



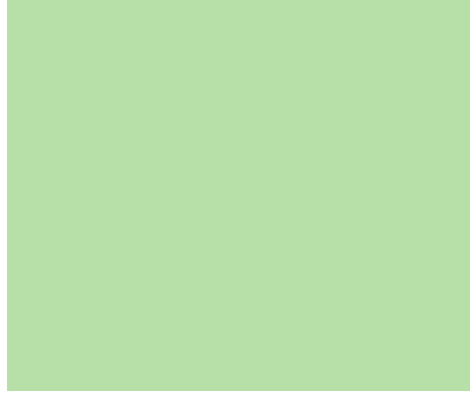
HERMAN MASHABA

WALKING AWAY IS
NOT AN OPTION

ULLRICK UNIVERSITY, 10
SEPTEMBER 2020



**BEGINNINGS: MY
PARENTS AND MY
FAMILY**



LITTLE. GROWING UP IN APARTHEID SOUTH AFRICA



**THE MAN WHO
SHAPED ME: MY
GRANDFATHER,
KOOS MASHABA**

THE ARCHITECT OF OUR OPPRESSION, HENDRIK VERWOERD



Born a Communist by Law – Suppression of Communist Act, 1950

- The Act defined Communism as any scheme that aimed at bringing about any political, industrial, social or economic change within the country.
- The Act was frequently used to silence critics of racial segregation and Apartheid.
- The Act was used to take down anyone who advocated for black rights.
- The Act was replaced in 1982 by the Internal Security Act



1979 – 1980: MY SHORT ACADEMIC CAREER



MY ROCK: MY WIFE, CONNIE, AND OUR CHILDREN

**A COMMISSION
SALES
REPRESENTATIV
E IN 1982**




ONTO
BIGGER
THINGS:
BLACK
LIKE ME IS
BORN



THE LOAN
THAT
STARTED IT
ALL

MY
BUSINESS
PARTNER
S AND I

 Banka ya Standard ya Bophuthatswana Ltd
Standard Bank of Bophuthatswana Limited
Banka e ikhethiwe ngokwenkqubo Registered Bank

Tshupapolokelo ya Tâheke
Current Account Credit

Letlha
Date: 1/2/85

Nr. ya tshupapolokelo
Account number: 0215164510

Leina (ka ditlhakagolo)
Name in blockletters: Mashmol Dist (Pty) Ltd

Selempe sa letlha le tshoane ya kasi
Teller's date stamp and signature: [Signature]

Dipampiri Notes	R2	R5	R10
Tse dingwe Other			
Selefera Silver			
Baerone Bronze			
Dipapostere Postal Orders			
Madi othe Total Cash			
Nomere ya Banka Kaia Bank Branch Number			30,000.00

