

For my success story I chose Steve Jobs, he is a controversial figure; most people either love him or hate him. Personally I'm not a huge fan of his, but I respect what he was able to accomplish with his life. He was given up for adoption at birth, and after one month of being placed in his adopted him he was given back because the couple decided they wanted a daughter. He was a co-founder of *Apple Computers* with Steve Wozniak, and after the launch of one the first "all in one" computers the 1984 *Macintosh*, he was kicked out of his own company! He did not let that deter him from continuing to innovate and to think of ways to get back into the company he helped found. He created the company *NEXT* and built it in a way that would make Apple need to buy his company and get him back into his company. I chose him because no matter came his way, he would take each obstacle head on and came up with ideas that have lead to amazing technological advances. I feel it applies to my journey because I take things head on and try not to let things deter or derail my progress, and I have many ideas for applications and software that may not make me a billionaire like Steve Jobs, but could make jobs and tasks easier for people to do and therefore do them faster and be able to accomplish more in their day.

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