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99% of the failures come from people who have the habit of making excuses...George Washington Carver

A bank is a place that will lend you money if you can prove that you don't need it...Bob Hope

A bend in the road is not the end of the road... unless you fail to turn...Anon

A business must fulfill the needs of the human spirit. These include survival, safety, play, celebration, love, belongingness, self-esteem and self-actualization....Deepak Chopra

A closed mouth gathers no feet...Unknown

A coach is someone who tells you what you don't want to hear, who has you see what you don't want to see, so you can be who you have always known you could be...Tom Landry

A day of worry is more exhausting than a day of work...John Lubbock

A difficult time can be more readily endured if we retain the conviction that our existence holds a purpose - a cause to pursue, a person to love, a goal to achieve...John Maxwell

A friend is a person with whom I may be honest. Before him, I may think aloud...Ralph Waldo Emerson

A goal is created three times. First as a mental picture. Second, when written down to add clarity and dimension. And third, when you take action towards its achievement...Gary Blair

A good traveler has no fixed plans, and is not intent on arriving...Lao Tzu

A great pleasure in life is doing what people say you cannot do...Walter Bagehot

A grownup is a child with layers on...Woody Harrelson

A human being fashions his consequences as surely as he fastens his goods or his dwelling. Nothing that he says, thinks or does is without consequences....Norman Cousins

A lie can go halfway around the world before the truth even gets its boots on...Mark Twain

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A life that hasn't a definite plan is likely to become driftwood...David Sarnoff

A man cannot be comfortable without his own approval...Mark Twain

A man doesn't know what he knows until he knows what he doesn't know...Laurence Peter

A man is not idle because he is absorbed in thought. There is a visible labor and there is an invisible labor...Victor Hugo

A man must be able to cut a knot, for everything cannot be untied...Henri Frederic Amiel

A man of correct insight among those who are duped and deluded resembles one whose watch is right while all the clocks in the town give the wrong time...Arthur Schopenhauer

A man of courage never wants weapons...Anon.

A man should not strive to eliminate his complexes, but to get into accord with them, for they are legitimately what directs his conduct in the world...Sigmund Freud

A man to carry on a successful business must have imagination. He must see things as in a vision, a dream of the whole thing...Charles M. Schwab

A man who dares to waste one hour of life has not discovered the value of life...Charles Darwin

A man who wants to lead the orchestra must turn his back on the crowd...James Crook

A man's dying is more the survivors' affair than his own...Thomas Mann

A man's life is interesting primarily when he had failed for it's a sign that he tried to surpass himself...Georges Clemenceau

A man's worth is no greater than his ambitions...Marcus Aurelius

A meaningful life will not be found in the next job or the next car. The way you get meaning in your life is to devote yourself to helping others and creating something that gives you purpose...Morrie Schwartz, in "Tuesdays with Morrie" by Mitch Albom

A mother is not a person to lean on but a person to make leaning unnecessary....Dorothy C. Fisher, writer

A new psychology needs to facilitate people in understanding that emotions, whether love and appreciation, or anger and anxiety, are all energies that have to be accounted for in the human system. Accounted for means they come under the laws of physics and the law of cause and effect. Each of us personally is accountable for the effects of our emotions and attitudes. Negative emotional energies stack up in the human system, then translate into mental, emotional and physical ailments if not brought into balance...Doc Childre

A new scientific truth does not triumph by convincing its opponents and making them see the light, but rather because its opponents eventually die, and a new generation grows up that is familiar with it...Max Planck

A pessimist is someone who complains about the noise when opportunity knocks...Michael Levine

A schedule defends from chaos and whim. It is a net for catching days. It is scaffolding on which a worker can stand and labor with both hands at sections of time....Anne Dillard

A silent threat to your credibility is making assumptions. Most assumptions are inaccurate...Brian Koslow

A single conversation with a wise man is better than ten years of study...Chinese Proverb

A stumble may prevent a fall...Thomas Fuller

A thousand things advance; nine hundred and ninety-nine retreat: That is progress...Henri Frederic Amiel

Accept everything about yourself - I mean everything. You are you and that is the beginning and the end - no apologies, no regrets...Henry Miller

Acceptance of what happened is the first step to overcoming the consequence of any misfortune...William James

Achievement seems to be connected with action. Successful men and women keep moving. They make mistakes, but they don't quit...Conrad Hilton

Action conquers fear...Peter N. Zarlenga

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Action is a great restorer and builder of confidence. Inaction is not only the result, but also the cause of fear. Perhaps the action you take will be successful; perhaps different action or adjustments will have to follow. But any action is better than no action at all...Norman Vincent Peale

Adversity has the effect of eliciting talents, which, in prosperous circumstances, would have lain dormant...Horace (poet and satirist, 65-8 B.C.)

Advice is like snow; the softer it falls, the longer it dwells upon, and the deeper it sinks into the mind...Samuel Taylor Coleridge

All art is a kind of confession, more or less oblique. All artists, if they are to survive, are forced, at last, to tell the whole story...James Baldwin, novelist and essayist

All fear is nothing more than thoughts. If there is only one, there cannot be a second to be afraid of. If we look to our Self, as it is one, there is nothing else to be afraid of. To think that there is something outside ourselves is the cause of fear, but if we are firmly rooted in our own reality, then there will be no fear, no doubt and no undesirable qualities, as all these are centered around the ego. The state of equanimity is the state of Bliss...Ramana Maharshi

All forms of fear produce fatigue...Bertrand Russell

All great discoveries are made by men whose feelings run ahead of their thinking...C. H. Parkhurst

All great masters are chiefly distinguished by the power of adding a second, a third, and perhaps a fourth step in a continuous line. Many a man had taken the first step. With every additional step you enhance immensely the value of your first...Ralph Waldo Emerson

All of life is a near-death experience...Alan Harris

All people are alike in their dreams, and all people are alike in the promises they make. The difference is what they do...Moliere, 17th Century French Playwright

All success comes from a combination of implementation and knowledge. Knowledge alone is meaningless without action...Brian Koslow

All that we are is the result of what we have thought; it is founded on our thoughts; it is made up of our thoughts. A man's life is the direct result of his thoughts...Buddha

All the art of living lies in a fine mingling of letting go and holding on...Havelock Ellis

All things are possible until they are proved impossible-and even the impossible may only be so as of now...Pearl S. Buck

Always do right - this will gratify some and astonish the rest...Mark Twain

Always seek to excel yourself. Put yourself in competition with yourself each day...Charles M. Sheldon

An eye for an eye will only serve to make the whole world blind...Mahatma Gandhi

An idea not coupled with action will never get any bigger than the brain cell it occupied...Arnold Glasow

An idea that is not dangerous is unworthy to be called an idea at all...Elbert Hubbard

An old man said to his grandson, ""Boy, I have two tigers caged within me. One is love and compassion. The other is fear and anger."" The young boy asked, ""Which one will win, grandfather?"" The old man replied, ""The one I feed.""...Indian tale

And in the end, it's not the years in your life that count. It's the life in your years...Abraham Lincoln

And the day came when the risk [it took] to remain tight in the bud was more painful than the risk it took to blossom...Anais Nin

Any man can make mistakes, but only an idiot persists in his error....Cicero

Anything that has real and lasting value is always a gift from within...Franz Kafka

Applying one personality for business and another for your 'personal life' can be unnecessarily stressful. You will find that being your authentic self at all times . . . will yield you the greatest success...Brian Koslow

As I see it, every day you do one of two things: build health or produce disease in yourself....Adelle Davis, author

As is our confidence, so is our capacity....William Hazlitt

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As we look deeply within, we understand our perfect balance. There is no fear of the cycle of birth, life and death. For when you stand in the present moment, you are timeless...Rodney Yee

As you emphasize your life, you must localize and define it; you cannot do everything...Phillips Brooks

At some time in everyone's life they will stumble across opportunity. Sadly, most people will pick themselves up and walk away as though nothing had ever happened...Winston Churchill

At the end of each day, you should play back the tapes of your performance. The results should either applaud you or prod you...Jim Rohn

Avoiding danger is no safer in the long run than outright exposure. The fearful are caught as often as the bold...Helen Keller

Be careful about reading health books. You may die of a misprint....Mark Twain

Be careful of your thoughts; they may become words at any moment...Ira Gassen

Be master of your petty annoyances and conserve your energies for the big, worthwhile things. It isn't the mountain ahead that wears you out - it's the grain of sand in your shoe...Robert Service

Be not afraid of going slowly; be afraid only of standing still....Chinese Proverb

Be not angry that you cannot make others as you wish them to be, since you cannot make yourself as you wish to be...Thomas à Kempis

Be of good cheer. Do not think of today's failures, but of the success that may come tomorrow. You have set yourselves a difficult task, but you will succeed if you persevere; and you will find joy in overcoming obstacles. Remember, no effort that we make to attain something beautiful is ever lost...Helen Keller

