Short bio

Marc Kielburger left traditional business to co-found ME to WE Social Enterprise. Every year, millions of ME to WE customers drive social change through product purchases and culturally-immersive travel experiences. Marc is a Harvard and Oxford graduate, and Rhodes Scholar. He believes that purpose-driven business will help change the world. Marc lives in Toronto with his wife, Roxanne, and daughters, Lily-Rose and Violette.

Long bio

Marc Kielburger is a Rhodes Scholar, lawyer, social entrepreneur, New York Times bestselling author and gifted orator. He has degrees from both Harvard and Oxford, where he studied law. He has shared the stage, and his voice, with Nobel Peace laureates, heads of state, celebrities, rock bands, actors and icons, including former president Bill Clinton, former Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev, Archbishop Emeritus Desmond Tutu and Sir Richard Branson, among many more.

Marc is the co-founder, with his brother, of ME to WE, a pioneering social enterprise. ME to WE expands the vision of philanthropy to provide people with better choices for a better world, including socially conscious, environmentally friendly and sweatshop-free accessories; life-changing international volunteer trips; and leadership training programs. ME to WE’s Artisan line of handcrafted products is available in 12,000 retail stores across North America. The social enterprise business division works with high-profile partners such as KPMG, Microsoft, Allstate, Unilever, Barclay’s, Facebook, Google, Nordstrom, Walgreens, Target and many other Fortune 500 companies. Half of ME to WE’s net profit is donated to WE Charity, while the other half is reinvested to grow the enterprise and its social mission. He is also a bestselling author and syndicated columnist. Marc is the proud dad of young daughters, Lily-Rose and Violette.