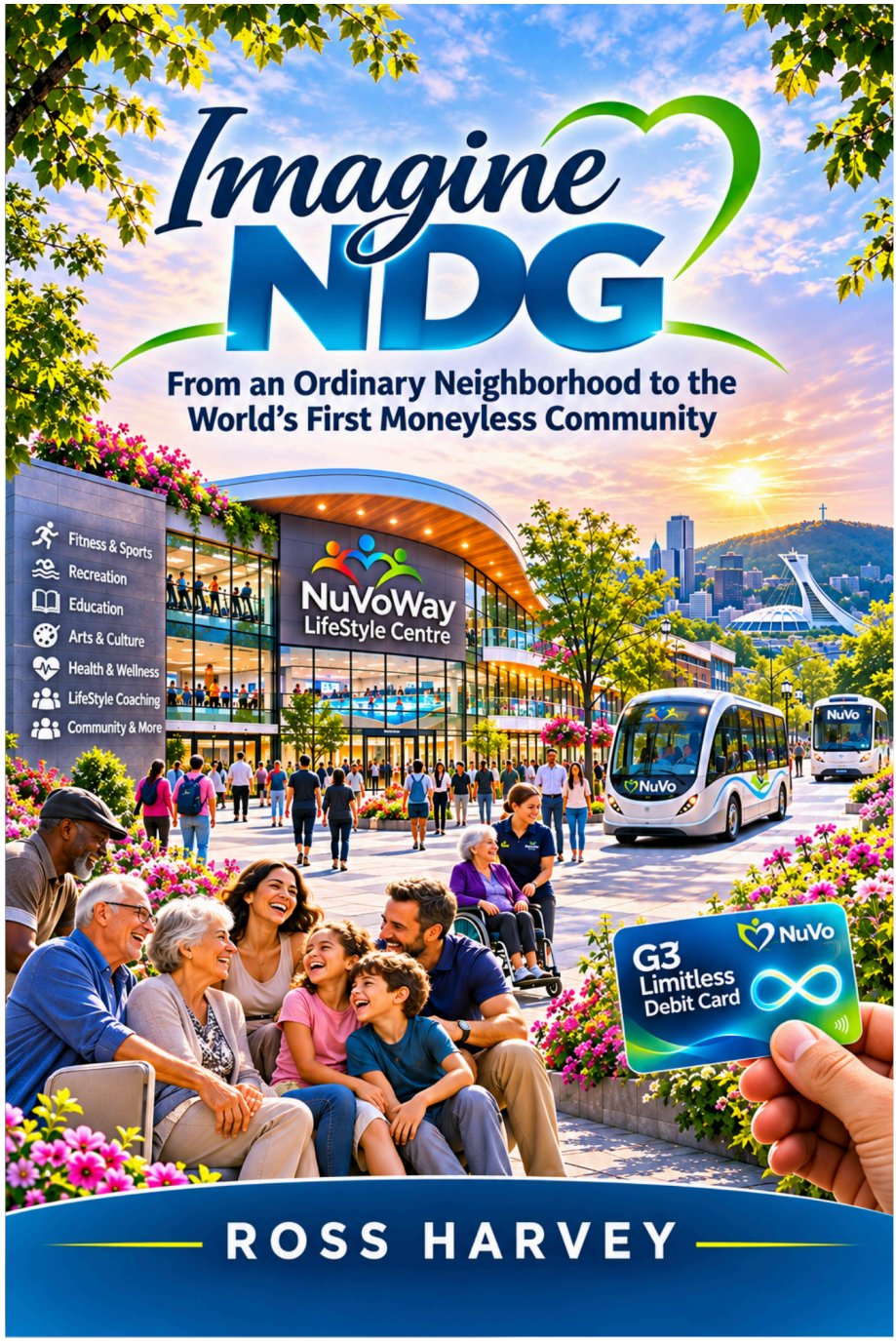

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Dedication

To my beautiful wife, Christy Anne, who makes my life a little piece of Heaven on Earth every day.

And to the 68,152 people of Notre-Dame-de-Grâce, Montreal.

May we discover what becomes possible when we choose to care for one another, share what we have, and create a community in which everyone has the opportunity to live an extraordinary life.

This book is for you.

Preface

Why NDG? Why Now?

I have spent much of my life imagining a better world.

Not simply a world with better governments, stronger economies, or more advanced technologies, but a world in which ordinary people can experience extraordinary lives.

A world where nobody goes hungry. Where everyone has a comfortable home. Where children are loved and supported, seniors are respected and cared for, and every individual has the opportunity to discover and develop their unique gifts.

A world where people no longer spend their lives worrying about how they will survive financially.

For years, I have called this vision **A NuVo World**.

But every great vision needs somewhere to begin.

For me, that place is Notre-Dame-de-Grâce, Montreal.

NDG is a wonderful neighborhood filled with people from different cultures, backgrounds, faiths, and walks of life. It has schools, churches, parks, restaurants, businesses, community organizations, and countless people who already contribute to making life better for others.

It has everything necessary to begin something extraordinary.

What it doesn't yet have is a system that brings all these elements together around one shared objective: ensuring that every community member has the opportunity to thrive.

That is what I envision creating.

My ultimate goal is to transform NDG into the world's first A NuVo World Community — a society of 68,152 people in which

money gradually becomes unnecessary for most aspects of everyday life.

At the heart of this vision is the G3 Limitless Debit Card, eventually provided to every adult aged 18 and over, giving community members access to an extraordinary range of goods, services, facilities, and opportunities.

It is an ambitious idea. It raises enormous practical questions about economics, resources, ownership, governance, and human behavior. Those questions deserve serious answers, and this book will explore them.

But I believe the first step is much simpler.

We begin by caring for one another.

We begin by sharing.

We begin by making our neighborhood a little better every day.

And then we build upon those beginnings until something remarkable emerges.

This book is my invitation to imagine what NDG could become — and to consider how, together, we might make it happen.

Welcome to Imagine NDG.

Ross Harvey
Notre-Dame-de-Grâce, Montreal
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Introduction

The Neighborhood That Changed the World

Imagine a beautiful spring morning in NDG, twenty years from now.

The streets are familiar. The trees are blooming. Children are heading off to school, and neighbors are greeting one another as they begin their day.

The restaurants are preparing breakfast. Community shuttles are moving quietly through the neighborhood. People are walking, cycling, exercising, shopping, and enjoying their morning coffee.

At first glance, life looks much as it always has.

But something extraordinary has happened.

Nobody is worrying about how to pay the rent.

Nobody is wondering whether they can afford groceries.

Nobody is avoiding necessary medical care because of financial concerns.

Every adult has a G3 Limitless Debit Card, providing access to the goods and services available through the community's carefully managed economic system.

Children have access to excellent education, recreation, and opportunities to discover their talents.

Seniors enjoy companionship, security, and meaningful lives.

People continue to work, create, invent, teach, build, and serve. But increasingly, they do so because their contributions matter, rather than simply because they need a paycheck to survive.

Businesses flourish by meeting people's needs.

Community organizations collaborate rather than compete for limited resources.

Beautiful NuVoWay LifeStyle Centres provide places for fitness, recreation, education, entertainment, friendship, and personal development.

And perhaps most importantly, people feel that they belong.

