

"Behind the Scenes  
of Writing *The Inner  
Engine*" — and the  
Unexpected Battle I  
Didn't See Coming

**When I started  
writing *The Inner  
Engine*, I believed  
the hardest part  
would be the ideas.**

**I was wrong.**

**The hardest part was  
facing myself.**

**I thought writing a book meant pouring out everything I've learned in 20 years — leadership, discipline, passion, character, operations, growth. But as soon as I sat down with my notebook, pen ready, pages blank... something surprising happened.**

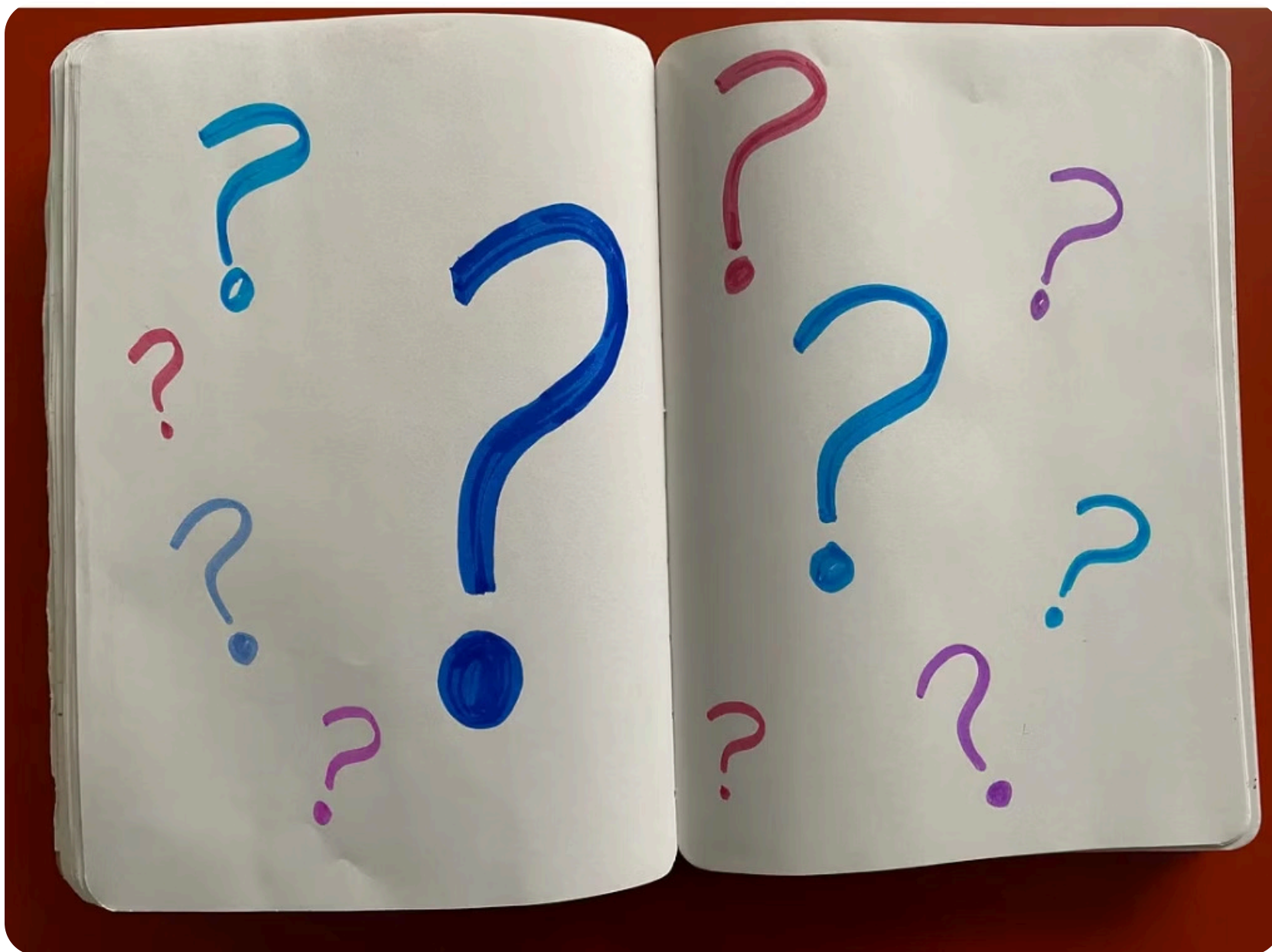
**I couldn't  
write.**

**Not because I lacked clarity. Not because I lacked experience. But because a quiet question stood in the way:**

# **"What *should* I write?"**

**What should I include? What should I leave out? What should a leadership book sound like? What will people expect? What if it's not good enough?**

