



Statut et conditions de vie : déterminants des vulnérabilités Fayez AKHRAS

# Introduction



My Story Puts to Evidence that any Single Human Being, and Anyone of US Could Fall Vulnerable Any Moment in Time!

### The Vulnerability of An Immigrant To Survive.. And Exist!

- December 1976 Fleeing Prosecution and Leaving Home
- December 1980 and 1986 Resilience Pays Off: Major Milestones and Accomplishments

#### The Vulnerability of An Immigrant To Survive.. And Exist!



Every Immigrant
with the Proper Motivation has the
RIGHT
to Feel the Joy of Achieving his/her
Dreams and Happiness!

#### First Time I Felt Existed – Successful Career And A Happy Settled Life

- December 1991 The Famous Green Card and Then US Citizenship!
- December 1998 Landing at Findel for the First Time
- Successful Success! Calling Lux Home Away from Home!

#### First Time I Felt Existed – Successful Career And A Happy Settled Life



Luxembourg
A Place that I Began to Love
A Society That Appreciated Who I am,
a Human Being
Who Was Well Integrated in the Society!

#### A Storm Approaching – An Attempt To Preserve Down A Steep Hill



- The Death of My Mother!
- Heart Attack in 2017
- Wife's Decision To Leave!
- An Attempt to Face the Storm
- A Failed Fight of Resilience The Start of Life of Solitude and Pain
- A Long Period of Harsh and Sometimes Fatal Denial!

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This Storm of Vulnerability
is a Fact of Life
ANY Human Being
IS Susceptible To!!!

#### A Harsh Reality of a Long Road of Misery – No Place to Call Home

- Shock of Suicide Attempt!
- Accepting Help Assistante Sociale de la Croix Rouge
- Médecins du Monde!

# **Officially Homeless**

- Time to Leave...
- Someone is Fighting for Me...
- Night Shelter Croix Rouge!
- Suicidal Thoughts Again Struggle Between Pride and Denial
- The BNL A Familiar World

## **Officially Homeless**



Every Homeless Person Has an Unspoken Story behind him/her and Has a Rhythm of Life to Allow Them to Survive! The BNL Became MINE!!

# The Start of A Long Recovery



# A Real Hope of Recovery and Reintegration as un Sans Abri Back Into Society!!!

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- La Maison Escale...
- Gradual Road Back To Life...
- A Life Line Extended!
- Motivation for Autonomy!

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Liberating Acknowledgement not Only to Me but to Those Few Who Supported Me All the Way!!!

#### My Late Mother...



# "NO MATTER WHERE YOU ARE IN THIS VAST WORLD, KNOW THAT YOU HAVE SOMEONE WHO IS WITH YOU SIMPLY BECAUSE YOU DESERVE IT"

### Un MERCI du CŒUR!!



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