This is not a neighborhood without problems or disagreements. Human beings remain human beings.

But it is a neighborhood that has chosen a different way of addressing life's challenges.

Instead of asking whether people can afford the things they need, the community asks how those needs can be met responsibly and sustainably.

Instead of measuring success primarily through financial wealth, it measures success through health, happiness, opportunity, freedom, and quality of life.

Instead of leaving individuals to struggle alone, it creates systems through which people can support one another.

Twenty years earlier, this transformation was little more than an idea.

It began with a few conversations, a handful of community initiatives, and a simple belief that life could be better for everyone.

And it began in NDG.

This book is about how we could get there.

PART ONE

THE DREAM

Chapter 1

Imagine NDG

What if we could create a neighborhood where everyone had the opportunity to live an extraordinary life?

Not just the wealthy.

Not just the fortunate.

Everyone.

Imagine 68,152 people sharing in the benefits of a community designed around human wellbeing rather than financial survival.

Imagine comfortable housing, nutritious food, excellent healthcare, lifelong education, recreation, transportation, and meaningful opportunities available to all.

Imagine a society where people are encouraged to become everything they are capable of becoming.

That is my vision for NDG.

It is not about making everyone the same. It is about giving everyone the freedom and opportunity to be themselves.

It is not about eliminating ambition. It is about creating an environment in which ambition can flourish without leaving others behind.

And it is not about taking away the pleasures of life.

Quite the opposite.

It is about making more of life's possibilities available to everyone.

That is where our journey begins.

Chapter 2

68,152 People, One Community

Every community is made up of individuals.

People with different dreams, abilities, challenges, personalities, and circumstances.

Some are wealthy. Some struggle to make ends meet. Some are young and ambitious. Others are retired and looking for companionship or purpose.

Yet every person shares certain fundamental needs.

We all need food, shelter, security, connection, and opportunities to experience happiness.

And we all want our lives to matter.

In A NuVo World Community, every individual would be recognized as a valued member of the larger whole.

Nobody would have to earn the right to belong.

The community would exist to serve its members, and its members would be encouraged to contribute to the wellbeing of the community.

Our differences would remain.

But our shared humanity would become the foundation upon which everything else is built.

68,152 individuals. One community. Unlimited possibilities for making life better.

Chapter 3

What If Money Were No Longer a Problem?

Consider how much of our lives revolves around money.

We work to earn it. We save it. We spend it. We worry about losing it.

For many people, financial concerns influence nearly every major decision they make.

Where they live. What they eat. Whether they travel. How they care for their health. What opportunities their children can pursue.

But what if access to life's essentials no longer depended primarily on personal income?

What if we developed a community economy capable of providing those essentials through shared resources, productive enterprises, technology, and carefully managed systems?

Money would not disappear overnight.

NDG would still exist within the larger Canadian economy. Businesses would still have expenses, suppliers would still require payment, and resources would still have real costs.

The transformation would therefore have to be gradual, financially sound, and sustainable.

But imagine reaching a point where community members rarely needed to think about money in their everyday lives.

Where access replaced anxiety.

Where security replaced uncertainty.

And where people could devote more of their energy to living rather than merely earning a living.

That is the promise of a moneyless community — not that everything becomes free, but that financial insecurity no longer determines the quality of a person's life.

Chapter 4

From Surviving to Thriving

There is an enormous difference between surviving and thriving.

Surviving means getting through another day.

Thriving means looking forward to it.

Surviving means meeting immediate needs.

Thriving means having the freedom to explore possibilities.

I believe too many people spend too much of their lives simply trying to survive.

And I believe we can do better.

Imagine a community where people have the time, resources, encouragement, and support to pursue their interests, develop their talents, strengthen their relationships, and enjoy their lives.

Some might become artists.

Others might become teachers, entrepreneurs, athletes, caregivers, inventors, or community leaders.

Some might simply discover the joy of having more time with the people they love.

There would be no single definition of success.

The objective would be to create the conditions in which every individual has a genuine opportunity to flourish.

A NuVo World is not about giving everyone the same life. It is about giving everyone the opportunity to create a wonderful life of their own.

Chapter 5

The Principles of A NuVo World

Every lasting community needs a foundation.

For A NuVo World, that foundation would be built upon a few simple principles.

Human dignity. Every person matters, regardless of age, ability, background, beliefs, or financial circumstances.

Love and kindness. The way we treat one another is as important as the systems we create.

Freedom and personal choice. People should have the opportunity to pursue their own dreams and live according to their values, while respecting the rights of others.

Sharing and cooperation. Resources, knowledge, and opportunities can often benefit more people when we work together.

Responsibility and sustainability. Abundance must be created and managed responsibly, with consideration for future generations.

Contribution and purpose. Everyone has something of value to offer, even when that contribution cannot be measured financially.

Continuous improvement. No community will ever be perfect. We must remain willing to learn, adapt, and become better.

These principles would guide every aspect of the NDG transformation.

From housing and healthcare to education, transportation, recreation, business, and community life.

They would also guide the development of the G3 Limitless Debit Card and the economic system supporting it.

Because the ultimate objective is not simply to create a new way of distributing goods and services.

It is to create a better way of living together.

And that begins with the values we choose to live by.

PART TWO

THE MONEYLESS ECONOMY

Chapter 6

The G3 Limitless Debit Card

Imagine having a card that provides access to virtually everything you need to enjoy a wonderful life.

Groceries. Housing. Transportation. Healthcare. Recreation. Education. Entertainment.

That is the vision behind the G3 Limitless Debit Card.

Every adult aged 18 and over in A NuVo World Community would eventually receive one.

Unlike a conventional debit card, it would not simply draw upon the money in an individual's bank account.

Instead, it would provide access to goods and services supported by the community's economic system.

The card would be introduced gradually, beginning with specific benefits and expanding as resources and productive capacity permitted.

Its ultimate purpose would be extraordinary.

To give every adult the freedom to enjoy life without constantly worrying about money.

The G3 Limitless Debit Card would represent more than purchasing power. It would represent belonging, dignity, security, and opportunity.

Chapter 7

How a Moneyless Community Works

A moneyless community does not mean that goods and services have no cost.

Food must still be grown. Homes must still be built. Electricity must still be generated. People must still contribute their time, knowledge, and abilities.

The difference lies in how these resources are organized and made available.

Imagine a community in which productive enterprises, shared facilities, cooperative purchasing, technology, and community investments work together to meet the needs of residents.

Some goods and services might be provided directly by community-owned organizations.

Others would come through partnerships with existing businesses.

Still others would be purchased from outside the community.

The objective would be to create an increasingly self-supporting system in which residents could access more of life's necessities without individual payment at the point of use.

The transition would take time, careful planning, and constant evaluation.

But every successful step would bring us closer to the ultimate vision.

A society in which money continues to exist where necessary, but becomes increasingly irrelevant to everyday life.

Chapter 8

Who Pays for Everything?

This may be the most important question in the entire book.

And it deserves a serious answer.

A NuVo World cannot operate on goodwill alone.

It needs a strong, sustainable economic foundation.

I envision developing that foundation through a combination of successful businesses, community enterprises, investments, philanthropy, partnerships, and technological innovation.

Existing businesses could participate voluntarily, receiving appropriate compensation while helping to build a more prosperous community.