Be still. Be quiet. While you are verbally quiet, you may find that quiet space inside of yourself. You may have a burst of sudden joy filling up around your heart area. Bliss. It may feel as though you can feel your heart singing. This experience can only occur when you can look out of yourself, without mental comment...Wisdom Master Maticintin



Be yourself and think for yourself; and while your conclusions may not be infallible, they will be nearer right than the conclusions forced upon you...Elbert Hubbard

Before enlightenment-chop wood, carry water. After enlightenment-chop wood, carry water...Unknown

Before you begin a thing, remind yourself that difficulties and delays quite impossible to foresee are ahead. You can only see one thing clearly and that is your goal. Form a mental vision of that and cling to it through thick and thin...Kathleen Norris

Before you speak, ask yourself: Is it kind, is it necessary, is it true, does it improve on the silence?...Shirdi Sai Baba, Indian saint

Begin doing what you want to do now. We are not living in eternity. We have only this moment, sparkling like a star in our hand and melting like a snowflake...Marie Beyon Ray

Being defeated is often a temporary condition. Giving up is what makes it permanent...Marlene Savant

Believe and act as if it were impossible to fail...Charles F. Kettering

Believe, when you are most unhappy, that there is something for you to do in the world. So long as you can sweeten another's pain, life is not in vain....Helen Keller

Besides the noble art of getting things done, there is the noble art of leaving things undone. The wisdom of life consists in the elimination of non-essentials....Lin Yutang

Between stimulus and response, there is a space. In that space lies our freedom and power to choose our response. In our response lies our growth and freedom...Victor Frankl, Man's Search for Meaning

Big results require big ambitions...James Champy

Bite off more than you can chew and then chew like hell...Peter Brock

Bryan Dyson, the former CEO of Coca-Cola explained that he feels we juggle 5 different balls: a health ball, a family ball, a friends ball, a work ball and a spirituality ball...Four of the five are made out of crystal. If we drop them, they're going to shatter. Only one ball is made out of rubber and bounces back: the work ball....Carol Gallagher, Ph.D.



Call it a clan, call it a network, call it a tribe, call it a family. Whatever you call it, whoever you are, you need one...Jane Howard, writer

Carefully watch your thoughts, for they become your words. Manage and watch your words, for they will become your actions. Consider and judge your actions, for they have become your habits. Acknowledge and watch your habits, for they shall become your values. Understand and embrace your values, for they become your destiny... Mahatma Gandhi

Carpe diem, quam minimum credula postero. [Seize the day, put no trust in tomorrow]....Horace Odes

Chains of habit are too light to be felt until they are too heavy to be broken....Warren Buffet

Change and growth take place when a person has risked himself and dares to become involved with experimenting with his own life...Herbert Otto

Change occurs when one becomes what she is, not when she tries to become what she's not...Ruth P. Freedmen

Character isn't inherited...Helen Gahagan Douglas

Choose a job you love, and you will never have to work a day in your life....Confucius

Clothes make the man. Naked people have little or no influence on society...Mark Twain

Coming together is a beginning, staying together is progress, and working together is success...Henry Ford

Common sense and a sense of humor are the same thing, moving at different speeds. A sense of humor is just common sense, dancing...William James

Communicate, communicate, communicate!...Mike Armstrong

Communication is to leadership as the swing is to golf; everyone can do it, but few do it well...Don A. Sanders

Concentrate your powers. Identify what you are particularly good at doing and do more of it...Brian Tracy

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Concentrate: put all your eggs in one basket, and watch that basket....Andrew Carnegie

Conditions are never just right. People who delay action until all factors are favorable do nothing...William Feather

Confidence and certainty will get you further than anything else will...Brian Koslow

Confident people are willing to take risks; people who take risks develop self-confidence...Brian Tracy

Connection with those things that fuel your passions, that feed your soul, keep you alive...Sarah Ban Breathnach

Consciously or unconsciously, every one of us does render some service or other. If we cultivate the habit of doing this service deliberately, our desire for service will steadily grow stronger and we will make not only our own happiness, but that of the world at large...Mahatma Gandhi

Contradiction is not a sign of falsity, nor the lack of contradiction a sign of truth....Blaise Pascal

Courage is going from failure to failure without losing enthusiasm...Winston Churchill

Courage is not limited to the battlefield or the Indianapolis 500 or bravely catching a thief in your house. The real tests of courage are much quieter. They are the inner tests, like remaining faithful when nobody's looking, like enduring pain when the room is empty, like standing alone when you're misunderstood...Charles Swindoll

Courage is resistance to fear, mastery of fear; not absence of fear...Mark Twain

Courage is the ladder on which all other virtues mount....Clare Booth Luce

Courage is the most important of all virtues, because without it we can't practice any other virtue with consistency...Maya Angelou

Creativity is inventing, experimenting, growing, taking risks, breaking rules, making mistakes, and having fun...Mary Lou Cook

Dare to be naive...R. Buckminster-Fuller

Death ends a life, not a relationship...Jack Lemmon

Death is one of two things. Either it is annihilation, and the dead have no consciousness of anything; or, as we are told, it is really a change: a migration of the soul from one place to another...Socrates

Declarations are powerful. If you declare that you are going to be an optimistic, upbeat person at all times, an interesting phenomenon takes place. When people expect you to be positive, you don't want to let them down. You live your intentions every day-every minute....Neil Eskelin

Defensive strategy never has produced ultimate victory...Douglas McArthur

Deliberate with caution, but act with decision...Charles Caleb Colton

Did you ever stop to think, and forget to start again?...A. L. Milne from Winnie the Pooh

Do it now. You become successful the moment you start moving toward a worthwhile goal...Unknown

Do not dare to live without some clear intention toward which your living shall be bent. Mean to be something with all your might...Phillips Brooks

Do not follow where the path may lead. Go, instead, where there is no path and leave a trail...Ralph Waldo Emerson

Do not look where you fell, but examine where you slipped...Proverb

Do not wait for ideal circumstances, nor the best opportunities; they will never come...Janet E. Stuart

Do not wait; the time will never be 'just right'. Start where you stand, and work with whatever tools you may have at your command, and better tools will be found as you go along...Napoleon Hill

Do you know what astonished me most in the world? The inability of force to create anything. In the long run, the sword is always beaten by the spirit...Napoleon Bonaparte (stated near the end of his life)

Do yourself a favor and master the art of money. Treat it as an honored guest in your life, one who will quickly flee if you do not treat her well, but one who will stay and enrich your life beyond measure if you treat her with care and respect...Philip E. Humbert

Doing things the hard way is wasted effort. The best way to tackle any job is to find the smartest, most efficient method...Unknown

Don't take anyone else's definition of success as your own... Jacqueline Briskin

Don't ask yourself what the world needs. Ask yourself what makes you come alive. Then go and do that. Because what the world needs is people who have come ALIVE!...Harold Thurman Whitman

Don't be afraid to take a big step if one is indicated. You can't cross a chasm in two small jumps...David Lloyd George

Don't be fooled by the calendar. There are only as many days in the year as you make use of...Charles Richards

Don't bring your need to the marketplace, bring your skill. If you don't feel well, tell your doctor, but not the marketplace. If you need money, go to the bank, but not the marketplace....Jim Rohn

Don't go around saying the world owes you a living. The world owes you nothing. It was here first...Mark Twain

Don't leave before the miracle happens!...Anon.

Don't say you don't have enough time. You have exactly the same number of hours per day that were given to Helen Keller, Pasteur, Michelangelo, Mother Teresa, Leonardo da Vinci, Thomas Jefferson, and Albert Einstein....H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Don't speak unless you can improve on the silence. ..Spanish proverb

Don't think you are, know you are!...Morpheus, in the film Matrix

Don't worry about the world coming to an end today. It's already tomorrow in Australia...Charles Schultz [creator of the ""Peanuts"" comic strip]

Doubt whom you will, but never yourself...Christian Bovee

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Doubts and mistrust are the mere panic of timid imagination, which the steadfast heart will conquer, and the large mind transcend....Helen Keller

Dr. Miller says we are pessimistic because life seems like a very bad, very screwed-up film. If you ask 'What the hell is wrong with the projector?' and go up to the control room, you find it's empty. You are the projectionist, and you should have been up there all the time...Colin Wilson

Dream as if you'll live forever. Live as if you'll die today...James Dean

Each day, and the living of it, has to be a conscious creation in which discipline and order are relieved with some play and pure foolishness...May Sarton

Each of us does, in effect, strike a series of 'deals' or compromises, between the wants and longings of the inner self, and an outer environment that offers certain possibilities and sets certain limitations...Maggie Scarf

Each person's only hope for improving his lot rests on his recognizing the true nature of his basic personality, surrendering to it, and becoming who he is...Sheldon Kopp"  
"Eat right, exercise regularly, die anyway...Anon.