**The pressure of "should" silenced everything I actually wanted to say.**



**Just like the image here — pages full of question marks — my mind felt the same way. Full of questions. Full of noise. Full of expectations.**

**And then, after days  
of frustration,  
something shifted.**

**I realised I was asking the wrong  
question.**

**The question was never "What  
*should* I write?"**

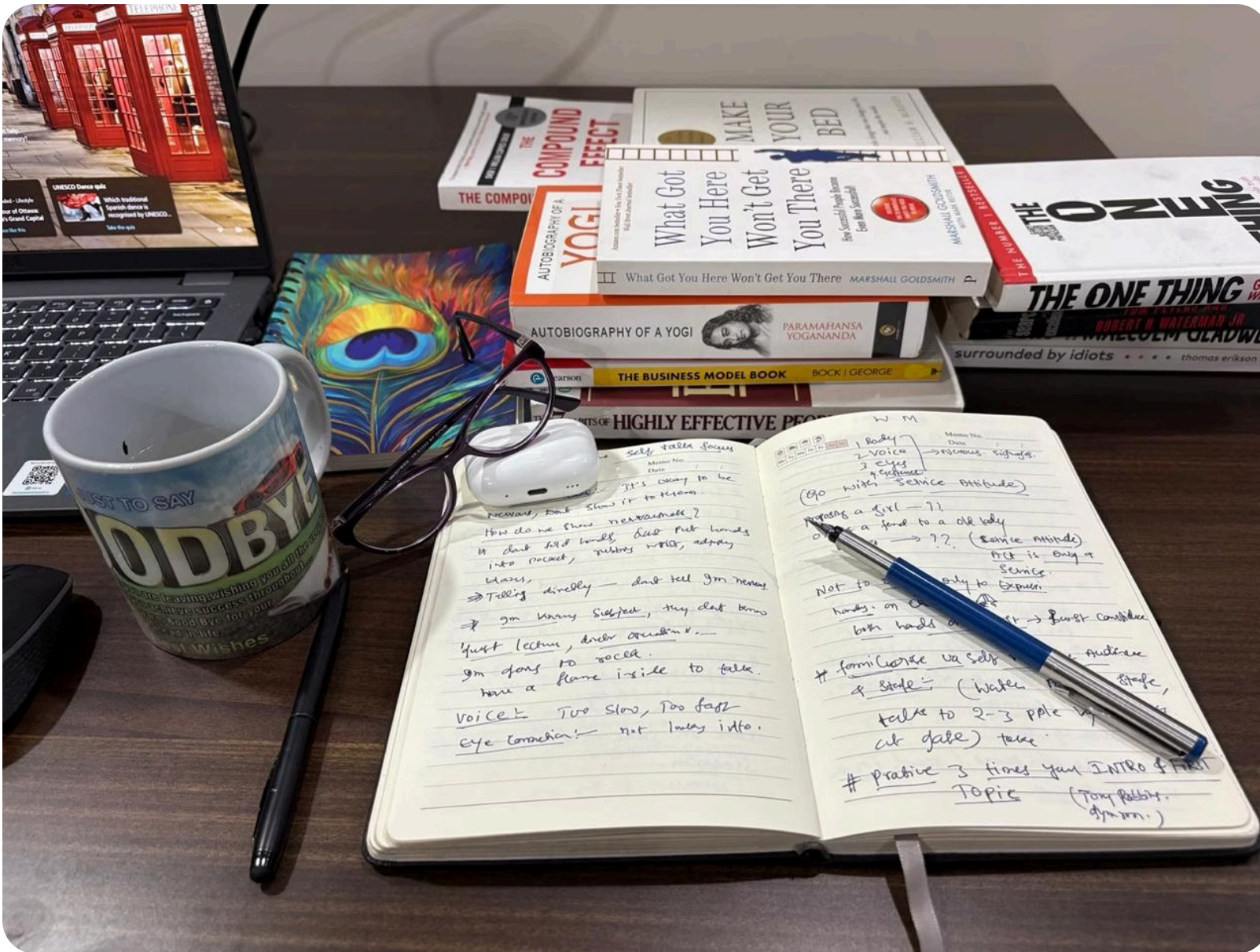
**The question was,  
"What is true?"**

**What have I lived? What have I failed? What have I learned  
the hard way? What have I seen in others — their fire, their  
struggle, their courage? What do I believe about  
leadership when no one is watching?**

**And suddenly, the words started coming.**

**Not perfect words. Not polished words. But true words.**





**They came from shopfloors at 2 AM. From leading teams through chaos. From people who trusted me. From moments that broke me. From moments that rebuilt me. From the battles inside that no one sees.**