Community-owned enterprises could generate revenues that are reinvested into services and benefits for residents.

Automation and artificial intelligence could improve productivity and reduce certain operating costs.

Large-scale purchasing could create substantial savings.

And individuals and organizations inspired by the vision could contribute capital, expertise, facilities, and resources.

Every program would need transparent budgets, independent oversight, and measurable results.

The community could only promise benefits it had the resources to deliver.

Over time, as productive capacity and financial reserves grew, the range of benefits available through the G3 Limitless Debit Card could expand.

The goal would not be to spend money without limits. It would be to build an economy so productive and well-organized that financial limitations no longer dominate people's lives.

Chapter 9

Businesses Without Financial Anxiety

Imagine owning a restaurant and knowing that your community genuinely values what you provide.

Imagine operating a grocery store, bakery, clothing shop, or repair business within a system designed to help enterprises succeed while serving the people around them.

In A NuVo World, businesses would remain essential.

Entrepreneurship, creativity, innovation, and excellent service would be encouraged.

The difference would be the relationship between businesses and the community.

Instead of existing solely to maximize financial returns, participating enterprises would be encouraged to balance profitability with their contribution to human wellbeing.

Some might remain privately owned.

Others might become cooperatives or community-owned enterprises.

Participation would be voluntary, and business owners would retain their lawful rights.

As the community economy developed, participating businesses could benefit from reliable purchasing arrangements, shared resources, reduced administrative costs, and a more financially secure customer base.

Success would still matter.

But success would increasingly be measured by the value an enterprise creates for everyone it serves.

The best businesses would not simply make money. They would make life better.

Chapter 10

Work, Contribution and Freedom

What would people do if they no longer needed to work simply to survive?

I believe many would continue doing what they already love.

Teachers would teach.

Doctors would care for patients.

Chefs would prepare wonderful meals.

Builders would build.

Artists would create.

Entrepreneurs would develop new ideas.

Others might discover interests and talents they never had the opportunity to explore.

But a moneyless community would still need people willing to perform difficult, demanding, and sometimes unpleasant work.

Essential services would require dependable staffing, professional standards, training, and fair arrangements for those providing them.

We would need to design a system that recognizes these realities without forcing people into unwanted work.

My vision is not a society without work.

It is a society in which work becomes increasingly meaningful, rewarding, and freely chosen.

Where contribution is celebrated, but human dignity is never conditional upon productivity.

We are human beings first. What we do should enrich our lives, not define our worth.

Chapter 11

Technology, AI and Abundance

Humanity possesses extraordinary technological capabilities.

We can produce food on an enormous scale, construct remarkable buildings, communicate instantly across the planet, and automate increasingly complex tasks.

Artificial intelligence is opening possibilities that would have seemed unimaginable only a generation ago.

What if we used these capabilities primarily to improve the quality of human life?

Imagine technology helping NDG manage energy consumption, coordinate transportation, reduce food waste, support healthcare professionals, and operate community services more efficiently.

Imagine automated systems taking over repetitive tasks, freeing people to devote more time to creativity, relationships, learning, and personal development.

Technology would not replace the human heart of the community.

It would support it.

Of course, technological progress also brings challenges involving privacy, employment, accountability, and unequal access.

These would need careful safeguards and community oversight.

But used wisely, technology could help create something extraordinary.

A community in which greater productivity leads not simply to greater profits, but to greater freedom and opportunity for everyone.

Chapter 12

Ownership, Wealth and Personal Choice

A NuVo World would not require people to surrender their possessions, homes, savings, or individuality.

Private ownership and personal freedom would remain important.

Some people would want large homes. Others would prefer modest apartments.

Some would enjoy traveling. Others would find happiness in their gardens, hobbies, families, or neighborhood activities.

Some would continue operating businesses and accumulating personal wealth.

Others might choose simpler lives with fewer possessions.

There would be room for all of them.

The objective would not be to make everyone economically identical.

It would be to ensure that everyone enjoys a secure foundation from which to pursue their own version of a wonderful life.

The community would need fair, transparent rules for allocating scarce resources, protecting property rights, and preventing abuse of shared systems.

Participation in new economic arrangements would be voluntary, with residents retaining meaningful choices and legal protections.

True abundance is not having everything imaginable. It is having enough security, freedom, and opportunity to enjoy the life you choose.

PART THREE

THE ESSENTIALS OF LIFE

Chapter 13

A Home for Everyone

Everyone deserves a safe, comfortable place to call home.

Yet housing has become one of the greatest financial challenges facing individuals and families.

Imagine an NDG where nobody has to fear homelessness or losing their home because of financial hardship.

Where young adults can establish independent lives.

Where families have sufficient space to grow.

Where seniors can remain comfortably housed as their needs change.

A NuVo World would make housing security a fundamental community priority.

We could begin by working with existing housing organizations, landlords, developers, cooperatives, and public institutions.

Over time, new community-owned housing could be developed, existing buildings improved, and innovative ownership and occupancy arrangements explored.

The objective would be ambitious but straightforward.

Every resident should have the opportunity to live in a home that provides comfort, dignity, security, and peace of mind.

Chapter 14

The NuVo Housing Blueprint

Imagine beautiful residential communities designed around the way people actually want to live.

Comfortable homes surrounded by gardens, walking paths, recreation facilities, and welcoming shared spaces.

Buildings designed for energy efficiency, accessibility, and long-term sustainability.

Places where children can play safely, neighbors can gather, and seniors can enjoy companionship without sacrificing independence.

I envision NuVo residential developments that combine private living spaces with exceptional shared amenities.

Residents could enjoy access to fitness facilities, community kitchens, libraries, workshops, gardens, and recreational spaces.

Some developments might accommodate multiple generations, making it easier for families to remain close.

Others might specialize in particular accessibility or support needs.

Housing would remain a personal choice, with different options for different lifestyles.

And each development would contribute to the larger goal of creating an increasingly connected, welcoming, and sustainable NDG.

We would not simply build more housing. We would create better places to live.

Chapter 15

Food for Everyone — Feed NDG

Imagine a community where nobody ever needs to wonder where their next meal will come from.

Where every child has access to nutritious food.

Where seniors can enjoy wonderful meals without financial worry.

Where families can fill their kitchens with healthy ingredients and gather around the dinner table with peace of mind.

This is the vision behind Feed NDG.

We would begin by strengthening relationships among existing food banks, community kitchens, grocery stores, restaurants, schools, volunteers, and local organizations.

Food recovery programs could reduce waste.

Community gardens could provide fresh produce.

Shared kitchens and meal programs could bring people together.

Eventually, the G3 Limitless Debit Card could provide access to participating grocery stores, restaurants, and other food services within a sustainable community food system.

The objective would extend beyond preventing hunger.

It would be to make nutritious, enjoyable food available to everyone.

Because food is more than nourishment.

It is pleasure, culture, hospitality, friendship, and love.

In A NuVo World, nobody should go hungry, and everyone should have the opportunity to enjoy the simple pleasure of a wonderful meal.

Chapter 16

Healthcare Without Barriers

Good health is among life's greatest blessings.

And when illness or injury occurs, people deserve compassionate, timely, and effective care.

Canada already provides an important foundation through its public healthcare system.

My vision for NDG would build upon that foundation.