Education is learning what you didn't know you didn't know...George Boas

Education is the ability to listen to almost anything without losing your temper or your self-confidence...Robert Frost

Either do not attempt at all, or go through with it....Ovid

Enthusiasm is that kindling spark which marks the difference between the leaders in every activity and the laggards who put in just enough to get by....Anon.

Envy is an insult to oneself...Yevgeny Yevtushenko

Even victors are by victory undone...John Dryden

Every act of conscious learning requires the willingness to suffer injury to our self-esteem. That is why young children, before they are aware of their self-importance, learn so easily; and why older people, especially if vain or arrogant, cannot learn at all...Thomas Szasz

Every child is an artist. The problem is how to remain an artist once we grow up...Pablo

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Picasso

Every custom was once an eccentricity....Holbrook Jackson 1874-1948

Every evening, write down the six most important things that you must do the next day. Then while you sleep your subconscious will work on the best ways for you to accomplish them. Your next day will go much more smoothly....Tom Hopkins

Every human is an artist. The dream of your life is to make beautiful art...Don Miguel Ruiz

Every man, through fear, mugs his aspirations a dozen times a day...Brendan Francis

Every new opinion, at its starting, is precisely in a minority of one....Thomas Carlyle

Every now and then go away, have a little relaxation, for when you come back to your work your judgment will be surer; since to remain constantly at work will cause you to lose your power of judgment. Go some distance away because the work appears smaller and more of it can be taken in at a glance, and a lack of harmony or proportion is more readily seen....Leonardo Da Vinci

Every now and then, somewhere, some place, sometime, you are going to have to plant your feet, stand firm, and make a point about who you are and what you believe in. When that time comes, Pat, you simply have to do it...Lee Riley (father of Pat Riley, NBA coach)

Every really new idea looks crazy at first...Alfred North Whitehead

Every time and every place is uniquely different. There is no need to compare it with any other time and place. Just carefully taste the present - that is enough!...Zen

Every time I've done something that doesn't feel right, it's ended up not being right....Mario Cuomo

Everybody is ignorant, only on different subjects..Woodrow Wilson

Everyone has talent. What is rare is the courage to follow that talent to the dark place where it leads...Erica Jong

Everything is connected, nothing changes by itself...Paul Hawken

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Everything you do and say shows the world who you really are. Let it be the truth....Oprah

Everything you want is just outside your comfort zone...Robert Allen

Everytime you say, "I must do something" it takes an incredible amount of energy. Far more than physically doing it...Gita Bellin

Everywhere is walking distance if you have the time... Steven Wright

Excellence is not an act but a habit....Aristotle

Excellent service is not what you believe it to be, it's what your customer perceives it to be. And tells others...Jeffrey Gitomer

Expect a miracle every day. Stand for it!!...Unknown

Experience is a hard teacher because she gives the test first, the lesson afterward...Chinese Proverb

Experience is not what happens to you; it is what you do with what happens to you....Aldous Huxley

Experience is something you don't get until just after you need it...Unknown

Experience is that marvelous thing that enables you to recognize a mistake when you make it again...F. P. Jones

Experience teaches us in a millennium what passion teaches us in an hour...Ralph Iron

Extraordinary claims require extraordinary evidence...Carl Sagan

Extraordinary skepticism requires extraordinary accuracy...Gary E. Schwartz

Failure is a prerequisite for great success. If you want to succeed faster, double your rate of failure...Brian Tracy

Failure is when you do not dare to act; not when you do...Unknown

Failures are but mileposts on the road to success...Italian Proverb

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Fall seven times, stand up eight...Japanese Proverb

Far better is it to dare mighty things, to win glorious triumphs - even though checkered by failure - than to rank with those poor spirits who neither enjoy much nor suffer much, because they live in a gray twilight that knows not victory nor defeat...Theodore Roosevelt

Fear is the father of courage and the mother of safety...Henry H. Tweedy

Fear not that thy life shall come to an end, but rather that it shall ever have a beginning...Cardinal Newman

Few enterprises of great labor or hazard would be undertaken if we had not the power of magnifying the advantages we expect from them...Samuel Johnson

Few people are capable of expressing with equanimity opinions which differ from the prejudices of their social environment. Most people are even incapable of forming such opinions....Albert Einstein

Finality is death. Perfection is finality. Nothing is perfect. There are lumps in it...James Stephens

For every action, there is an equal and opposite criticism...Unknown

For everything you have missed you have gained something else...Ralph Waldo Emerson

For the ordinary man is passive. Within a narrow circle (home life, and perhaps the trade unions or local politics) he feels himself master of his fate, but against major events he is as helpless as against the elements. So far from endeavoring to influence the future, he simply lies down and lets things happen to him...Clark Moustakas

For to be free is not merely to cast off one's chains, but to live in a way that respects and enhances the freedom of others...Nelson Mandela

Friends are relatives you make for yourself...Eustace Deschamps

Genius is the ability to reduce the complicated to the simple...C. W. Ceram

Get what you can and keep what you have; that's the way to get rich....Scottish proverb

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Getting here isn't half the fun-it's all the fun....Robert Townsend, former chairman of Avis Rent-a-Car

Give a man a fish and you feed him for a day. Teach a man to fish and you feed him for a lifetime...Proverb

Give me a lever long enough, and a prop strong enough, and I can single-handedly move the world...Archimedes

Give me six hours to chop down a tree and I will spend the first four sharpening the axe...Abraham Lincoln

Giving up doesn't always mean you are weak. Sometimes it means that you are strong enough to let go...Anon.

Go and wake up your luck...Persian Saying

Goals help you keep in perspective what's really important so you don't spend all of your time doing what seems urgent...Nido Qubein

God, grant me serenity to accept the things I cannot change, courage to change the things I can, and wisdom to know the difference...Reinhold Niebuhr

Great ideas need landing gear as well as wings....C.D. Jackson

Great things are done by a series of small things brought together..Vincent van Gogh

Great works are performed not by strength, but by perseverance...Dr. Samuel Johnson

Half the failures in life arise from pulling in one's horse as he is leaping...Julius and Augustus Hare

Happiness comes of the capacity to feel deeply, to enjoy simply, to think freely, to risk life, to be needed...Storm Jameson

Happy is the man who early learns the wide chasm that lies between his wishes and his powers...Goethe

Happy, vibrant, successful people think and behave in certain ways. So do miserable and unfulfilled people. In other words, there are patterns of success and patterns of failure. The good news is, success leaves clues... Tony Robbins

Harboring dark secrets. Lying. Pretending. Trying to be someone you're not. All these things are weights that prevent you from reaching your greatest potential... Oprah

Have no fear of perfection-you'll never reach it... Salvador Dali

Having once decided to achieve a certain task, achieve it at all costs of tedium and distaste. The gain in self confidence of having accomplished a tiresome labor is immense... Thomas A. Bennett

He is always right who suspects that he makes mistakes... Spanish proverb

He that is discontented in one place will seldom be happy in another... Aesop

He that will not apply new remedies must expect new evils... Francis Bacon

He was a 'how' thinker, not an 'if' thinker.... Anon.

He who asks is a fool for five minutes, but he who does not remains a fool for life... Chinese proverb

He who cannot change the very fabric of his thought will never be able to change reality... Anwar Sadat

He who desires but acts not breeds pestilence... William Blake

He who fears he will suffer, already suffers from his fear... Michel de Montaigne

He who forecasts all perils will never sail the sea.... Anon.

He who has nothing to die for has nothing to live for... Moroccan Proverb

Health is the first muse, and sleep is the condition to produce it... Ralph Waldo Emerson

Hell, there are no rules here - we're trying to accomplish something... Thomas A. Edison

Help your brother's boat across, and your own will reach the shore.. Hindu proverb"

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Here are the final steps to incorporate WOW! into your performance. Notice that all are intangible. • Focus on your customer • Put your passion in your actions • Don't ever let them see you sweat • Let them feel your belief in yourself, your product and your company • Never quit • Have your dreams ever present in your mind...Jeffrey Gitomer

Here is the test to find whether your mission on earth is finished. If you're alive, it isn't...Richard Bach

Here is transformational potential which sits in the fifth position, in the center of the Wheel of Life. That transformational energy is what we want to experience every single day...Joseph Rael

Hope is like a road in the country; there never was a road, but when many people walk on it, the road comes into existence...Lin Yutang

How many cares one loses when one decides not to do something but to be someone...Coco Chanel

How much pain they have cost us, the evils which have never happened...Thomas Jefferson

How soon will you realize that the ONLY thing you DON'T have is the DIRECT EXPERIENCE that there's NOTHING you NEED that you don't HAVE?...Ken Keyes, Jr (Handbook to Higher Consciousness)

How we spend our days is, of course, how we spend our lives...Annie Dillard

Human beings have an inalienable right to invent themselves....Germaine Greer, Australian writer

