

PEOPLE WHO FOUND
SUCCESS
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FAILURES



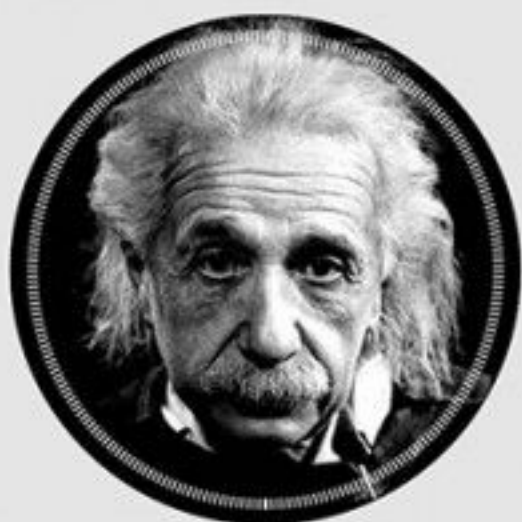
❖ **12 TIMES** ❖

J.K. Rowling was famously rejected by a mighty 12 publishers before Harry Potter and The Philosopher's Stone was accepted.



❖ **302 TIMES** ❖

Legend has it Walt Disney was turned down 302 times before he got financing for creating Disneyland.



❖ **104 TIMES** ❖

Albert Einstein didn't speak until he was four and didn't read till seven. He went on to win a Nobel Prize and became the face of modern physics.



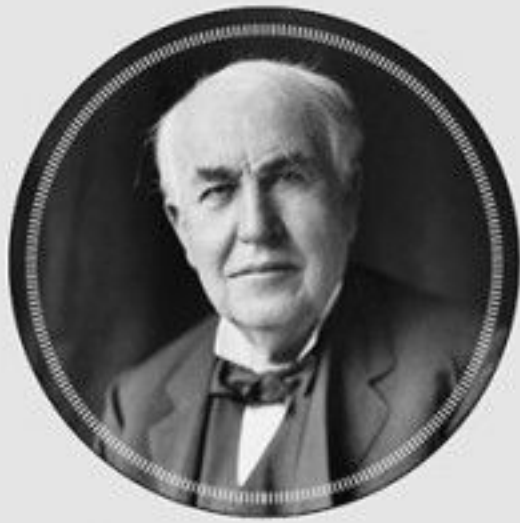
❖ **SOLD 1 PAINTING** ❖

Vincent Van Gogh only sold one painting in his lifetime--to a friend. Despite that, he kept painting and finished over 800 pieces. His most expensive painting today is valued at \$142.7 million.



❖ **27 TIMES** ❖

Dr. Seuss's first book To Think That I Saw It on Mulberry Street was rejected by 27 different publishers.



❖ **10000 WAYS** ❖

Thomas Edison: "If I find 10,000 ways something won't work, I haven't failed. I am not discouraged, because every wrong attempt discarded is another step forward."