The Invention That Wouldn't Fly

"Ladies and gentlemen, prepare to witness the future! I present my latest creation: the 'Float-O-Matic'. My invention is designed to make our lives easier. Instead of walking or taking a car, you simply sit in this chair, say where you want to go, and it lifts you above the city. It's the perfect solution for traffic! Today, we will have our first public demonstration."

"I turned on the 'Float-O-Matic' with a bright red button. There was a hum, but the chair didn't move. I tried again, and nothing. It doesn't work. My invention is dead. Disappointed, I realized I forgot to install the levitation thrusters. How silly of me! But don't worry, I will be back. I will fix it, and next time, the demonstration will be a great success. With a bit of luck, in a few days, the 'Float-O-Matic' will be flying over our heads."