial abilities to then be able to take money and maybe invest it, get it working harder for you.

So that that when it's working hard for you, not only you learn a lesson. You are meeting great people that create that wealth. While you're trying to raise some money, but now you're getting your money working hard for you. And maybe sometimes your investments don't work out so you learn a lesson. You adjust. You go for it again. Are you getting what I'm saying here?

When you break it down, you go locally. You say, what can I do with one step? One step in the right direction is worth a thousand years of thinking about it. So you've got that the big audacious goal up way out ahead of you. What's the one step you can take right here, right now today to allow that to become a reality and take that step?

Maybe you have a dream where you want to inspire people, travel around the world, training people, inspiring them. So who are you inspiring in your local area? Well, Robert, what talent do I have? What can I do? Well, maybe you volunteer somewhere to impact one's person's life or another. Try for meals on wheels so that you can help people, maybe become a big brother or big sister so you can help one person. Start thinking locally. And watch how that will allow you to go globally not only in your dreams but in the people that you impact.

You won't even know as you start taking your life to another level. How you automatically, unconsciously impact the people around you. By living into your greatness, you are giving them permission to live into their greatness. By releasing what's possible for you and going for, you're showing them what's possible for them and you don't even have to say a word.

Sometimes people will watch you, will model you. People see what's going on. They're making judgments every single moment of, oh I like what that person is doing or I don't. And so, if you're miserable, that's gonna resonate as well. And they're gonna be automatically feeling that energy of misery. So set your dreams big as I always say. But let's step back now and go locally and start to see what you can do right here, right now in the moment to achieve the dream you want.

So this is Robert Raymond Riopel for Success Left A Clue, episode number 101. Dream globally, look locally, and remember always live with passion.

Check out my book and watch for the new one coming out very soon. You guys are awesome. Have a great day.

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