Fato ya Dipapostere
Number of Postal Orders

Tuele ya Banka
Cash Deposit Fee: R

Dikhele - Leina la mogopi
Cheques - Drawer's name: General Agency
0215164510

10 Poloko yotlha
Total Credit



**OUR HUMBLE
BEGINNING: CONNIE & I
IN OUR NEW OFFICE**

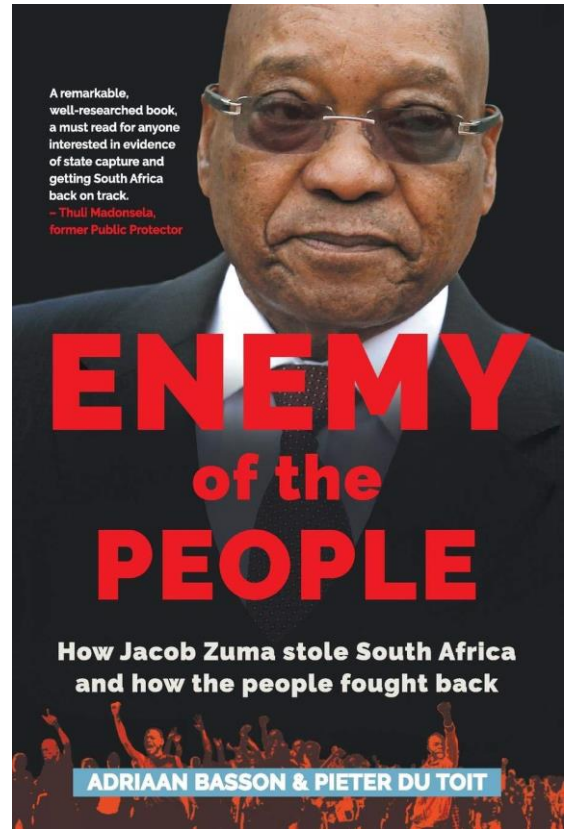


**1994: THE RAINBOW
NATION IS BORN
TOGETHER WITH A DREAM
OF A BRIGHTER FUTURE**



COLLAPSE OF ZIMBABWE: THE BREADBASK ET OF SOUTHERN AFRICA





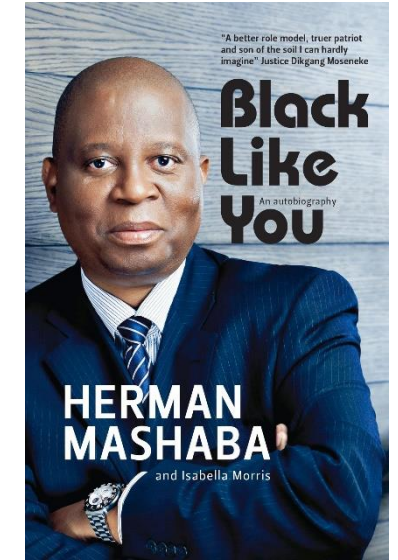
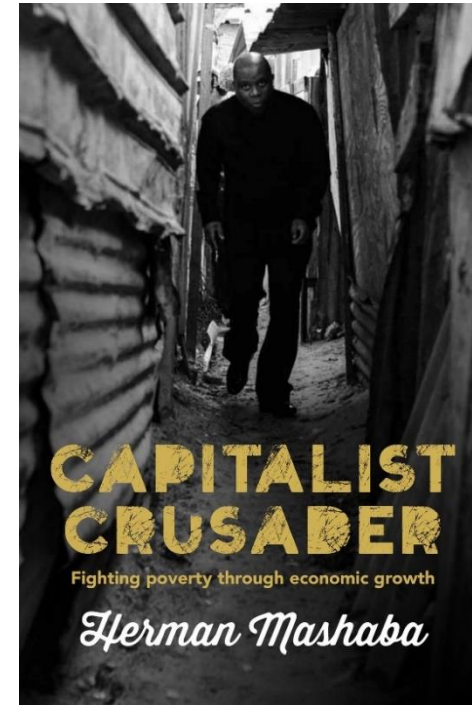
THE ZUMA YEARS: A DOWNWARD SPIRAL



A DREAM DEFERRED:
THE MOST UNEQUAL
SOCIETY IN THE WORLD

BECOMING AN ACTIVIST FOR CHANGE

- 3 Years as Chairman of the Institute Directors in Southern Africa (IoDSA)
- 3 Years as the Chairman of Free Market Foundation (FMF)
- Author of 2 books:
 - **Black Like You:** An autobiography
 - **Capitalist Crusader:** Fighting poverty through economic growth



INSTITUTE OF DIRECTORS
SOUTHERN AFRICA



FREE MARKET FOUNDATION

**LONGER
AN
ARMCHAIR
CRITIC: MY
ENTRANCE
INTO
POLITICS
IN 2015**





JOHANNESBURG
MAYORAL CANDIDATE 2016



HERMAN MASHABA

 **DA** #MashabaForMayor

A CAMPAIGN FOR CHANGE: RUNNING TO BE THE MAYOR OF JOHANNESBU RG IN 2016



2016 - 2019: MAYOR OF SOUTH AFRICA'S ECONOMIC HUB



2016 – 2019: A COMPLEX 7-WAY COALITION

- Democratic Alliance: 104 seats
- Inkatha Freedom Party: 5 seats
- 1 seat each:
 - African Christian Democratic Party
 - Al Jama-ah
 - Congress of the People
 - Freedom Front Plus
 - United Democratic Party
- Economic Freedom Fighters: 30 seats
 - ‘issue by issue’ basis only





**THE PEOPLE'S MAYOR:
SERVING SOCIETY, NOT A
POLITICAL PARTY**



21 OCTOBER
2019: STEPPING
DOWN

“I cannot reconcile myself with a group of people who believe that race is irrelevant in the discussion of inequality and poverty in South Africa in 2019.”

6 DECEMBER
2019:

**BUT NOT
WALKING AWAY**

“Today, I have launched *The People’s Dialogue*, a platform to engage South Africans from all walks of life about how we can build a South Africa that we can all be proud of.”



**THE
PEOPLE'S
DIALOGUE**
JOIN THE CONVERSATION

THE
**ACCIDENTAL
MAYOR**



Herman Mashaba
and the Battle for
Johannesburg

**MICHAEL
BEAUMONT**



**THE ACCIDENTAL
MAYOR:
HERMAN MASHABA
AND THE BATTLE
FOR
JOHANNESBURG**

29 AUGUST 2020:

**A NEW POLITICAL ALTERNATIVE FOR
SOUTH AFRICA**



OUR VALUES

- Non-racialism
- Economic Prosperity
- Social Justice
- Rule of Law
- Electoral Reform
- Quality Education
- Ethical Leadership

**THANK
YOU**