Imagine improved access to preventive care, rehabilitation, physiotherapy, mental health services, dental care, vision care, and wellness programs.

Imagine healthcare professionals working collaboratively with community organizations and NuVoWay LifeStyle Coaches.

Imagine seniors receiving the assistance they need to remain active and independent.

And imagine individuals being encouraged and supported to take an active role in their own wellbeing.

Any new services would need to respect professional standards, existing healthcare institutions, and provincial regulations.

But the objective would remain clear.

Nobody should be prevented from receiving necessary care because they cannot afford it.

Chapter 17

Mental Health and Emotional Wellbeing

A wonderful life involves much more than physical health.

People need friendship, understanding, acceptance, purpose, and emotional security.

They need to know that somebody cares.

In A NuVo World, mental health and emotional wellbeing would be community priorities.

Professional mental health services would be supported alongside opportunities for social connection, recreation, physical activity, creativity, and meaningful participation.

People experiencing depression, anxiety, loneliness, trauma, or other challenges would be treated with dignity and compassion.

Support would be voluntary wherever possible, respectful of individual rights, and grounded in appropriate professional care.

We would work to reduce stigma and create a culture in which asking for help is seen as a sign of wisdom rather than weakness.

Because a truly caring community does not abandon people when life becomes difficult.

It reaches out.

It listens.

It helps.

Nobody should have to face life's most difficult moments alone.

Chapter 18

Caring for Seniors

Growing older should not mean becoming less valued.

It should mean entering another chapter of life filled with opportunities for friendship, learning, recreation, contribution, and enjoyment.

Imagine an NDG where seniors have access to comfortable housing, transportation, healthcare, nutritious meals, and engaging activities.

Where those who wish to remain in their homes receive appropriate support.

Where those who need assisted living or specialized care can find compassionate services.

And where seniors are recognized as an extraordinary source of knowledge, experience, and wisdom.

Intergenerational programs could bring older and younger residents together.

Community centres could offer exercise, arts, music, games, educational activities, and social gatherings.

Volunteers and professional caregivers could help ensure that nobody is forgotten.

In A NuVo World, growing older would never mean growing less important.

Chapter 19

Children, Families and Childcare

Every child deserves a wonderful beginning.

A safe home. Nutritious food. Loving relationships. Excellent education. Opportunities to play, explore, learn, and grow.

Imagine an NDG where parents have access to affordable, high-quality childcare and the support they need to raise their families.

Where children can participate in sports, music, art, recreation, and educational programs regardless of their family's financial circumstances.

Where schools, families, community organizations, and recreation facilities work together.

And where young people grow up knowing that their community believes in them.

The goal would not be to direct every child toward the same future.

It would be to help each child discover their own possibilities.

When we invest in children, we invest in every generation that follows.

Chapter 20

Accessibility and Disability Support

A truly inclusive community must work for everyone.

That includes people living with physical disabilities, developmental differences, sensory impairments, chronic conditions, and other challenges.

Imagine an NDG where buildings, transportation, recreation facilities, housing, and community programs are designed with accessibility in mind.

Where assistive technology is readily available.

Where people receive the support they need to participate fully in community life.

And where individuals with disabilities are included in decisions affecting their lives.

Accessibility should not be an afterthought.

It should be a fundamental consideration in everything we design and build.

Because the measure of a great community is not simply how well it serves those who find life easy.

It is how thoughtfully it includes those who face additional challenges.

A NuVo World must be a world in which everyone belongs.

PART FOUR

LIVING THE NUVO WAY

Chapter 21

The NuVoWay LifeStyle Centre

Imagine a magnificent community centre where everyone is welcome.

A place filled with opportunities for fitness, recreation, education, entertainment, creativity, relaxation, and friendship.

Swimming pools, fitness facilities, racquet sports, gymnasiums, theatres, classrooms, restaurants, gardens, and comfortable gathering spaces.

All under one roof, or connected through a beautifully designed community campus.

This is my vision for the NuVoWay LifeStyle Centre.

Every community member would have access to its facilities and programs, with the ultimate goal of making participation possible regardless of financial circumstances.

People could exercise in the morning, enjoy lunch with friends, attend an afternoon class, and experience a concert or theatrical performance in the evening.

Children, adults, and seniors would all find something meaningful and enjoyable.

The Centre would become a gathering place for the entire community.

Not simply a building filled with activities, but a place where wonderful lives are created.

Chapter 22

A LifeStyle Coach for Everyone

Imagine having someone in your life whose purpose is to help you enjoy the best life possible.

Someone who listens, encourages, supports, and helps you discover new opportunities.

That is the role I envision for the NuVoWay LifeStyle Coach.

Coaches would help community members explore their interests, establish personal goals, develop healthy routines, discover recreational opportunities, and connect with others.

Some people might want to improve their physical fitness.

Others might wish to learn a language, develop artistic abilities, make new friends, or pursue a lifelong dream.

Coaches would provide encouragement and practical assistance, while respecting each individual's freedom to choose their own path.

They would complement, rather than replace, qualified healthcare and social-service professionals.

My ultimate vision is that every community member who wants a LifeStyle Coach could have one.

Because everyone deserves encouragement, opportunity, and someone who believes in their potential.

Chapter 23

Education for a Lifetime

Learning should never end.

Imagine an NDG where education is available to everyone, throughout their lives.

Children would enjoy excellent schools and opportunities to discover their talents.

Young adults could pursue academic, technical, artistic, and professional training.

Working adults could develop new skills or explore different careers.

And seniors could continue learning simply for the pleasure of discovering something new.

NuVoWay LifeStyle Centres could offer courses, workshops, lectures, and mentorship programs.

Local schools, colleges, universities, libraries, and community organizations could become important partners.

Technology could make learning more accessible and personalized.

And the community could celebrate curiosity, creativity, and lifelong development.

Education would no longer be viewed primarily as preparation for earning a living, but as an opportunity to enrich the experience of being alive.

Chapter 24

Recreation, Sports and Fitness

I have spent much of my life involved in sports, and I know the extraordinary benefits that physical activity can bring.

Fitness, confidence, friendship, discipline, enjoyment, and a sense of accomplishment.

Imagine an NDG where everyone has access to wonderful recreational opportunities.

Swimming, tennis, racquetball, squash, golf, hockey, basketball, skating, dancing, walking, cycling, and countless other activities.

Programs would be available for every age and ability.

Some people would pursue competitive excellence.

Others would participate simply for pleasure, exercise, and companionship.

Coaches, instructors, and volunteers would help residents discover activities they enjoy.

Facilities would be designed to encourage participation, accessibility, and lifelong physical wellbeing.

The objective would not be to create a community of champions, but a community in which everyone has the opportunity to enjoy the benefits of an active life.

Chapter 25

Art, Music and Entertainment

Imagine a neighborhood alive with creativity.

Music in the parks.

Art exhibitions in community galleries.

Theatre productions, concerts, film screenings, festivals, and cultural celebrations.

Imagine children discovering the joy of painting, singing, dancing, or playing a musical instrument.

Adults exploring creative interests they never previously had the time or resources to pursue.

And talented artists having opportunities to share their work with appreciative audiences.

A NuVo World would recognize the arts as an essential part of a wonderful life.

Community facilities, partnerships, and educational programs could make creative experiences accessible to everyone.

