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20THINGS YOU DIDN'T KNOW ABOUT RALPH UNTIL NOW

What are 3 words people use to describe you? Innovative, Conceptual, and Sounding-Board.

If happiness was the national currency, what kind of work would make you rich?

I am already rich. I have GOD, family, and my business in that order.

Name one thing not many people know about you. I give GOD the credit and I'll take all the commissions.

What did you want to be when you were a child? Rich.

What are you most grateful for in your life? Blessed with a loving, healthy family.

What is the best advice you've ever been given? Treat people like I want to be treated.

What are your Top 3 all time favorite movies?

It's a Wonderful Life, The Magnificent Seven, and The Godfather.

What is your greatest achievement and how has it shaped you?

Eagle Scout and the first in the U.S. to receive the Pope Pius XII Award.

What book has influenced you the most and why?

The Power of Positive Thinking by Dr. Norman Vincent Peale for everyday living.

What one thing have you not done in your life that you really want to do?

Start a Charitable Family Foundation.

of getting involved in people's lives, finding out what their concerns are, and then providing solutions to get them to where they need to be. ""

What is your favorite quote and who said it?

"What I am is God's gift to me. What I become is my gift to God." -- Eleanor Powell

If you could have dinner with any one person, living or dead, who would they be and why?

My father. I'd ask, tell me about heaven.

What words of wisdom would you pass on to your child-hood self?

Love what you do, never give up, and be the best you can be.

List one thing you wish you could change about yourself? Patience.

If you could speak to everyone in the world at the same time, what would you say?

God grant me the Serenity to accept the things I cannot change, Courage to change the things I can, and Wisdom to know the difference.

Who is one of your heroes and why?

Superman. He can do and be a hero to many.

What is your most treasured memory?

Living by Orchard Beach, NY, and going clamming and crabbing in our leaky row boat.

If you could have the answer to any one question, what would that question be?

When are we going to perfect a quality life extension process?

If you were to die tomorrow, what would be your biggest regret?

That I didn't live long enough to see our grandchildren and great-grandchildren's successes.

If you could live in a book, TV show or movie, what would it be and why?

Bonanza: the Wild West adventures of Ben Cartwright and his sons as they run and defend their Nevada ranch while helping the surrounding community.