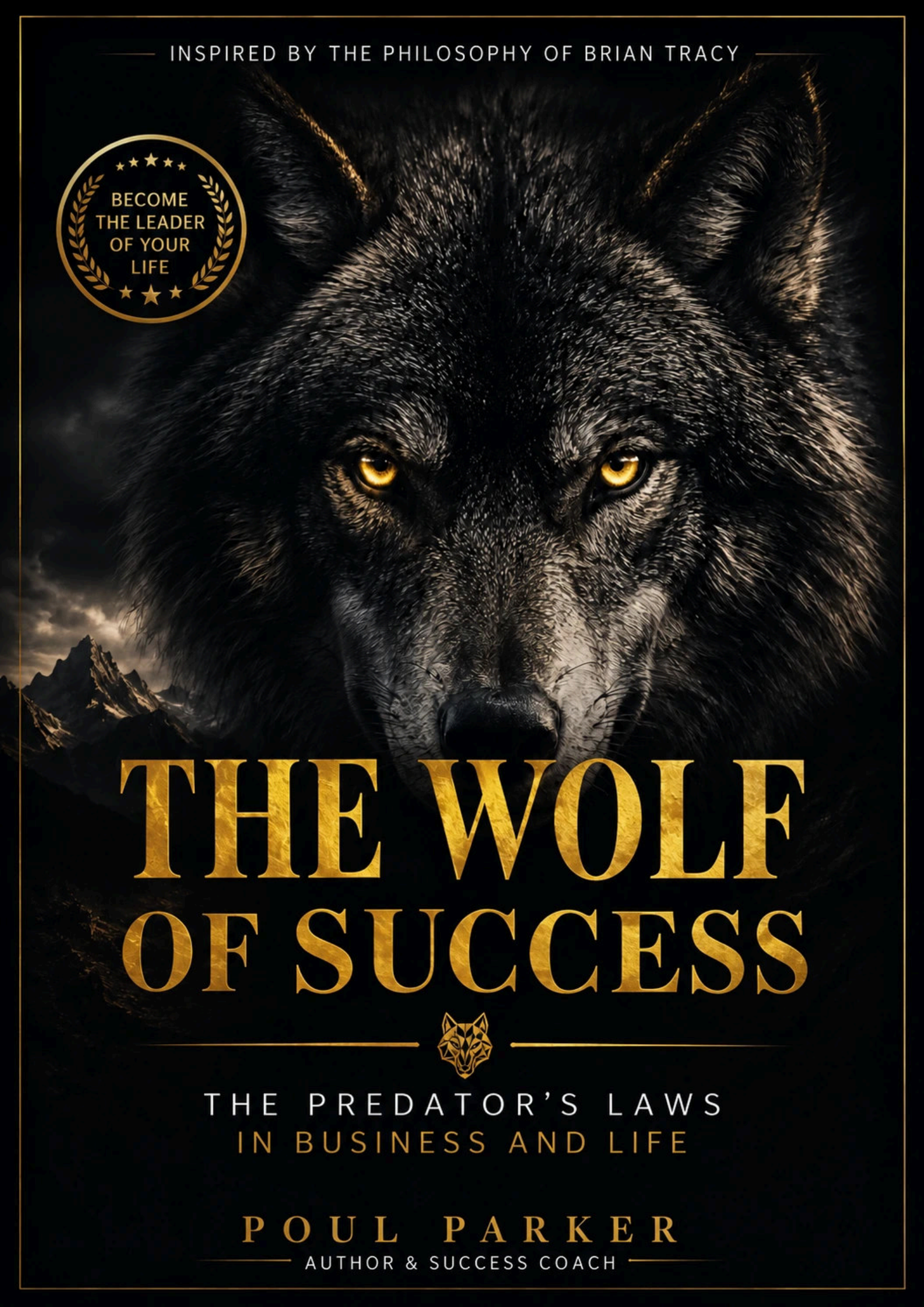
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English translation of “Wilk Sukcesu”.

For everyone who feels the wolf within but has not yet dared to howl.

And for those already howling - may your voice become louder than ever.

- Poul Parker

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FOREWORD

A word from the author

Before you read the first page of this book, I want you to know one thing: I wrote it as much for myself as for you.

For years I searched for answers. I worked for others, pursued other people's dreams and put out other people's fires. I was conscientious, loyal and hardworking. And I was average.

Only when I immersed myself in Tracy's work - and began to see myself through the image of the wolf - did something change. Not immediately. Not magically. But genuinely, step by step.

The wolf is not a metaphor for brutality. It is a metaphor for precision, focus and determination. A wolf does not apologise for its nature. It does not explain why it is hungry. It simply acts.

This book brings together years of studying the philosophy of Brian Tracy - one of the most practical thinkers in the history of business and personal development - with my own experience as a coach and entrepreneur.

Brian Tracy once said, “Success is predictable.” That sentence changed my life. If success is predictable, it means you can learn it. You can plan it. You can achieve it.

And the wolf? The wolf achieves success instinctively. Our task is to develop those same instincts within ourselves - consciously, methodically and without compromise.