The arts would not be reserved for those who could afford expensive lessons or admission fees.

They would become part of everyday community life.

Because a truly prosperous society must nourish the imagination as well as the body.

Chapter 26

Spiritual Freedom and Personal Growth

Every individual approaches life's deepest questions differently.

Some find meaning through religion.

Others through philosophy, nature, relationships, creativity, or personal reflection.

A NuVo World would welcome this diversity.

People would remain free to practice their faith, explore their beliefs, or choose no religious affiliation at all.

Community organizations and places of worship could continue providing spiritual guidance, companionship, and opportunities for service.

Programs in personal development, meditation, reflection, and emotional wellbeing could be available to those who wish to participate.

The objective would never be to impose one belief system upon everyone.

It would be to create an environment of mutual respect, understanding, and freedom.

Whatever our beliefs, we can share a commitment to treating one another with love, kindness, and dignity.

Chapter 27

Friendship, Love and Belonging

One of life's greatest treasures is human connection.

A friendly greeting.

A conversation over coffee.

A shared meal.

A walk with someone we love.

These simple experiences often bring more happiness than expensive possessions ever could.

Imagine an NDG where opportunities for friendship and companionship are woven into everyday life.

Community meals, neighborhood gatherings, clubs, recreational programs, volunteer activities, and shared celebrations.

People living alone would have opportunities to connect.

New residents would be welcomed.

Families would find support.

And friendships could develop naturally across generations and cultural backgrounds.

No one would be required to participate, but everyone would have opportunities to belong.

A wonderful community is not simply a place where people live near one another. It is a place where people care about one another.

Chapter 28

The Joy of Simply Being

We live in a world that often measures our worth by what we accomplish.

How much we earn.

How much we produce.

How successful we appear.

But I believe there is something far more important.

Who we are.

How we treat others.

And how fully we experience the gift of being alive.

In A NuVo World, people would be encouraged to enjoy life without constantly feeling that they must achieve something to justify their existence.

There would be time for quiet mornings, leisurely walks, meaningful conversations, laughter, recreation, creativity, and love.

Some days might be filled with activity.

Others might be beautifully uneventful.

Both would have value.

The ultimate purpose of A NuVo World is not to keep everyone busy. It is to give everyone the opportunity to enjoy being alive.

PART FIVE

REIMAGINING THE NEIGHBORHOOD

Chapter 29

NuVo Transportation and Automotive

Imagine an NDG where transportation is convenient, affordable, accessible, and environmentally responsible.

Where residents can travel throughout the neighborhood without worrying about transportation costs.

Electric community shuttles could connect homes, shopping areas, schools, healthcare facilities, and NuVoWay LifeStyle Centres.

Existing public transportation could be supported through partnerships and subsidized access.

Walking and cycling routes could be improved.

Shared vehicles could be available for those who need them.

And residents who prefer owning their own vehicles could continue doing so.

My vision for NuVo Automotive would include exploring shared vehicle fleets, maintenance services, and transportation solutions that reduce costs while improving mobility.

The objective would be simple.

Everyone should have the freedom to get where they need to go, safely and comfortably.

Chapter 30

Parks, Gardens and Green Spaces

Imagine NDG becoming one of the most beautiful urban communities in the world.

Tree-lined streets.

Flower gardens.

Welcoming parks.

Community vegetable gardens.

Peaceful walking paths and comfortable places to sit and enjoy nature.

Green spaces contribute enormously to physical health, emotional wellbeing, and quality of life.

They also bring people together.

A NuVo World could work with residents, community organizations, and municipal authorities to protect and improve existing green spaces.

New gardens could be created wherever appropriate.

Residents could participate in planting, maintaining, and enjoying these shared environments.

Children could learn about nature.

Seniors could enjoy peaceful surroundings.

And everyone could benefit from a greener, healthier neighborhood.

Beauty should not be a luxury. It should be part of everyday life.

Chapter 31

Clean Energy and Environmental Stewardship

A wonderful community must also be a responsible community.

We cannot create lasting abundance by wasting resources or damaging the environment upon which our lives depend.

Imagine NDG gradually becoming a model of energy efficiency and environmental responsibility.

Buildings could be upgraded to reduce energy consumption.

Renewable energy projects could be explored.

Transportation systems could become cleaner.

Waste could be reduced through repair, reuse, recycling, and more thoughtful purchasing.

Community gardens and local food initiatives could strengthen environmental awareness.

New technologies could help monitor resource consumption and identify opportunities for improvement.

Every initiative would need to be evaluated for its actual costs and environmental benefits.

A NuVo World would seek to improve life today while protecting the possibilities available to generations yet to come.

Chapter 32

Sharing Instead of Wasting

Consider how many useful possessions sit unused in our homes.

Tools, furniture, clothing, sporting equipment, books, appliances, and countless other items.

Now imagine a community where sharing becomes second nature.

BuyNothing NDG would be one of the foundations of this transformation.

Residents could give away items they no longer need, borrow equipment, exchange skills, and help neighbors obtain useful goods.

Community lending libraries could provide access to tools, recreational equipment, and household items.

Repair workshops could extend the useful life of possessions.

And sharing networks could reduce unnecessary consumption while strengthening relationships.

The objective would not be to discourage ownership.

It would be to make better use of the abundance we already possess.

Sometimes creating more abundance begins not with producing more, but with sharing what we already have.

Chapter 33

Safety, Justice and Restorative Solutions

Everyone deserves to feel safe in their home and neighborhood.

A NuVo World would place great importance on public safety, fairness, accountability, and respect for individual rights.

We would work with existing public institutions, community organizations, and residents to prevent harm and address its underlying causes.

Programs supporting youth, families, mental health, education, housing security, and social connection could help reduce some of the circumstances associated with conflict and crime.

Restorative approaches could be considered where appropriate, voluntary, and consistent with the rights and safety of those affected.

Serious offenses would remain subject to established laws and public authorities.

The objective would not be to eliminate accountability.

It would be to combine accountability with prevention, compassion, and opportunities for rehabilitation.

A safe community is one where people are protected, treated fairly, and given meaningful opportunities to build better lives.

Chapter 34

Local Shops, Restaurants and Enterprises

Imagine NDG's commercial streets filled with thriving businesses.

Restaurants serving wonderful meals.

Shops offering quality products.

Service providers helping residents with their everyday needs.

Entrepreneurs developing innovative ideas.

And businesses working together to strengthen the community.

A NuVo World would seek to support existing enterprises while encouraging new ones.

Participating businesses could eventually accept the G3 Limitless Debit Card through agreements providing appropriate compensation.

Community purchasing arrangements could create dependable demand.

Shared services could reduce operating costs.

And local investment programs could help promising enterprises develop.

Businesses would remain free to operate independently or participate in community initiatives.

The goal would be a thriving local economy in which business success and community wellbeing reinforce one another.

Chapter 35

A Community Designed for People

What makes a neighborhood truly wonderful?

Beautiful buildings?

Excellent facilities?

Convenient transportation?

Wonderful parks?

All these things matter.

But ultimately, the quality of a community depends upon the quality of life experienced by its people.

Imagine planning every major development in NDG around one central question:

Will this make life better for the people who live here?

Housing, transportation, recreation, commerce, healthcare, education, and public spaces would be considered together rather than as unrelated elements.