Human beings, who are almost unique in having the ability to learn from the experience of others, are also remarkable for their apparent disinclination to do so...Douglas Adams

I am always doing things I can't do, that's how I get to do them...Pablo Picasso

I am an old man and have known many troubles, but most of them never happened...Mark Twain

I am personally convinced that one person can be a change catalyst, a 'transformer' in any situation, any organization. Such an individual is yeast that can leaven an entire loaf. It requires vision, initiative, patience, respect, persistence, courage and faith to be a transforming leader...Steven R. Covey

I believe that when something is destroyed, generally it comes back better than it was before...Bee Bee King (musician - referring to Hurricane Katrina, New Orleans Sept.2005)

I believe there is no source of deception in the investigation of nature which can compare with a fixed belief that certain kinds of phenomena are impossible...William James

I believe there's an inner power that makes winners or losers. And the winners are the ones who really listen to the truth of their hearts....Sylvester Stallone

I can remember walking as a child. It was not customary to say you were fatigued. It was customary to complete the goal of the expedition....Katharine Hepburn

I cannot discover that anyone knows enough to say definitely what is and what is not possible....Henry Ford

I can't understand why people are frightened by new ideas. I'm frightened of old ones...John Cage

I do not want to die...until I have faithfully made the most of my talent and cultivated the seed that was placed in me until the last small twig has grown....Kathe Kollwitz, German sculptor

I don't need a friend who changes when I change and who nods when I nod; my shadow does that much better...Plutarch

I don't wait for moods. You accomplish nothing if you do that. Your mind must know it has to get down to work...Pearl Buck

I feel there are two people inside me - me and my intuition. If I go against her, she'll screw me every time, and if I follow her, we get along quite nicely...Kim Basinger

I find that a great part of the information I have was acquired by looking up something and finding something else on the way...Franklin P. Adams

I had a monumental idea this morning, but I didn't like it...Samuel Goldwyn

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I have accepted fear as a part of life - specifically the fear of change. I have gone ahead despite the pounding in the heart that says: tum back...Erica Jong

I have come to realize that all my trouble with living has come from fear and smallness within me...Angela L. Wozniak

I have made this [letter] longer, because I have not had the time to make it shorter...Blaise Pascal

I have met brave women who are exploring the outer edge of human possibility, with no history to guide them, and with a courage to make themselves vulnerable that I find moving beyond words...Gloria Steinem

I hear and forget. I see and remember. I do and I understand...Confucius

I keep the telephone of my mind open to peace, harmony, health, love and abundance. Then, whenever doubt, anxiety or fear try to call me, they keep getting a busy signal - and soon they'll forget my number...Edith Armstrong

I learn by going where I have to go. ...Theodore Roethke

I like a man with faults, especially when he knows it. To err is human-I'm uncomfortable around gods...Hugh Prather

I love deadlines. I love the whooshing sound they make as they fly by...Douglas Adams

I make the most of all that comes and the least of all that goes...Sara Teasdale

I never could have done what I have done without the habits of punctuality, order, and diligence, without the determination to concentrate myself on one subject at a time...Charles Dickens (1812-1870 writer)

I never lose sight of the fact that just being is fun....Katherine Hepburn

I plan on living forever. So far, so good...Unknown

I refuse to spend my life worrying about what I eat. There is no pleasure worth forgoing just for an extra three years in the geriatric ward...John Mortimer

I shall not commit the fashionable stupidity of regarding everything I cannot explain as a

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fraud...Carl Jung

I think it pisses God off if you walk by the color purple in a field somewhere and don't notice it...Alice Walker

I think of a hero as someone who understands the degree of responsibility that comes with his freedom...Bob Dylan

I think the reward for conformity is that everyone likes you except yourself...Rita Mae Brown

I think we should follow a simple rule: if we can take the worst, take the risk...Dr. Joyce Brothers

I tore myself away from the safe comfort of certainties through my love for the truth, and truth rewarded me...Simone de Beauvoir, author and feminist

I use not only all the brains I have but all that I can borrow...Woodrow Wilson

I used to believe that marriage would diminish me, reduce my options. That you had to be someone less to live with someone else when, of course, you have to be someone more....Candice Bergen

I want freedom for the full expression of my personality...Mohandas K. Gandhi

I want to work for a company that contributes to and is part of the community. I want something not just to invest in. I want something to believe in...Anita Roddick

I want to work with the top people, because only they have the courage and the confidence and the risk-seeking profile that you need...Laurel Cutler

I wanted a perfect ending. Now I've learned, the hard way, that some poems don't rhyme, and some stories don't have a clear beginning, middle, and end. Life is about not knowing, having to change, taking the moment and making the best of it, without knowing what's going to happen next...Gilda Radner

I was gratified to be able to answer promptly. I said, I don't know...Mark Twain

I will persist until I succeed. Always will I take another step. If that is of no avail I will take another, and yet another. In truth, one step at a time is not too difficult... I know that small attempts, repeated, will complete any undertaking...Og Mandino

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Ideals are like stars; you will not succeed in touching them with your hands, but like the seafaring man on the desert of waters, you choose them as your guides, and following them, you reach your destiny...Carl Schurz

If a man would move the world, he must first move himself...Socrates

If an elderly but distinguished scientist says that something is possible he is almost certainly right, but if he says that it is impossible he is very probably wrong...Arthur C. Clark

If ever you've done anything successfully, you can do it again...Anthony Robbins

If everything seems under control, you're just not going fast enough...Mario Andretti

If I accept you as you are, I will make you worse; however, if I treat you as though you are what you are capable of becoming, I help you become that...Johann Goethe

If in the last few years you haven't discarded a major opinion or acquired a new one, check your pulse. You may be dead...Gelett Burgess

If it is real, it will be revealed. If it is fake, we'll find the mistake...Motto of the Human Energy Systems Laboratory

If life doesn't offer a game worth playing, then invent a new one...Anthony J. D'Angelo

If one asks for success and prepares for failure, he will get the situation he has prepared for...Florence S. Shinn

If one is master of one thing and understands one thing well, one has at the same time, insight into and understanding of many things...Vincent Van Gogh

If opportunity doesn't knock build a door...Milton Berle

If scientific reasoning were limited to the logical processes of arithmetic, we should not get very far in our understanding of the physical world. One might as well attempt to grasp the game of poker entirely by the use of the mathematics of probability...Vannevar Bush

If someone does not smile at you, be generous and offer your own smile. Nobody needs a smile more than the one that cannot smile to others...Dalai Lama

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If the dogs are barking at your heels, you know you're leading the pack...Anon.

If the person you are talking to doesn't appear to be listening, be patient. It may simply be that he has a small piece of fluff in his ear...Pooh's Little Instruction Book, inspired by A. A. Milne

If the wind will not serve, take to the oars...Latin proverb

If there is to be a judgment, we will be judged not by our piety, nor by our observance to ritual. Rather the creator will ask us two questions in order to evaluate our lives: 'What did you do with the talents I gave you?' 'How did you treat the people I sent you to love?'...Rabbi Shlomo Carlbach

If we are ever in doubt about what to do, it is a good rule to ask ourselves what we shall wish on the morrow that we had done...John Lubbock

If we are facing in the right direction, all we have to do is keep on walking...Buddhist Proverb

If we would have new knowledge, we must get a whole world of new questions...Suzanne Langer

If we would only give, just once, the same amount of reflection to what we want to get out of life that we give to the question of what to do with a two week's vacation, we would be startled at our false standards and the aimless procession of our busy days...Dorothy Canfield Fisher

If you aim at nothing, you'll hit it every time...Anon.

If you are building a house and a nail breaks, do you stop building, or do you change the nail?...Rwandan Proverb

If you are clear about what you want, the world responds with clarity...Loretta Staples

If you are distressed by anything external, the pain is not due to the thing itself but to your own estimate of it; and this you have the power to revoke at any moment...Marcus Aurelius

If you are seeking revenge, start by digging two graves...Ancient Chinese proverb

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If you are serious about your goals, drop the conditions. Go directly to your goal. Be your goal! Conditions often disguise strategies for escaping accountability. Why not just take charge and create the experience you are looking for?...Eric Allenbaugh

If you aren't going all the way, why go at all....Joe Namath

If you believe in what you are doing, then let nothing hold you up in your work. Much of the best work of the world has been done against seeming impossibilities. The thing is to get the work done...Dale Carnegie

If you can't be thankful for what you receive, be thankful for what you escape...Anon.

If you change the way you look at things, the things you look at change...Dr. Wayne Dyer (on The Power of Intention)

If you deny yourself commitment, what can you do with your life?...Harvey Fierstein

If you do not know where you are going, every road will get you nowhere....Henry Kissinger

If you do not tell the truth about yourself you cannot tell it about other people...Virginia Woolf

If you don't design your own life plan, chances are you'll fall into someone else's plan. And guess what they have planned for you. Not much...Jim Rohn

If you don't stand for something, you'll fall for anything...Michael Evans

If you don't have time to do it right you must have time to do it over...Anon.

