

# The high as 50 feet into the air

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The Butterfly Circus is a short film created by Joshua and Rebekah Weigel in 2009, targeted to brighten the spirits of audiences who are in depression and self-doubtful thoughts. Starring the inspirational Nick Vujicic as Mr Will in the film with a rare disorder characterized by the absence of arms and legs, he played a role of pity and unvalueness in the beginning of the film only to be followed by self-motivation, bravery and personal belief towards his amazing transformation.

The first moral value is self-motivation. There is no other entity that could motivate oneself as equal as self-motivation. We could observe Mr. Will (Nick Vujicic) had been depressingly demotivated by his colleagues and his audience at the side-show performance. The showman (Mark Atteberry) had described him to be the rejected man from god and useless in many ways due to the absence of his arms and legs. However, despite all that was mistreated against him Mr. Will did not seek self-motivation and accepted the negativity around him as a reality of his appearance and capabilities. A good lesson that we could take away from self-motivation is that we should never accept the negativity that was used against us and treat it as the current reality.

The second moral value is bravery, " the real man smiles in trouble and gathers strength from distress to grow brave by reflection" - Thomas Paine. Towards the end of the film where Mr. Will is bound to perform a high jump into a small circumference pool, Mr. Mendez the showman (Eduardo Verastegui) described him as the bravest soul while rising as high as 50 feet into the air to make his jump. This teaches us that bravery was not built in a

night but accumulated through small acts of consistency and accepting mistakes, and through bravery man can do many remarkable things.

The last moral value is personal belief. This is a mindset that defines a person of his abilities and the greatness of being a human. Possibility always comes with a belief, and with possibility there can be achievements. During the ending of the film when Mr. Will finally upheld belief in himself, he had the ability to inspire others that he never had achieve before.

This film had taught me many things, open my eyes in various personal flaws and most importantly it reminded me to always motivate myself, be brave and never stop believing.