Residents would have meaningful opportunities to participate in planning decisions.

Accessibility, sustainability, affordability, and beauty would guide development.

And progress would be measured through improvements in people's everyday experiences.

We would not simply transform the physical appearance of NDG. We would transform what it means to live here.

PART SIX

THE HUMAN CONNECTION

Chapter 36

The Art of Neighboring

Every great community begins with people.

Not buildings, institutions, or elaborate programs.

People.

A smile. A friendly greeting. A conversation. A helping hand.

For years, I have enjoyed meeting people throughout NDG, often beginning my mornings outside the Metro grocery store on Somerled Avenue.

I have come to know parents, children, workers, retirees, and people from many different walks of life.

Some conversations last only a few seconds. Others become friendships.

And I have discovered something wonderful.

You don't need money, special qualifications, or an organization to begin making your neighborhood a better place.

You simply need to care.

Imagine thousands of NDG residents making a conscious effort to know and support their neighbors.

The transformation of an entire community can begin with something as simple as saying hello.

Chapter 37

BuyNothing NDG

Imagine a neighborhood where people freely share the things they no longer need.

Furniture, clothing, household goods, books, toys, tools, and sporting equipment.

Imagine neighbors helping one another without expecting anything in return.

That is the spirit of BuyNothing NDG.

The concept is beautifully simple.

If you have something useful that you no longer need, offer it to someone who does.

If you need something, ask.

Over time, sharing could extend beyond possessions to include skills, knowledge, transportation, and practical assistance.

The benefits would be enormous.

Less waste. Lower household expenses. Stronger relationships. Greater generosity.

And perhaps most importantly, a growing awareness that we already possess far more collective abundance than we realize.

BuyNothing NDG would be one of our first steps toward a community in which sharing becomes a natural way of life.

Chapter 38

The Wizard of NDG

Imagine a neighborhood filled with people quietly performing acts of kindness.

Helping a senior carry groceries.

Visiting someone who is lonely.

Encouraging a struggling student.

Supporting a family experiencing difficult circumstances.

Or simply brightening someone's day.

The Wizard of NDG Program would celebrate and encourage these everyday expressions of caring.

Residents could become Wizards by choosing to make a positive difference in the lives of others.

There would be no requirement for extraordinary achievements.

The smallest gestures would matter.

Schools, businesses, community organizations, and individuals could all participate.

Over time, the program could help establish kindness as one of NDG's defining characteristics.

You don't need magic to change someone's world. Sometimes all you need is a little love.

Chapter 39

Care 'n Share — Bringing Nonprofits Together

NDG is fortunate to have numerous nonprofit and community organizations serving its residents.

They provide food, housing assistance, education, youth programs, family support, healthcare-related services, and countless other forms of help.

Imagine what might become possible if these organizations worked together even more closely.

Care 'n Share would create opportunities for nonprofit leaders to meet, exchange ideas, identify shared challenges, and explore ways of collaborating.

Perhaps it would begin with a monthly luncheon.

No complicated bureaucracy.

No unnecessary commitments.

Just people who care about NDG getting together to discover how they might accomplish more by working together.

Over time, shared resources, coordinated programs, and new partnerships could emerge.

Each organization would retain its independence and unique mission.

Care 'n Share would not be about creating another organization. It would be about helping existing organizations become even more effective together.

Chapter 40

The Gathering — Where Community Begins

There is something wonderful about sharing a meal.

People relax. Conversations begin. Friendships develop.

And strangers sometimes discover that they have far more in common than they imagined.

My involvement with Shri Ram and Express Indien has reinforced my belief that restaurants can play an important role in building community.

Through The Gathering, I envision creating opportunities for people to meet, enjoy wonderful food, and develop meaningful connections.

Business owners, community leaders, nonprofit representatives, neighbors, and friends could come together naturally.

Some gatherings might lead to new partnerships.

Others might simply create pleasant memories.

Both would be valuable.

Imagine restaurants throughout NDG becoming welcoming places where community life flourishes.

Sometimes the first step toward changing the world is simply inviting someone to lunch.

Chapter 41

Volunteering, Mentorship and Generosity

Every community contains an extraordinary wealth of human talent.

Retired professionals.

Experienced tradespeople.

Teachers.

Artists.

Entrepreneurs.

Athletes.

Students.

People with knowledge, abilities, and experiences that could enrich the lives of others.

Imagine creating opportunities for these talents to be shared throughout NDG.

A retired accountant might mentor a young entrepreneur.

A musician might teach children.

An experienced athlete might coach beginners.

A student might help a senior learn to use technology.

Participation would always be voluntary, and professional services would continue to receive appropriate recognition and compensation where required.

But the spirit would be one of generosity.

The greatest resource in any community is not its money or buildings. It is its people.

Chapter 42

Nobody Left Behind

A community cannot truly thrive while some of its members are forgotten.

People experiencing poverty, homelessness, disability, isolation, discrimination, or other challenges must remain central to our vision.

A NuVo World would seek to identify barriers preventing people from participating fully in community life.

We would work with existing organizations and qualified professionals to develop appropriate support.

Some residents would need temporary assistance.

Others might require ongoing services.

And everyone would deserve respect, privacy, and the freedom to make choices about their own lives.

Our success would not be measured only by beautiful facilities or prosperous businesses.

It would also be measured by how effectively we improve life for those facing the greatest difficulties.

The promise of A NuVo World must extend to everyone, especially those who need our support most.

PART SEVEN

MAKING THE DREAM REAL

Chapter 43

The First 100 Days

How do we begin transforming an entire neighborhood?

We begin with what we already have.

The first 100 days would focus on building relationships, identifying opportunities, and establishing a small group of committed community partners.

We would meet with residents, nonprofit leaders, business owners, educators, healthcare professionals, and local institutions.

We would identify existing programs that could be strengthened through collaboration.

We would select a few practical initiatives capable of producing measurable improvements.

Perhaps a neighborhood sharing network.

A coordinated food-support program.

A series of community lunches.

Or a small pilot offering additional recreational opportunities to residents.

We would establish clear objectives, responsibilities, budgets, and ways to evaluate results.

There would be no need for elaborate promises.

Only meaningful action.

The first 100 days would not transform NDG. They would demonstrate that the transformation has begun.

Chapter 44

Building the Founding Team

No individual can transform a community of 68,152 people alone.

Nor should they try.

A NuVo World would need a founding team representing a wide range of knowledge, experience, and perspectives.

Community leaders.

Business professionals.

Financial experts.

Educators.

Healthcare professionals.

Urban planners.

Technology specialists.

Nonprofit representatives.

And, most importantly, ordinary residents.

The founding team would help establish priorities, develop proposals, identify resources, and create an accountable organizational structure.

Members would need to share a commitment to improving community life while remaining free to question assumptions and challenge ideas.

Because a successful transformation requires more than enthusiasm.

It requires wisdom, cooperation, integrity, and sound judgment.

The right people, working together for the right reasons, can accomplish extraordinary things.

Chapter 45

Funding the Transformation

The dream of a moneyless community begins in a world where money remains essential.

That reality cannot be ignored.

Housing, facilities, healthcare services, transportation, technology, and community programs all require resources.

The transformation would therefore need a carefully developed financial strategy.

Possible sources could include philanthropic contributions, social investment, business revenues, cooperative enterprises, government partnerships, and community fundraising.