If you find it in your heart to care for somebody else, you will have succeeded...Maya Angelou

If you get the right people on the bus, the problem of how to motivate and manage people largely goes away...Jim Collins, author of "Good to Great"

If you have built castles in the air, your work need not be lost; that is where they should be. Now put the foundations under them...Henry David Thoreau

If you have integrity, nothing else matters. If you don't have integrity, nothing else matters....Alan Simpson

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If you have knowledge, let others light their candles in it...Margaret Fuller

If you keep doing things like you've always done them, what you'll get is what you've already got...Anon.

If you knew what I know about the power of giving, you would not let a single meal pass without sharing it in some way...Buddha

If you know you're going to look back on today and laugh, you might as well start laughing now...Anon

If you limit your choices only to what seems possible or reasonable, you disconnect yourself from what you truly want, and all that is left is a compromise...Robert Fritz

If you must choose between two evils, pick the one you've never tried before...Unknown

If you never change your mind, why have one?...Edward De Bono

If you nurture your mind, body, and spirit, your time will expand. You will gain a new perspective that will allow you to accomplish much more...Brian Koslow

If you reveal your secrets to the wind, you should not blame the wind for revealing them to the trees...Kahlil Gibran

If you spend more time asking appropriate questions rather than giving answers or opinions, your listening skills will increase...Brian Koslow

If you wait for inspiration you'll be standing on the corner after the parade is a mile down the street...Ben Nicholas

If you wait to do everything until you're sure it's right, you'll probably never do much of anything...Win Borden

If you wait, all that happens is that you get older...Larry McMurtry

If you want to build a ship don't drum up people together to collect wood and don't assign them tasks and work, but rather teach them to long for the endless immensity of the sea...Antoine de Saint-Exupery (pilot & poet)

If you want to catch beasts you don't see everyday. You have to go places quite out-of-the-way. You have to go places no others can get to. You have to get cold, and you have to get wet, too...Dr. Seuss

If you want to increase your success rate, double your failure rate...Thomas Watson, Sr.

If you want to take the meaning of the word integrity and reduce it to its simplest terms, you'd conclude that a man of integrity is a promise keeper. When he gives you his word. You can take it to the bank. His word is good....Bill McCartney

If you want total security, go to prison. There you're fed, clothed, given medical care and so on. The only thing lacking is freedom.....Dwight D. Eisenhower

If you want your dreams to come true, don't oversleep...Yiddish proverb

If you were going to die soon and had only one phone call you could make, who would you call and what would you say? And why are you waiting?...Stephen Levine

If you will please people, you must please them in their own way...Lord Chesterfield

If you wish to upset the law that all crows are black, you mustn't seek to prove that no crows are; it is enough to prove one single crow to be white...William James

If you would be rich, you will be rich; if you would be good, you will be good; if you would be learned, you will be learned. But wish for one thing exclusively, and don't at the same time wish for a hundred other incompatible things just as strongly...William James

If you would hit the mark, you must aim a little above it; every arrow that flies feels the attraction of earth...Henry Wadsworth Longfellow

If you would spend 80% of your ad money making your existing customers feel like kings, you could get one customer to bring you another customer just like them - by Word-of-Mouth advertising. That would double your business and keep your customers loyal - what a concept...Jeffrey Gitomer

If you're going to ask somebody to run through a field of fire, you better be out in front of them, not behind them...David Komansky

If you're skating on thin ice, you may as well tap dance!!...Bryce Courtenay

If you've got something in your life that's not working, get it working or get it out of there...Unknown

Imagination is more important than knowledge. Knowledge is limited. Imagination encircles the world...Albert Einstein

Imposing limitations on yourself is cowardly because it protects you from having to try, and perhaps failing...Vladimir Zworykin

Improvement of one's economic position is helped more by cool persistence than by hot enthusiasm....William Feather

In all human affairs there are efforts and there are results, and the strength of the effort is the measure of the result...James Lane Allen

In every affair consider what precedes and what follows, and then undertake it...Epictetus

In matters of conscience, the law of the majority has no place...Mohandas Ghandi

In producers, loafing is productive; and no creator, of whatever magnitude, has ever been able to skip that stage, any more than a mother can skip gestation...Jacques Barzun"

In putting off what one has to do, one runs the risk of never being able to do it... Charles Baudeliare

In the beginner's mind there are many possibilities; in the expert's mind there are few...Shunryu Suzuli

In the confrontation between the stream and the rock, the stream always wins - not through strength but by perseverance...H. Jackson Brown-Author of "Life's Little Instruction Book"

In the midst of great joy, do not promise anyone anything. In the midst of great anger, do not answer anyone's letter...Chinese proverb

In times like these, it helps to recall that there have always been times like these...Paul Harvey

In true courage, there is always an element of choice, of an ethical choice, and of anguish, and also of action and deed. There is always a flame of spirit in it, a vision of

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some necessity higher than oneself...Brenda Ueland

Insanity: Continuing to do the same thing while expecting to get different results...Albert Einstein

Intuition will tell the thinking mind where to look next..Jonas Salk, 1914-1995, American Microbiologist

Is your cucumber bitter? Throw it away. Are there briars in your path? Turn aside. That is enough. Do not go on to say, `Why were things of this sort ever brought into the world'?...Marcus Aurelius

It ain't so much trouble to get rich as it is to tell when we have got rich...Josh Billings

It ain't what they call you, it's what you answer to...W.C. Fields

It does not matter how slowly you go, so long as you do not stop...Confucius

It doesn't matter which side of the fence you get off on sometimes. What matters most is getting off. You cannot make progress without making decisions...Jim Rohn

It has been said that success only shows up when determination does... but it must be powered by a non-negotiable decision...Doug Firebaugh

It has never been my object to record my dreams, just to realize them....Man Ray, artist

It is a common experience that a problem difficult at night is resolved in the morning after the committee of sleep has worked on it...John Steinbeck

It is a sheer waste of time and soul-power to imagine what I would do if things were different. They are not different...Frank Crane

It is better to fail in originality than to succeed in imitation...Herman Melville

It is by attempting to reach the top in a single leap that so much misery is produced in the world...William Cobbett 1763-1835, British Journalist and Reformer

It is impossible to walk rapidly and be unhappy...Mother Theresa

It is impossible to win the great prizes of life without running risks...Theodore Roosevelt

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It is less important to redistribute wealth than it is to redistribute opportunity...Arthur H. Vandenberg

It is not only by the questions we have answered that progress may be measured, but also by those we are still asking...Freda Adler

It is not the events but our viewpoint toward events that is the determining factor. We ought to be more concerned about removing wrong thoughts from the mind than removing tumors and abscesses from the body...Epictetus

It is not the pots we are forming, but ourselves...M.C. Richards

It is not the strongest of the species that survive, nor the most intelligent, but the one most responsive to change... Charles Darwin

It is one of the most beautiful compensations of this life that no man can sincerely try to help another without helping himself...Ralph Waldo Emerson

It is possible to be different and still be all right....Anne W. Schaefer

It is sometime expedient to forget who we are...Publius Syrus

It is the greatest shot of adrenaline to be doing what you have wanted to do so badly. You almost feel like you could fly without the plane...Charles Lindbergh

It is the mark of an educated mind to be able to entertain a thought without accepting it...Aristotle

It is wise to keep in mind that no success or failure is necessarily final...Anon.

