

People think I can't do anything

You can't do that job because you can't hear or talk

You cannot do that, it's not possible with you.

You can't teach you're Deaf

You cannot be a good mother, or you cannot be a good wife

Most of the time they underestimate almost everything. People who say that the blind cannot play sport. We are here, we have the capacity. My favourite, currently, is blind cricket, I'm a good batsman.

People had a doubt that I can swim without a leg. I could float, so that means that I can swim. When I first entered the water, I had a freedom of movement.

People from my family, they didn't believe that I can wear a sari and walk with saris. When I wear it, I was really looking gorgeous. I told you so!

The first time I fell in love a few of my other classmates said, "Oh Jose you're too brave." I said "Alright, I will prove it to you, one day I will marry her. "I'm handsome actually so I thought that well... Five years later, we got married. I told you so.

It's like a label on me that, you never have husband, and now I have husband and my baby, so proud (laughing).

I was known as a boy with the disability but it's my dream that tomorrow, I'll be known as a man fighting for climate change of our country.

"You're a Deaf teacher?" Yes I'm a Deaf teacher.

You can't study at that uni it's only for smart people. Actually, I'm studying now, this is my second master. I like to shock people yeah.

Chefs, artist, engineer, travel, Deaf are the same.

When I started doing my music, some people are surprised. How is it happening? Wow! "Yeah! Never, never, ever give up! Never, never, ever give up! They call me Mpofu Namba 1!"

I'm a dreamer.

I am a father, I love music and I'm finishing my 3<sup>rd</sup> degree.

I can save life as a doctor.

I can.

I can.

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Don't underestimate me.

Don't underestimate us.