

The Following Quote Is Typical Of Darvas' Unique Market Philosophy:

“THE ONLY SOUND REASON FOR MY BUYING A STOCK IS THAT IT IS RISING IN PRICE. IF THAT IS HAPPENING, NO OTHER REASON IS REQUIRED. IF THAT IS NOT HAPPENING, NO OTHER REASON IS WORTH CONSIDERING.”

—Nicolas Darvas



NICOLAS DARVAS is the internationally famous dancer who didn't know a put or call from a bump or grind when he first ventured into the stock market.

Darvas and Julia made show-business history when they were held over for a record-breaking 14-month engagement in New York's Latin Quarter. And Darvas made financial history when he revealed how he had won more than \$2,000,000 in a dazzling 18-month sortie into the stock market. *Time* magazine hailed him as a "top stock-market speculator"; *Life* wrote him up; *Barron's*, the bible of Wall Street, featured his incredible success story. The "dancer wizard" was the subject of innumerable cartoons and quips and commentaries in America's leading publications — and he was the center of a storm of controversy.

Darvas' book, **How I Made \$2,000,000 in the Stock Market**, created a sensation, became an overnight best seller, and caused the American Stock Exchange to revise its rules.

He lives at the Plaza in New York, the Dorchester in London, and the Georges V in Paris. He and Julia were international headliners from Saigon to San Francisco, and he made some of his biggest killings when he was 10,000 miles from Wall Street.

Though a novice in the market just ten years ago, Darvas was trained as an economist at the University of Budapest and was one of the best-known crossword puzzle editors and sports-writers in his native Hungary.