**Success History – Steve Wozniak**

It’s really difficult to define, who is actually a technical genius of XX century Steve Wozniak. Is he a simple informatics teacher? Is he a father-creator legendary technological company? Is he a simple student from a poor family, who has dreamed about PC, and who has created it by own hands? Is he philanthropist and benefactor?

***Steve Wozniak – How it all began***

Life of this man has always argued with commonness. This was started from his birth. Steve was born in a family of Ukrainian and German, in 1950, just 5 years after the war; it was a really strange union. This concerned a childhood too, when his neighbor boys were playing baseball and were eating hamburgers, this weird boy learned laser installations. This interest was from his father, who was able to interest son in the engineering.

Since 10 years Steve Wozniak got crazy in computers, but in his dreams computer was compact, small and easy. But he could not create it by own hands, because he hadn’t money for the details for creating real examples. But in teen age, Steve was able to rebuild preimage of PC with accuracy on the drawings. Remains only find the way to transform dreams in reality.

***First job and meeting, which changed the world***

During the studying in university, Wozniak got a unique proposition: a firm Hewlett-Packard invited him for creating of first calculator with a buttons in a world. Belief in himself and his desire were so big, that Wozniak left university and plunged into research. Steve created this calculator, and during the work with it, he was convinced that his dream of a PC can be implemented in a life. And he meets with Steve Jobs, who saw his layout of PC, and offered to create a company, which will manufacture and trade computers “Apple”.

***Revolution***

Today it’s hard to imagine, but global concern Apple has been created on the money, that Steves got by the selling of old bus and calculator. Two Steves divided between themselves post of president and post of vice-president and went to the family garage, where have been created first 100 computers by own hands.

Then was a creating of color monitor, first computer games and enormous wealth, which was growing up with unbelievable speed. Two friends, who never suspected that become millionaires, got a big profit and became the most famous people of XX century.

***Life after Apple***

In 1981, Wozniak falls into a terrible disaster, which provoked retrograde amnesia, and leaves the ranks of the company's employees. 2 years later he was back, but in '87 leaves again, and this time forever.

He creates his own company specializing on the production of universal remote controllers, which was also an innovation in those days. At the beginning of XXI century, he became interested in GPS- navigation capabilities and started opening new perspectives in this field of technological progress.

Nowadays, Steve Wozniak - a simple teacher of computer science in fifth grade and member of the Masonic Order, well-known philanthropist and a man of legend.