Some programs might become financially self-supporting.

Others would require continuing subsidies.

Every initiative would need realistic projections, transparent accounting, independent oversight, and contingency plans.

We would also need to distinguish between capital costs, operating expenses, and long-term financial obligations.

The objective would be to build a system that becomes progressively stronger and more sustainable.

The dream may be limitless, but every step toward achieving it must be financially responsible.

Chapter 46

Partnerships With Businesses and Institutions

NDG already possesses many of the resources necessary to begin its transformation.

Schools.

Restaurants.

Grocery stores.

Community centres.

Healthcare facilities.

Places of worship.

Nonprofit organizations.

Businesses of every description.

Rather than attempting to replace these institutions, A NuVo World would seek opportunities to work with them.

Partnerships could involve shared facilities, coordinated services, joint programs, purchasing agreements, or community investments.

Each partnership would need to provide clear benefits to everyone involved.

Existing organizations would retain their independence.

And participation would always be voluntary.

Over time, a network of cooperating institutions could become the foundation of an increasingly integrated community.

We would not need to build everything from scratch. We would begin by bringing together the extraordinary resources already around us.

Chapter 47

Community Leadership and Democratic Governance

A NuVo World must belong to its community.

Not to one individual.

Not to one corporation.

Not to a small group of decision-makers.

Its institutions would need transparent, accountable governance and meaningful participation by residents.

Community members should have opportunities to influence priorities, review proposals, and hold leadership accountable.

Independent financial oversight would be essential.

Personal information would require strong privacy protections.

Clear rules would prevent conflicts of interest and misuse of community resources.

And all programs would need to respect existing laws, individual rights, and democratic institutions.

My role would be to help inspire and initiate the transformation.

But its long-term success would depend upon the people of NDG taking ownership of their collective future.

A truly great community cannot simply be created for its people. It must be created with them.

Chapter 48

The First G3 Limitless Card Pilot

Every extraordinary idea must eventually be tested.

The G3 Limitless Debit Card would begin with a small, carefully designed pilot.

Imagine 100 volunteer participants receiving access to a defined range of community benefits.

Perhaps selected meals, groceries, recreational activities, transportation services, or educational programs.

Participating businesses and service providers would receive agreed-upon compensation.

The program would operate within a fully funded budget.

Independent evaluation would measure participation, costs, satisfaction, administrative efficiency, and practical challenges.

We would learn what works.

We would identify what needs improvement.

And we would expand only when additional resources and reliable results justified doing so.

The first card would not be limitless in its spending capacity.

It would represent the beginning of a journey toward increasingly comprehensive access.

Every great transformation begins with a small idea that proves itself in the real world.

Chapter 49

From 100 Participants to 68,152 Residents

Imagine the first G3 pilot succeeding.

One hundred participants become five hundred.

Five hundred become one thousand.

More businesses join.

Additional services become available.

Community enterprises develop.

New sources of funding emerge.

And residents begin experiencing the benefits of a more cooperative local economy.

Expansion would occur in stages, guided by financial capacity, service availability, and measurable results.

Some programs might grow quickly.

Others might require years of development.

There would undoubtedly be setbacks, disagreements, and unexpected challenges.

But every successful stage would provide knowledge and experience for the next.

Eventually, the objective would be to make the system available to every eligible adult resident, while ensuring that children and other community members also benefit from comprehensive services.

The transformation of 68,152 lives would begin by demonstrating that we can make a meaningful difference in just a few.

Chapter 50

Measuring Success and Learning From Failure

How would we know whether A NuVo World was succeeding?

Not simply by counting buildings, programs, or debit cards.

We would measure what truly matters.

Are fewer people experiencing food insecurity?

Is housing becoming more secure?

Are residents healthier?

Are children enjoying greater opportunities?

Are seniors feeling less isolated?

Are local businesses thriving?

Are people experiencing greater freedom, happiness, and satisfaction with their lives?

We would establish clear indicators and publish regular progress reports.

Independent evaluations would help determine whether programs were producing the benefits we intended.

And when something failed, we would acknowledge it, learn from it, and make necessary changes.

Because the objective would never be to prove that every original idea was correct.

It would be to discover what genuinely makes life better.

Success would not mean creating a perfect community. It would mean creating one that continually learns how to become better.

PART EIGHT

BEYOND NDG

Chapter 51

The First Fully Functioning NuVo Community

Imagine the day when NDG becomes a fully functioning A NuVo World Community.

Every adult has access to a G3 Limitless Debit Card.

Every resident enjoys secure access to life's essentials.

Beautiful NuVoWay LifeStyle Centres provide extraordinary opportunities for recreation, education, fitness, entertainment, and personal development.

Businesses thrive.

Children flourish.

Seniors enjoy dignity, security, and companionship.

And people have greater freedom to pursue their dreams without the constant burden of financial anxiety.

The transformation has taken years of planning, experimentation, cooperation, and hard work.

It has required substantial resources, innovative thinking, and a willingness to learn from mistakes.

But the results speak for themselves.

A community of 68,152 people has demonstrated that another way of living is possible.

Not a perfect society.

Not a society without challenges.

But one in which human wellbeing has become the central purpose of its economic and social systems.

And the most extraordinary realization is that NDG is only the beginning.

Chapter 52

A Blueprint for Montreal

Once a new approach has demonstrated its value, an exciting question emerges.

Could it work elsewhere?

Imagine other Montreal neighborhoods studying the NDG experience.

Learning from its successes.

Understanding its challenges.

Adapting its programs to their own circumstances.

Perhaps the transformation would begin in Côte-Saint-Luc, Montreal West, Hampstead, or another neighboring community.

Each would develop its own partnerships, facilities, and priorities.

Each would preserve its unique identity.

And each would benefit from the knowledge gained in NDG.

Over time, participating communities could share resources, expertise, technology, and economic infrastructure.

The model could expand throughout Montreal, one community at a time.

What begins as a neighborhood initiative could eventually become a new approach to urban life.

Chapter 53

10,000 NuVoWay LifeStyle Centres

Imagine a worldwide network of more than 10,000 NuVoWay LifeStyle Centres.

Each one serving as a welcoming hub for community life.

Places where people can exercise, learn, create, socialize, receive support, and discover new possibilities.

Every Centre would reflect the needs and culture of its community.

Some might be large campuses with extensive recreational and educational facilities.

Others might be smaller neighborhood centres.

But all would share a common purpose.

To help people enjoy healthier, happier, more fulfilling lives.

NuVoWay LifeStyle Coaches would assist individuals in exploring opportunities and making the most of their lives.

Centres could share educational resources, technology, professional expertise, and successful programs.

Over time, this network could become one of the foundations of A NuVo World.

10,000 centres. Millions of lives enriched. One shared commitment to making life better.

Chapter 54

A NuVo World Without Borders

The challenges facing humanity do not stop at national borders.

Poverty, hunger, homelessness, loneliness, inequality, and environmental degradation affect people throughout the world.

But so do kindness, generosity, creativity, compassion, and the desire for a better life.

Imagine communities across the globe adopting the principles of A NuVo World.

Not by surrendering their cultures or traditions.

Not by accepting a single system imposed upon them.

But by developing their own approaches to ensuring that everyone has access to life's essentials and opportunities.