**Those truths became the foundation of *The Inner Engine*.**

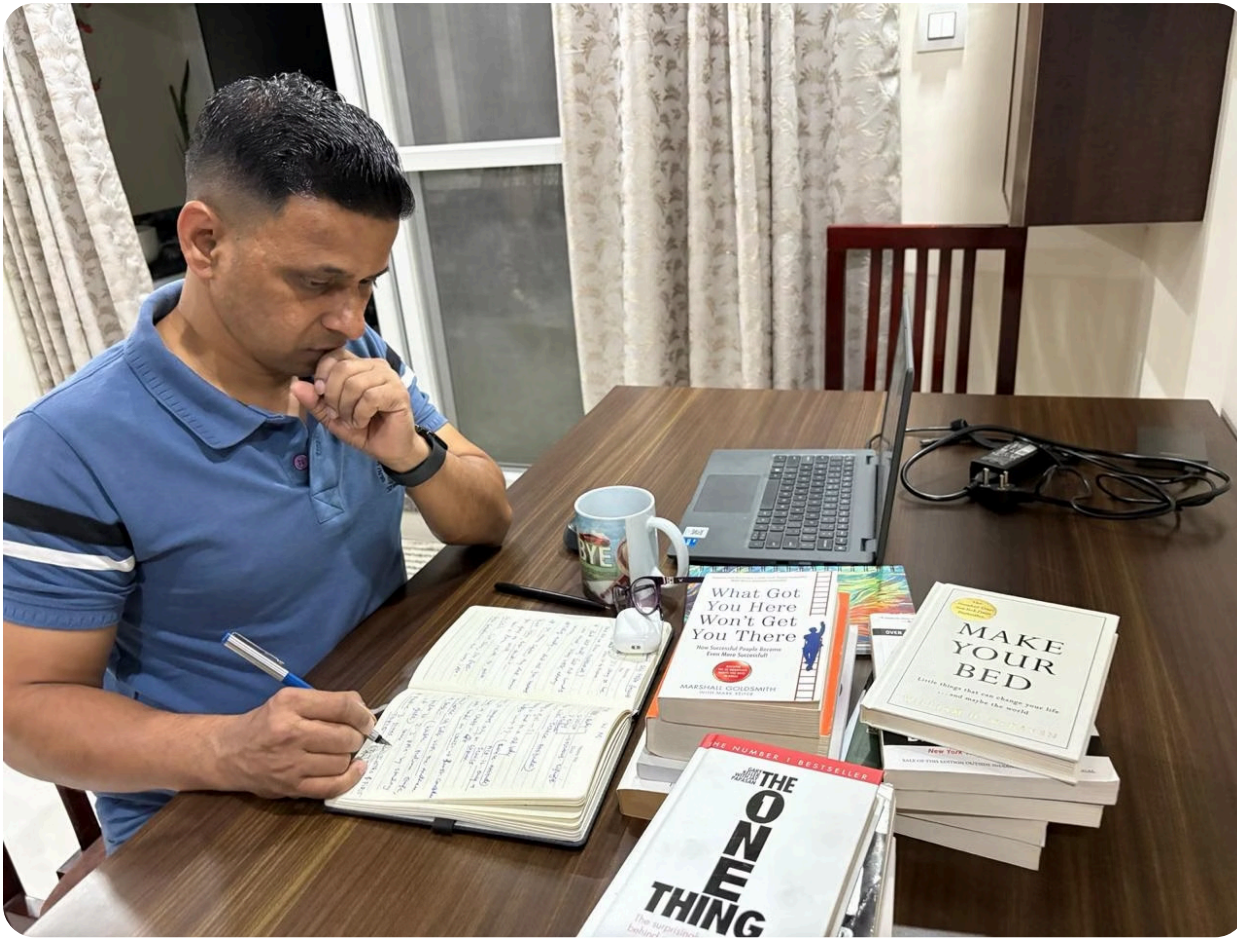
**And here's what I learned:**

**Books aren't written  
from knowledge.**

**Books are written  
from honesty.**

**The honesty you've lived. The honesty you've resisted.  
The honesty you finally decide to face.**





I'm still writing... refining... deleting... rewriting... And many pages continue to look like this — scribbled, messy, raw.

But now I know:

**If a book is meant to touch people, it must first touch the author.**

And this one has touched me more deeply than I ever expected.

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Thank you for walking with me through this creative chaos. This book is becoming what it was always meant to be.

# A Short Note From My Heart

Writing The Inner Engine has been one of the most meaningful experiences of my life. Not because it came easily... but because it didn't.

Some pages flowed. Some pages fought me. And some pages revealed parts of myself I didn't know I was still carrying.

Today, I've shared a small piece of that journey — **a behind-the-heart note** on *why* this book exists.

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