



# Chris McGale

### The Million Dollar Irishman

"A testimony of what can be achieved with self belief"

Chris McGale is the bestselling author of The Million Dollar Irishman. The memoir traces his journey from being orphaned at just 12years-old, to scaling the peaks of financial services in Dublin and London and finishing as one of the top-earning City stockbrokers – being tokened "The Wolf of John Street'.

### TOPICS:

- o The Million Dollar Irishman My Story
- Overcoming Adversity
- o Entrepreneurship

#### LANGUAGES:

He presents in English.

## **PUBLICATIONS:**

2021 The Million Dollar Irishman

2020 The Humpty Dumpty Man: A Life

Rebuilt

### IN DETAIL:

The Million Dollar Irishman was the name given to Chris in 1988 by the head of a multitrauma team of surgeons that operated on him for five hours at a Belfast hospital, putting him back together again. At twenty-five, a high-speed, head-on collision with an articulated lorry had devastated Chris physically and mentally. In a one-in-a-million near-death experience, his life was saved twice that day. In another one-in-a-million chance his pay ascended from £1 a week as a bookie's runner at my family's Irish pub, Kate's Bar, Omagh, Co. Tyrone, to \$1m a year at the American investment bank, Merrill Lynch & Co. Inc. In what he would later call his George Best moment, he went on sabbatical from Merrill in May 2002 and never went back..

### WHAT HE OFFERS YOU:

Chris McGale provides a fascinating insight into the life of a man growing up quickly in a small Northern Ireland town during the troubles and moving to London working for a prominent Wall Street firm. Thrown into this, there are battles with gambling, a lifechanging accident and the worst single atrocity in the history of the troubles in NI. Life is certainly not straight forward in this insight into a Million Dollar Investor.

### **HOW HE PRESENTS:**

Chris is a storyteller who shares his life story and the success he has experienced with a wide range of audiences..

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