Some communities might begin with food security.

Others with housing, education, healthcare, or recreation.

Each would contribute its own discoveries and innovations.

And successful ideas could be shared across an international network.

The objective would not be to create one enormous organization controlling the world.

It would be to inspire countless communities to improve the lives of their own people.

A NuVo World would grow not through control, but through cooperation, example, and shared possibility.

Chapter 55

Heaven on Earth — One Community at a Time

For much of my life, I have believed that Heaven on Earth is something we can begin creating here and now.

Not by waiting for the world to become perfect.

Not by expecting everyone to agree about everything.

And not by imagining that life's difficulties will simply disappear.

But by choosing to make life better wherever we are.

For me, that place is NDG.

A neighborhood filled with wonderful people, familiar streets, schools, parks, restaurants, businesses, and community organizations.

A place where I enjoy greeting neighbors, sharing conversations, and discovering the extraordinary value of ordinary human connections.

I envision transforming this neighborhood into a community where every person has the opportunity to thrive.

Where financial insecurity no longer dominates everyday life.

Where kindness and generosity become natural expressions of community life.

Where people are encouraged to discover their gifts, pursue their dreams, and enjoy the simple pleasure of being alive.

It is an enormous vision.

And I cannot know how much of it will ultimately be achieved, or how long the transformation might take.

But I do know where it begins.

With the people around us.

With the opportunities already before us.

With the willingness to care, to share, and to try.

We do not have to change the entire world today. We only have to begin making our little corner of it better.

And then keep going.

One day.

One person.

One community at a time.

EPILOGUE

A Day in the Life of NDG — Twenty Years From Now

It is a beautiful Tuesday morning in Notre-Dame-de-Grâce.

The sun is rising over Somerled Avenue.

The neighborhood is beginning to awaken.

A few early risers are out walking. Others are heading to the fitness centre. Children are preparing for school, and the familiar sounds of everyday life are returning to the streets.

Outside the Metro grocery store, a small group of neighbors has gathered.

They are laughing, talking, and enjoying one another's company.

Some are old friends.

Others have only recently moved into the neighborhood.

Nobody seems particularly hurried.

There is a sense of ease about the morning.

Across NDG, life is unfolding in ways that would have seemed extraordinary twenty years earlier.

A young mother is preparing breakfast for her two children.

She has a comfortable home, access to excellent childcare, and the security of knowing that her family's essential needs are provided for.

She enjoys her work as a teacher, but she no longer worries about whether her salary will cover the necessities of life.

A few streets away, an elderly gentleman is preparing to visit his neighborhood NuVoWay LifeStyle Centre.

He has arranged to meet friends for a morning exercise class, followed by coffee and conversation.

Later, he will attend a lecture on astronomy.

He has always been fascinated by the stars.

Now he has the time and opportunity to explore that fascination.

At a local restaurant, the chef is preparing lunch.

Fresh ingredients have arrived through the community's coordinated food distribution network.

The restaurant is busy, and the staff take pride in the meals they prepare.

Participating residents use their G3 Limitless Debit Cards to access meals covered by the community program.

The restaurant receives payment through its established agreement with the community system.

The chef loves his work.

And his customers love his food.

At a nearby school, children are discovering the wonders of science, music, mathematics, literature, and art.

After school, some will play hockey.

Others will attend dance classes, learn musical instruments, or participate in community programs.

Their opportunities are not determined by their parents' financial circumstances.

Across the neighborhood, volunteers are visiting seniors, sharing knowledge, helping neighbors, and contributing to projects they find meaningful.

Businesses are operating.

Homes are being maintained.

Gardens are flourishing.

And the community continues developing new ways to improve everyday life.

Not everything is perfect.

There are still disagreements, disappointments, illnesses, and difficult days.

Resources still require careful management.

People still face challenges.

But nobody is expected to face those challenges entirely alone.

And something fundamental has changed.

People no longer organize their lives primarily around the fear of not having enough money.

They have more time to enjoy their families.

More opportunities to develop their interests.

More freedom to contribute their talents.

And greater confidence in their futures.

As evening approaches, families gather for dinner.

Friends meet at restaurants.

Children play in the parks.

Music drifts from a community concert.

And throughout NDG, people enjoy the countless little experiences that make life wonderful.

There is no great celebration taking place.

No historic announcement.

No extraordinary event.

It is simply another ordinary Tuesday.

And perhaps that is the most extraordinary thing of all.

What once seemed like an impossible dream has become everyday life.

A FINAL WORD

It Begins With Us

As I finish writing this book, I find myself returning to one simple thought.

We already possess the most important ingredient necessary to create a better world.

Each other.

We have the intelligence to solve problems.

The creativity to develop new ideas.

The technology to accomplish remarkable things.

And the capacity to love, care, cooperate, and share.

What we need is the willingness to bring these qualities together in pursuit of something greater than ourselves.

I do not expect everyone who reads this book to agree with every idea.

In fact, I hope readers will question them, improve upon them, and contribute ideas of their own.

Because A NuVo World is not intended to be the accomplishment of one individual.

It is an invitation for people to work together toward a better future.

My dream is to see NDG become the first community to demonstrate what is possible when human wellbeing becomes our highest collective priority.

A community where people are valued for who they are.

Where everyone has opportunities to flourish.

Where love and kindness are reflected not only in personal relationships, but in the systems through which we organize our lives.

And where the extraordinary becomes ordinary.

Perhaps one day, people from around the world will visit NDG to discover how it all began.

They will see the beautiful facilities, the thriving businesses, the welcoming neighborhoods, and the remarkable opportunities available to residents.

They will learn about the G3 Limitless Debit Card, the NuVoWay LifeStyle Centres, and the economic and community systems that support them.

And perhaps they will ask:

"How did you accomplish all of this?"

I hope the answer will be wonderfully simple.

We began by caring for one another.

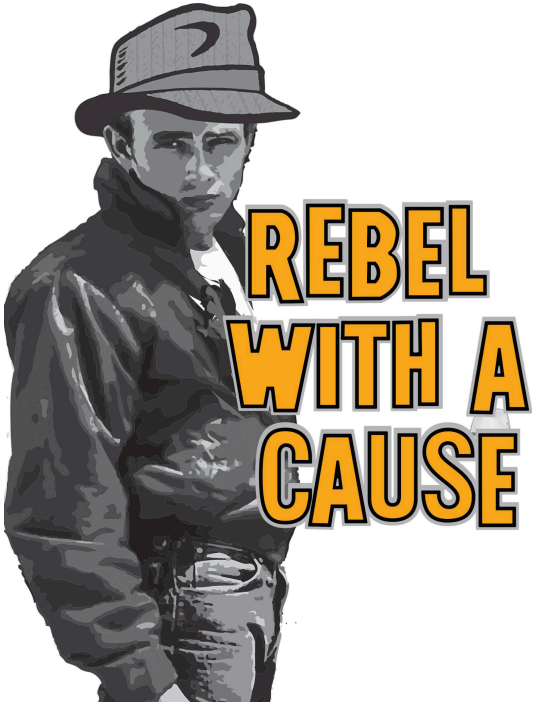
And we never stopped.

A NuVo World

Creating a NuVo, better world — one day and one person at a time.

Ross Harvey

The End — And Perhaps, The Beginning.



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