

Dear Rajarshi,

Thank you very much for your beautiful and heartfelt letter. Reading it filled me with immense joy, gratitude, and pride.

First of all, let me congratulate you most sincerely on the forthcoming publication of *One Shot One Kill*. Having a book published by a reputed international publisher is a remarkable achievement, and I am delighted to see you reach this important milestone. I am equally happy to learn that the book has been co-authored with Dr. Jayashri Rajbangshi, another distinguished Bosconian, and that it carries a foreword by Lieutenant General Rana Pratap Kalita, one of the most respected military leaders of our nation. These associations themselves speak volumes about the quality and significance of the work you have undertaken.

Your letter reflects the very values that Don Bosco sought to instil in every young person—gratitude, humility, commitment, and a desire to contribute meaningfully to society. While you generously attribute your achievements to your teachers and alma mater, the truth is that your accomplishments are the result of your own hard work, perseverance, discipline, and vision. Institutions and teachers can inspire, guide, and accompany; but it is individuals like you who transform those lessons into a life of purpose and excellence.

I am particularly moved by the theme of your book. By honouring the silent warriors who dedicate their lives to the service of the nation, you are giving voice to stories of courage, sacrifice, and patriotism that deserve to be remembered and celebrated. Such works enrich society and inspire future generations to place service above self.

As a teacher, there are few joys greater than witnessing the success of former students. Your achievements bring honour not only to your family but also to the entire Don Bosco fraternity. We are proud of you, proud of the values you embody, and proud of the contribution you continue to make through your professional work and now through your writing.

May this book touch countless lives, inspire many readers, and be the first of many literary contributions from your pen. I assure you of my prayers and best wishes as you continue your journey of excellence and service.

Congratulations once again, dear Rajarshi. Keep dreaming, keep writing, and keep making a difference. Don Bosco would certainly be proud of the man you have become.

With affection, admiration, and blessings,



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