It takes 20 years to build a reputation and five minutes to ruin it. If you think about that, you'll do things differently...Warren Buffett (Investment Entrepreneur)

It takes a lot of courage to show your dreams to someone else...Erma Bombeck

It's all right to have butterflies in your stomach. Just get them to fly in formation...Rob Gilbert

It's better to be prepared for an opportunity and not have one than to have an opportunity and not be prepared...Whitney Young

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It's never too late-in fiction or in life-to revise...Nancy Thayer

It's not enough to have a dream, Unless you're willing to pursue it. It's not enough to know what's right, Unless you're strong enough to do it. It's not enough to learn the truth, Unless you also learn to live it. It's not enough to reach for love, Unless you care enough to give it Men who are resolved to find a way for themselves will always find opportunities enough; and if they do not find them, they will make them...Samuel Smiles

It's not that 'today is the first day of the rest of my life' but that now is all there is of my life...Hugh Prather

It's not that I'm so smart, it's just that I stay with problems longer....Albert Einstein

It's not the load that breaks you down, it's the way you carry it...Lena Horne

It's not the will to win, but the will to prepare to win that makes the difference...Bear Bryant (1913-1983, Football Coach)

It's not whether you get knocked down, it's whether you get up...Vince Lombardi

It's only when we truly know and understand that we have a limited time on Earth—and that we have no way of knowing when our time is up—that we will begin to live each day to the fullest, as if it was the only one we had...Elisabeth Kubler-Ross

It's the most unhappy people who most fear change....Mignon McLaughlin

It's when we're given choice that we sit with the gods and design ourselves....Dorothy Gilman

I've missed over 9,000 shots in my career. I've lost almost 300 games. 26 times I've been trusted to take the game-winning shot...and missed. I've failed over and over and over again in my life. And that is why I succeed...Michael Jordan

I've never been poor, only broke. Being poor is a frame of mind. Being broke is a temporary situation...Mike Todd

Justifying a fault doubles it...French Proverb

Keep away from people who try to belittle your ambitions...Mark Twain

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Keep in mind that you are always saying 'no' to something. If it isn't to the apparent, urgent things in your life, it is probably to the most fundamental, highly important things. Even when the urgent is good, the good can keep you from your best, keep you from your unique contribution, if you let it...Stephen Covey

Knowledge might be power, but only when you take action...Richard Keeves

Lack of persistence is one of the major causes of failure. Moreover, experience with thousands of people has proved that lack of persistence is a weakness common to the majority of men. It is a weakness that can be overcome by effort....Napoleon Hill

Leaders make decisions with maybe 75% of the facts. If you wait for 95%, you are going to be a follower...Lawrence Weinbach, CEO of Unisys, as quoted in Leadership Strategies

Leap and the net will appear....Julie Cameron

Learn from the mistakes of others, you can never live long enough to make them all yourself...John Luther

Life is a bunch of accidents that happen to you and somehow you survive them by taking advantage of them and then something magical happens and *viola* - you have the beginning of your dream. But the accidents are the result of an intention - an intention created from a dream you are passionate about. So passionate, so strong is your passion that the energy of it fuels your intention. And when it becomes so strong that not even the Universe can deny it, that's when the 'accidents' take place. The double-edged sword, the element that makes it all happen - that binds it all together - YOU HAVE TO BE OKAY IF IT DOESN'T HAPPEN!! It's the excitement of the possibility of the adventure of the nothingness. You must be willing to trade what you have, that may look great but FEELS wrong for this nothing that could be something. It's the excitement of having the courage to leave behind what you have for the possibility of what could be. You must be able to let go of what you have. You must not need it or let it define who you are. You must be okay without it AND you must be okay if the nothing turns into that - just nothing. You become okay with the decision simply because you made the decision! It's the act of leaving what isn't supporting you for the possibility of something better that makes you like yourself more for simply making this decision. WHAT'S MY DREAM?? How do you recognize your true dream from all the other wants and desires in your life? IF YOU ENJOY THE PROCESS - IT'S YOUR DREAM! If you are enduring the process, desperate for the result - it's SOMEBODY ELSE'S DREAM!!...Salma Hayek

Life is a great big canvas, and you should throw all the paint on it you can...Danny Kaye

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Life is a leap into the unknown. If you want a guarantee, buy a toaster..Bill Harris

Life is either a daring adventure or nothing. To keep our faces toward change and behave like free spirits in the presence of fate is strength undefeatable...Helen Keller

Life is full of obstacle illusions....Grant Frazier

Life is hard. Next to what?...Anon.

Life is no brief candle to me. It is a sort of splendid torch which I have got a hold of for the moment, and I want to make it burn as brightly as possible before handing it on to future generations...George Bernard Shaw

Life is not a journey to the grave with the intention of arriving safely in a pretty, slim and well preserved body, but rather to skid in broadside, thoroughly used up, totally worn out, and loudly proclaiming, ""Wow! What a Ride!"" ...Unknown

Life is not easy for any of us. But, what of that? We must have perseverance and above all confidence in ourselves. We must believe that we are gifted for something and that this thing must be attained...Marie Curie

Life is something that happens when you can't get to sleep...Fran Lebowitz

Life is what happens when you are making other plans...John Lennon

Life isn't about finding yourself. Life is about creating yourself...George Bernard Shaw

Life makes you walk that delicate balance between Making It Happen and Letting It Happen....Rick Beneteau

Life must be understood backwards. But it must be lived forward...Soren Kierkegaard  
Life really does take some planning...and doing...and persisting...trouble is...most operate only on a third of what it takes...Doug Firebaugh

Life will reward you precisely to the extent that you express yourself, in your own unique way, to the world...Ralph S. Marston, Jr.

Life's challenges wouldn't be called 'hurdles' if there wasn't a way to get over them...Anon.

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Life's like a movie; write your own ending, keep believing, keep pretending...Jim Henson  
Live in such a way that you would not be ashamed to sell your parrot to the town  
gossip...Will Rogers

Living involves tearing up one rough draft after another...Anon.

Living is a form of not being sure, not knowing what next or how. The moment you know  
how, you begin to die a little. The artist never entirely knows, we guess. We may be  
wrong, but we take leap after leap in the dark...Agnes de Mile

Look at a stone cutter hammering away at his rock, perhaps a hundred times without as  
much as a crack showing in it. Yet at the hundred and first blow it will split in two, and I  
know it was not the last blow that did it, but all that had gone before...Jacob A. Riis [1849-  
1914, Journalist and Social Reformer]

Losing an illusion makes you wiser than finding a truth...Ludwig Borne

Love takes off masks that we fear we cannot live without and know we cannot live  
within...James Baldwin

Luck is where opportunity meets preparation...Anon.-often attributed to Robert Evans

Maintaining a complicated life is a great way to avoid changing it...Elaine St. James

Making and keeping promises to ourselves precedes making and keeping promises to  
others....Stephen Covey

Making the simple complicated is commonplace; making the complicated simple,  
awesomely simple, that's creativity...Charles Mingus

Man is always more than he can know of himself; consequently, his accomplishments,  
time and again, will come as a surprise to him....Golo Mann

Man must cease attributing his problems to his environment, and learn again to exercise  
his will – his personal responsibility in the realm of faith and morals...Albert Schweitzer

Man often becomes what he believes himself to be. If I keep on saying to myself that I  
cannot do a certain thing, it is possible that I may end by really becoming incapable of  
doing it. On the contrary, if I have the belief that I can do it, I shall surely acquire the  
capacity to do it even if I may not have it at the beginning...Mahatma Gandhi

Many of life's failures are people who did not realize how close they were to success when they gave up...Thomas A. Edison

Many people mistake thinking for reorganizing the thoughts they already have...William James

Memory is a complicated thing, a relative to truth, but not its twin....Barbara Kingsolver  
Men fear death, as if unquestionably the greatest evil, and yet no man knows that it may not be the greatest good...William Mitford

Men for the sake of getting a living forget to live...Margaret Fuller

Men who never get carried away should be...Malcolm Forbes

Millions long for immortality who don't know what to do with themselves on a rainy Sunday afternoon...Susan Ertz

Minds are like parachutes. They only function when they are open...Sir James Dewar

Mistakes are painful when they happen, but years later a collection of mistakes is what is called experience...Denis Waitley

Mistakes fail in their mission of helping the person who blames them on the other fellow....Henry Haskins

Money doesn't make money. People make money. And it's other people who will make your money...Roger Hamilton

Most men pursue pleasure with such breathless haste that they hurry past it...Soren Kierkegaard

Most people's lives are a direct reflection of their peer groups...Anthony Robbins

Motivation alone is not enough. If you have an idiot and you motivate him, now you have a motivated idiot..Jim Rohn

My life has no room in it for pride. Take a shot, what's the worst that could happen... you'll be rejected. Big deal...Joan Rivers

My motto - sans limités...Isadora Duncan

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My motto was to keep swinging. Whether I was in a slump or feeling badly or having trouble off the field, the only thing to do was to keep swinging...Hank Aaron

My opinion is a view I hold until, well-until I find something that changes it...Luigi Pirandello

My philosophy is that not only are you responsible for your life, but doing the best at this moment puts you in the best place for the next moment...Oprah Winfrey

My philosophy of life is that if we make up our mind what we are going to make of our lives, then work hard toward that goal, we never lose - somehow we win out...Ronald Reagan (1911-2004, Fortieth President of the United States)

Nature does not hurry, yet everything is accomplished....Lao Tzu

Nerves provide me with energy. It's when I don't have them, when I feel at ease, that I get worried...Mike Nichols

Never confuse movement with action...Ernest Hemingway

Never explain - your friends do not need it and your enemies will not believe you anyway...Elbert Hubbard

Never go to a doctor whose office plants have died...Erma Bombeck

Never let the urgent crowd out the important...Kelly Catlin Walker

Never ruin an apology with an excuse...Kimberly Johnson

No matter how big and tough a problem may be, get rid of confusion by taking one little step towards solution. Do something. Then try again. At the worst, so long as you don't do it the same way twice, you will eventually use up all the wrong ways of doing it and thus the next try will be the right one...George F. Nordenhold

No matter how big or soft or warm your bed is, you still have to get out of it...Grace Slick

No one can make you feel inferior without your permission...Eleanor Roosevelt

No one ever gets far unless he accomplishes the impossible at least once a day...Elbert Hubbard

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No one gets to mess with my thoughts without my permission!!...Anon.

