



A Life that inspires

A tribute to

Dr. Gaur Hari Singhania,

Late Chairman, J.K. Cement Limited

12th June, 1935 - 4th February, 2015

A Great Visionary, an Inspiring Leader, an Astute Industrialist and an Exceptional Human Being.

Leading industrialist, sports enthusiast and President of the J. K. Organisation Dr. Gaur Hari Singhania passed away on 4th February, 2015. Amongst his many qualities was the ability to wear multiple hats and perform each role with equal vigour, unwavering enthusiasm and admirable perfection. He was a resolute, discerning industrialist and an inspiring boss who led the Company towards greatest heights. He was our guiding light and we pay our heartfelt tribute. We commit ourselves to his ideals in our journey ahead.



He was a staunch believer in the greater public good and played a significant role in promoting trade bodies, contributing to voluntary organisations and leading many renowned institutions in healthcare, education, social service and culture.

Dr. Gaur Hari Singhania learnt the ropes of the business from his father Sir Padampat Singhania and was actively involved in the operations of J. K. Organisation, one of the oldest, largest and the most respected business groups of the country. He was well known for his quick wit and the ability to foresee situations and to take action on them.

He was as much about play as he was about work. A keen sports enthusiast, he took great pains in building and nurturing sporting institutions and facilities in Kanpur putting it on the map as an important international sports venue. His humanitarian work towards the less privileged people of India, especially of Kanpur won him many friends and well-wishers. Dr. Singhania was a philanthropist and a socially active individual; he lended his support to a number of charitable and educational institutions. He was the inspiration behind a number of initiatives undertaken for improving the lives of the poor and the diseased.

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He had a forward thinker and a visionary. He was quick in making decisions. His unwavering faith in himself and the people around him was a quality that everyone could learn and imbibe. It was his faith that saw the company through a harsh and extremely competitive business environment. He had a universal appeal that cut across generations. His personality was such that he could befriend anyone and adapt to people around him. He was a legend whose contribution and qualities were acknowledged by all those who knew him and those at the highest levels in public life. He faced every adversity with a cheerful frame of mind and remained unfazed through any business or personal calamity.



In his passing we have lost an inspiring leader, an extraordinary human being and a great friend. Dr. Singhania will always be remembered not only for his integrity and business acumen but also for his continuous and untiring efforts to make this company a leading cement manufacturing Company.



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