

BIO – DATA

- Name:** Jagmal Singh Choudhary
- Father's Name:** Shri Lichhman Ram Choudhary
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- Academic Qualification:** B.A., LL.B.
- Enrolment No. and Date :** R/119/1973, 1st September, 1973
- Place of Practice :** Jodhpur
- Practicing since 1973 on Criminal side
(Rajasthan High Court)
- Social Activities :**
- Present Member of Bar Council of Rajasthan.
 - Remained Chairman Bar Council of Rajasthan from 16.04.2006 to 18.03.2007.

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A self-made man...

SENIOR ADVOCATE AT RAJASTHAN HIGH COURT, JAGMAL SINGH CHOUDHARY HAS FOUGHT AGAINST ALL ODDS TO CARVE A NICHE IN THE FIELD OF LEGAL SERVICES

It's a common notion that life is a cakewalk for those, who are born with a silver spoon, while on the other hand, adversities often spoil the future prospects of an individual. However, there are exceptions to this common belief. People belonging to the latter category not only achieve all-round success with the help of their strong will power, wisdom and hard work, but also prove the age old saying that says, 'Where there is a will, there is a way'. Senior advocate at Rajasthan High Court, Jagmal Singh Choudhary belongs to this category of people. Born and brought up in a small village lacking basic amenities, he used to take cows and cattle to the jungle for grazing till the age of eight. It was due to

his acumen that he not only overcame every odd, but also achieved remarkable success in his field of interest. Being appointed as special public prosecutor in several cases, he has pleaded as defence counsel also in several important cases.

Son of a small farmer, Lichman Ram Choudhary, Jagmal Singh was born on May 15, 1946 at village *Salva Kallan*. The zeal to learn prompted him to attend newly established '*Praudh Pathshala*' (A school for adults) at the age of ten. He then was admitted to class second when a primary school was set up at the village. Due to an excellent academic record, after completing the studies of class third, he was directly promoted to grade five. After passing this class, he moved to Jodhpur



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for further studies. He used to cover a distance of approx seven kilometres on foot daily to reach his school. In the year, 1963-64, he appeared for high school examination and passed with second division.

Immediately after completing his high school, he was appointed as a government teacher. He continued his studies and obtained the degree of B.A. followed by LL.B. in the year 1973. The same year, he started prac-

ticing as a lawyer. Within no time, he became a popular name in the legal field. In 2004, he was elected as member in Bar Council of Rajasthan.

In 2009, he was again elected the member of the council. He was the chairman of the Bar Council during the year 2006-07. During his ten year long tenure as the member of the organisation, he had also served as the chairman of enrolment committee, trustee committee and disciplinary committee also from time to time. After executive committee was dissolved, he was nominated as the member of the special committee of Bar Council of India to conduct new elections. In the year 2011, Choudhary was appointed as senior advocate by the High Court. An ace

social worker, Choudhary is associated with various organisations too. He has been the secretary of *Jat Teja Mandir Sanstha* and *Kisan Chhatrawas*. He has attended many national and international seminars and has been felicitated a number of times for his presentation. He was bestowed upon with '*Nyayik Shri*' honour by the members of the Mand Sansthan.

His sons are also following his footsteps and are pursuing law as a career. Eldest of them Shaitan Singh is an academian running various Institutes in the city. Other two sons, Pradeep and Anil are lawyers. His wife, Shanti Devi is a homemaker. His daughter, Anita is married to professor Balbeer Singh.

—Tribhuvan
Kumar Dave