No one grows old by living, only by losing interest in living...Marie Beynon Ray

No two people have the same reality....Gary Zukav

Nobody wins unless everybody wins...Bruce Springsteen

Not everything that can be counted, counts. And not everything that counts can be counted....Albert Einstein

Nothing can add more power to your life than concentrating all of your energies on a limited set of targets...Nido Qubein

Nothing in the world can take the place of perseverance. Talent will not; nothing is more common than unsuccessful men with talent. Genius will not; unrewarded genius is almost a proverb. Education will not; the world is full of educated derelicts. Persistence and determination alone are omnipotent. The slogan "Press on" has solved, and always will solve, the problems of the human race...Calvin Coolidge

Nothing is more certain than uncertainties: Fortune is full of fresh variety; Constant in nothing but inconstancy....Richard Barnfield

Nothing is more dangerous than an idea when it's the only one you've got...Alain (Emile August Chartier)

Nothing is more terrible than activity without insight...Thomas Carlyle

Nothing is particularly hard if you divide it into small jobs...Henry Ford

Nothing is too wonderful to be true if it be consistent with the laws of nature...Michael Faraday

Nothing shocks me. I'm a scientist...Indiana Jones

Nothing splendid has ever been achieved except by those who dared believe that something inside them was superior to circumstance...Bruce Barton

Nothing will work unless you do...John Wooden

Obstacles are those frightful things you see when you take your eyes off your goal...Henry Ford

Old Man Procrastination stands within the shadow of every human being, waiting his opportunity to spoil one's chances of success...Napoleon Hill

Once in a while you have to take a break and visit yourself...Audrey Giorgi

Once the 'what' is decided, the 'how' always follows. We must not make the 'how' an excuse for not facing and accepting the 'what'...Pearl Buck

Once we begin to see, we are doomed and challenged to seek the strength to see more, not less....Arthur Miller, playwright

Once we make our decision, all things will come to us. Auspicious signs are not a superstition, but a confirmation. They are a response...Deng Ming-Dao

Once, power was considered a masculine attribute. In fact, power has no sex...Katharine Graham

One cannot change the past, only the hold it has on you...Unknown

One cannot manage too many affairs: like pumpkins in the water, one pops up while you try to hold down the other...Chinese proverb

One day at a time - this is enough. Do not look back and grieve over the past, for it is gone: and do not be troubled about the future, for it has not yet come. Live in the present, and make it so beautiful that it will be worth remembering...Ida Scott Taylor

One does not discover new lands without consenting to lose sight of the shore for a very long time...André Gide

One good idea followed by action can change failure into success...Napoleon Hill

One good idea is all you need to start a fortune...Brian Tracy

One may miss the mark by aiming too high as too low...Thomas Fuller

One must also accept that one has 'uncreative' moments. The more honestly one can accept that, the quicker these moments will pass. One must have the courage to call a

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halt, to feel empty and discouraged...Etty Hillesum

One of the greatest surprises you'll experience is when you discover that you can do what you were afraid you couldn't do. Your obstacles will melt away, if instead of cowering before them, you make up your mind to walk boldly through them...Max Steingart

One of the nice things about problems is that a good many of them do not exist except in our imaginations...Steve Allen

One of the reasons why so few of us ever act, instead of react, is because we are continually stifling our deepest impulses...Henry Miller

One realm we have never conquered: the pure present....D. H. Lawrence

One thought driven home is better than three left on base...James Liter

One's lifework grows with the working and the living. Do it as if your life depended on it, and the first thing you know, you'll have made a life of it...Theresa Helburn

One's philosophy is not best expressed in words; it is expressed in the choices one makes. In the long run, we shape our lives and we shape ourselves. The process never ends until we die. And, the choices we make are ultimately our own responsibility...Eleanor Roosevelt

Only dead fish swim with the stream..Linda Ellerbee

Only those who will risk going too far can possibly find out how far one can go...T.S. Eliot

Opportunities do not come with their values stamped upon them...Maltbie Babcock

Opportunity is like a well....if you don't lower the water bucket, then all you'll get is dirt...Doug Firebaugh

Opportunity often comes disguised in the form of misfortune, or temporary defeat....Napoleon Hill

Optimism, unaccompanied by personal effort, is merely a state of mind and not fruitful....Edward L. Curtis

Other people may be totally wrong, but they don't think so....Dale Carnegie

Other people's interruptions of your work are relatively insignificant compared with the countless times you interrupt yourself...Brendan Francis

Our company has indeed stumbled onto some of its new products. But never forget that you can only stumble if you're moving...Richard Carlton

Our deepest fear is not that we are inadequate. Our deepest fear is that we are powerful beyond measure. It is our light not our darkness that most frightens us. We ask ourselves, 'Who am I to be brilliant, gorgeous, talented and fabulous?' Actually, who are you not to be? You are a child of God. Your playing small does not serve the world. There is nothing enlightened about shrinking so that other people won't feel insecure around you. We are born to make manifest the glory of God that is within us. It is not just in some of us. It is in everyone. And as we let our light shine, we give other people permission to do the same. As we are liberated from our own fear, our presence automatically liberates others....Marianne Williamson from A Return To Love

Our journey is to discover the questions that will enchant the answers within us to come out dancing...Mary Marcdante

"Our limitations and success will be based, most often, on your own expectations for ourselves. What the mind dwells upon, the body acts upon...Denis Waitley

Our only limitations are those which we set up in our minds or permit others to establish for us...Elizabeth Arden

Our vision is more obstructed by what we think we know than by our lack of knowledge...Kristen Stendahl

Pain is inevitable. Suffering is optional...Anon

Pain is the price you pay for resisting life...Unknown

Passion.... If you don't have that, I don't see how you can be a leader...Charles Schwab

Patience is the most necessary quality for business, many a man would rather you heard his story than grant his request...Lord Chesterfield

People are always blaming their circumstances for what they are. I don't believe in circumstances. The people who get on in this world are the people who get up and look for the circumstances they want, and, if they can't find them, make them....George Bernard Shaw

People are more easily led than driven...David H. Fink

People are not remembered by how few times they fail but by how often they succeed. Every wrong step is another step forward... Thomas Edison

People begin to be become successful the minute they decide to be...Harvey Mackay  
People can have many different kinds of pleasure. The real one is that for which they will forsake the others...Marcel Proust

People living deeply have no fear of death...Anais Nin

People often say that motivation doesn't last. Well, neither does bathing that's why we recommend it daily...Zig Ziglar

People rarely succeed unless they enjoy what they are doing...Dale Carnegie

People will forget what you said, people will forget what you did, but people will never forget how you made them feel...Maya Angelou

Perfectionism has nothing to do with getting it right. It has nothing to do with high standards. Perfectionism is a refusal to let yourself move ahead....Jennifer White

Performance is your reality. Forget everything else...Harold Geneen

Pick battles big enough to matter, small enough to win....Jonathan Kozol

Plan your future because that is where you are going to spend the rest of your life!...Mark Twain (1835 - 1910) Author & humorist

Poor is the man whose pleasures depend on the permission of another...Madonna

Power is so characteristically calm, that calmness in itself has the aspect of strength...Edward G. Bulwer-Lytton

Power tires only those who do not have it...Giulio Andreotti

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Pray not for lighter burdens but for stronger backs... Theodore Roosevelt

Probably the most honest 'self-made man' ever was the one we heard say: 'I got to the top the hard way - fighting my own laziness and ignorance every step of the way'....James Thom

Promises should be taken seriously because they involve something that will touch the future...Unknown

Put yourself in a state of mind where you say to yourself, 'Here is an opportunity for me to celebrate like never before, my own power, my own ability to get myself to do whatever is necessary... Tony Robbins

Quality means doing it right when no one is looking....Henry Ford

Raise your sail one foot and you get 10 feet of wind...Chinese proverb

Real freedom lies in wildness, not in civilization...Charles Lindbergh

REALITY is made by agreement. Agreement is created when two or more similar or identical images are projected and fused. The more similar or identical images that are fused from more sources, the more solid the agreement and the more real the reality. Reality is not truth. The more solid the reality, the more untruth it contains...Alan C. Walter, from "Gods in Disguise"

Reality is merely an illusion, albeit a very persistent one...Albert Einstein

Realize that now, in this moment of time, you are creating. You are creating your next moment based on what you are feeling and thinking. That is what's real. We can let go of the unconscious belief that being anxious about the past or the future will somehow protect us and instead reprogram our cells with new ways of responding...Doc Childre