I do not promise that this book will be easy. I promise that it will be honest. And I promise that if you apply what you find here, your life will change.

I am with you on every page.

- Poul Parker

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INTRODUCTION

The nature of the wolf

Who are you really?

“A wolf does not apologise for being a wolf.”

Two kinds of people

There are two kinds of people in the world: those who react to reality and those who create it. The first are sheep. The second are wolves.

This is not a moral judgement. It describes a mechanism. A sheep waits for instructions. A wolf chooses its own direction. A sheep asks permission. A wolf takes the initiative. A sheep fears rejection. A wolf understands that rejection is part of the game.

Brian Tracy studied thousands of the world's most effective people. His conclusion was clear: success is not an accident. It results from specific qualities, habits and actions, repeated consistently over a long period.

“You are what you think about most of the time. Your outer reality reflects your inner reality.” - Brian Tracy

A wolf knows who it is. It has no doubts about its nature. It does not apologise for being loud, taking up space or asking for more.

The question is not whether you are a wolf. The question is whether you allow yourself to be one.

The anatomy of a wolf of success

1. Identity - you know who you are

A wolf does not pretend to be someone else. It is fully aware of its strength and its limitations. It knows its strengths and builds on them. It knows its weaknesses and either improves them or surrounds itself with others who complement them.

2. Purpose - you know what you want

Having no goal means living on autopilot. A wolf always knows where it is going. Your goal does not have to be perfect; it has to be clear. Clear enough to guide every decision, every day.

3. Action - you do it regardless of your mood

This is where most people drop out. They wait for motivation. A wolf does not wait. It acts because that is its nature, not because it feels like it. Motivation FOLLOWS action; it does not come first.

4. Resilience - you get up after every fall

A pack loses the trail. A hunt fails. A storm changes the plan. But the wolf gets up. Always. Because the alternative is death, and the wolf chooses life.

“A wolf of success is not born. A wolf of success is built. Every day. Consciously. Without compromise.”

In the following chapters, we will work through every part of that process: instinct, the pack, territory, hunting, perseverance, time, transformation, mindset, energy and finances.

Each chapter is one element of the wolf's code. Together they form a system: complete, tested and effective.

Ready? The pack is moving.

CHAPTER I

INSTINCT

Act before others do

“The most important quality for success is a readiness to take immediate action.” - Brian Tracy

A wolf does not wait for perfect conditions

Watch a wolf on a hunt. It does not spend hours analysing. It does not wait until it is 100% certain. It assesses the situation in seconds and acts. Even when things are imperfect. Even when there is risk.

Tracy calls this a bias towards action. Research shows that the most effective people make decisions quickly. They can gather enough information and decide, rather than wait for certainty that will never arrive.

Certainty is an illusion. Every decision involves risk. The question is not how to eliminate risk. It is how to act despite it.

“Do what you fear, and the fear will die of its own accord.” - Brian Tracy

Procrastination - the silent killer of ambition

Procrastination is the most expensive habit in the world. Tracy estimates that the average employee wastes 2-3 hours a day putting tasks off. That is 10-15 hours a week. 500-750 hours a year.

Translate that into money. Into opportunities. Into dreams left unfulfilled because “tomorrow will be a better time”.

There is no tomorrow. There is only now. A wolf understands this instinctively: every moment is either a hunt or a loss.

The five-second rule

When you feel an impulse to act, count to five and begin. There is a five-second window between thought and action. If you do not act, your brain will start looking for reasons not to.

The two-minute rule

If a task takes less than two minutes, do it immediately. Do not write it down. Do not plan it. Do it.

The first-step rule

Do not plan the entire journey. Take one step. The next will reveal itself once you are moving.

The law of initiative

The alpha wolf always moves first. Not because it is the most powerful, but because it decides to move. Initiative is not courage. Initiative is a decision.

In business, initiative means calling before the competition, sending the first proposal and suggesting a solution before the customer asks. Let us be honest: customers remember who was first.

Tracy describes a phenomenon called momentum. Once you start acting, each subsequent action becomes easier. Every day without action, you slow down. Every day with action, you speed up.

“Motivation follows action; it does not precede it. Begin. Motivation will join you along the way.”

The most common mistake is waiting until you are “ready”. The truth is brutal: you will never be ready. There will always be a reason to wait.

A wolf does not wait to be ready. It learns on the move. That is why it is always ahead of the sheep, which is still preparing.

Exercise: tonight, before you go to sleep, write down ONE thing you have been putting off for a week or longer. Tomorrow morning, before anything else, take the first step towards it. However small. However imperfect.

That is the beginning. That is the moment a sheep becomes a wolf.

Make the first step manageable

Imagine you have been putting off an important phone call for a week. The longer you wait, the harder it seems. You do not need to have a perfect conversation immediately. First, find the number, write down your purpose and prepare one question. This makes the obstacle smaller.

Taking initiative does not mean making every decision without thinking. Check the information and consequences before accepting important commitments. For an ordinary task, choose a small, safe starting point. Afterwards, notice what helped you begin. Repeat that approach tomorrow. Judge yourself by your willingness to act, as well as by the result.