Reduce your plan to writing. The moment you complete this, you will have definitely given concrete form to the intangible desire...Napoleon Hill

Refuse to make excuses or blame others. The leader always says, 'If it's to be, it's up to me'...Brian Tracy

Remember that amateurs built the Ark. Professionals built the Titanic...Unknown

Remember that the six most expensive words in business are: 'We've always done it that

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way'...Catherine DeVrye

Remember the lyrics from ""Me and Bobby McGee: Freedom's just another word for nothing left to lose. Get rid of whatever isn't working and get ready to soar...Kristofferson

Responsibilities gravitate to the person who can shoulder them...Elbert Hubbard

Restlessness and discontent are the first necessities of progress....Thomas Edison

Retreat, hell! We're just advancing in another direction...Oliver Prince Smith

Rightness: Long ago, a brilliant psychologist proved that if you present a rat with 3 tunnels, only one of which has some cheese in it, the rat would explore all the avenues until he finds the cheese. And, after reinforcement, he will ignore all non-cheese tunnels, and go down only the one with the payoff. Then, if you take away the cheese, he will soon learn that it's gone, and will begin to explore all tunnels again, looking for the reward. Human beings, in stark contrast, will go up a tunnel looking for whatever 'cheese' the situation is, never get any, but they proceed to go up that same tunnel for a lifetime. And what's driving them is reasonableness, or rightness. That is, they get to say to themselves, quite logically: 'I saw cheese go up that tunnel. It's got to be up there. I'll find it, goddam it, if it takes me a lifetime.' So they get to spend a lifetime without cheese, but always being able to explain (to wives, friends, acquaintances—anyone who will listen) that they're up a very reasonable tunnel. And they find people to agree that the cheese really belongs up that tunnel. (Those people are called really close friends!) If you're running your life up a tunnel (or a series of them) with no 'cheese' for you; you're beginning to get what I'm driving at: that running your life being right is pointless and I don't mean that what you're doing is wrong; I simply mean it doesn't work, and that should be the main criterion...From EST: Playing The Game The New Way written by Carl Frederick in 1972

Risk! Risk anything! Care no more for the opinions of others, for those voices. Do the hardest thing on earth for you. Act for yourself. Face the truth...Katherine Mansfield

Say you were standing with one foot in the oven and one foot in an ice bucket. According to the percentage people, you should be perfectly comfortable....Bobby Bragan

Security is a false god; begin making sacrifices to it and you are lost...Paul Bowles

Security is a kind of death...Tennessee Williams



Security is mostly superstition. It does not exist in nature, nor do the children of men as a whole experience it. Avoiding danger is no safer in the long run than outright exposure. Life is either a daring adventure or nothing...Helen Keller

Seek out that particular mental attribute which makes you feel most deeply and vitally alive, along with which comes the inner voice which says, "This is the real me," and when you have found that attitude, follow it...William James

Service is the rent we pay for being. It is the very purpose of life, and not something you do in your spare time...Marion Wright Edelman

Set out from any point. They are all alike. They all lead to a point of departure...Antonio Porchia

Small deeds done are better than great deeds planned....Peter Marshall

Smooth seas do not make skillful sailors...African proverb

So when you are listening to somebody, completely, attentively, then you are listening not only to the words, but also to the feeling of what is being conveyed, to the whole of it, not part of it....Jiddu Krishnamurti

Some men storm imaginary Alps all their lives, and die in the foothills cursing difficulties which do not exist...Edgar Watson Howe

Someday is not a day of the week...Anon.

Someday this will be true for all of us: Our network will equal our "net worth".Tim Sanders

Sometimes the best helping hand you can get is a good, firm push...Joann Thomas

Spend the afternoon. You can't take it with you...Annie Dillard

Strength does not come from winning. Your struggles develop your strengths. When you go through hardships and decide not to surrender, that is strength...Arnold Schwarzenegger

Striving for excellence motivates you; striving for perfection is demoralizing...Harriet Braiker

Striving for perfection is the greatest stopper there is... It's your excuse to yourself for not doing anything. Instead, strive for excellence, doing your best...Sir Laurence Olivier

Success based on anything but internal fulfillment is bound to be empty...Martha Friedman

Success comes before work only in the dictionary...Anon.

Success is not final, failure is not fatal: It is the courage to continue that counts...Winston Churchill (1874 - 1965)

Success is a journey, not a destination...Ben Sweetland

Success is how high you bounce when you hit bottom...George S. Patto

Success isn't a result of spontaneous combustion. You must set yourself on fire...Arnold H. Glasow

Success usually comes to those who are too busy to be looking for it....Henry David Thoreau

Successful people aren't supermen and women. They fail, but fail forward. Success is not about perfection, it's about progression....Simon Reynolds, advertising wiz.

Successful people keep moving. They make mistakes, but they don't quit...Conrad Hilton

Such is the irresistible nature of truth that all it asks, and all it wants, is the liberty of appearing...Thomas Paine

Surrender. Allow yourself to lighten up and trust the process. Do as you said. No more, no less...Unknown

Tain't what a man don't know that hurts him; it's what he knows that just ain't so...Kin Hubbard

Take more care of your character than your reputation. Your character is who you are, your reputation is who others think you are...Charles Wooden

Take risks: if you win, you will be happy; if you lose, you will be wise...Anon

Take the first step in faith. You don't have to see the whole staircase, just take the first step...Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

Tension is who you think you should be. Relaxation is who you are...Chinese Proverb

That is what marriage really means: helping one another to reach the full status of being persons, responsible and autonomous beings who do not run away from life...Paul Tournier, Swiss psychiatrist and author

That's the risk you take if you change: that people you've been involved with won't like the new you. But other people who do will come along...Lisa Alther

The ability to accept responsibility is the measure of the man....Roy Smith

The ability to discipline yourself to delay gratification in the short term in order to enjoy greater rewards in the long term is the indispensable prerequisite for success...Brian Tracy

The art of life lies in constant readjustment to our surroundings...Okakura Kakuzo

The aspects of a thing that are most important to us are hidden to us because of their simplicity and familiarity...Ludwig Wittgenstein

The best people to listen to are those who have already been successful accomplishing exactly what you are seeking to accomplish...Brian Koslow

The best proof of love is trust...Joyce Brothers

The best way to succeed is to discover what you love and find a way to offer it to others...Oprah

The better organized you are in the simple things, the more spontaneous and free you can be in the more important things....Brian Tracy

The big shots are only the little shots who keep shooting...Christopher Morley

The bitterest tears shed over graves are for words left unsaid and for deeds left undone...Harriet Beecher Stowe

The bridges you cross before you come to them are over rivers that aren't there...Gene Brown

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The closer one gets to the top, the more one finds there is no 'top'...Nancy Barcus

The core personal productivity habit is neatness. Important tasks are not entrusted to messy people....Brian Tracy

The crisis of today is the joke of tomorrow...H. G. Wells

The deepest personal defeat suffered by human beings is constituted by the difference between what one was capable of becoming and what one has in fact become...Ashley Montague

The difference between a hero and a coward is one step sideways...Gene Hackman

The difference between a successful person and others is not a lack of strength, not a lack of knowledge, but rather in a lack of will...Vincent T. Lombardi

The difference between great people and everyone else is that great people create their lives actively, while everyone else is created by their lives, passively waiting to see where life takes them next. The difference between the two is the difference between living fully and just existing...Michael E. Gerber

The difference between the right word and the almost right word is the difference between lightning and a lightning bug...Mark Twain

The difference between what we do and what we are capable of doing would suffice to solve most of the world's problems....Gandhi

The discipline of writing something down is the first step toward making it happen...Lee Iacocca

The essence of being human is that one does not seek perfection...George Orwell

The fact is, that to do anything in the world worth doing, we must not stand back shivering and thinking of the cold and danger, but jump in and scramble through as well as we can....Richard Cushing

The fact that someone says something doesn't mean it's true. Doesn't mean they're lying, but it doesn't mean it's true...Carl Sagan

The fellow who does things that count, doesn't usually stop to count them....Anon.

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The fiery moments of a passionate experience are moments of wholeness and totality...Anaïs Nin

The first requisite for success is the ability to apply your physical and mental energies to one problem incessantly without growing weary...Thomas A. Edison

The first rule of holes: If you are in one, stop digging...Unknown

The fragrance will linger on the hand that gives the flowers...(Chinese proverb)

The future belongs to those who see possibilities before they become obvious...John Sculley

The general view among scientists that novel phenomena must be fitted into an explanatory framework or hypothesis for them to be taken other than as an epiphenomenon or oddity, is illogical and should be ignored...Montague Keen

The good you do today may be quickly forgotten, but the impact of what you do will never disappear...Anon.

The great composer does not set to work because he is inspired, but becomes inspired because he is working. ..Ernest Newman

The greatest danger for most of us is not that our aim is too high and we miss it, but that it is too low and we reach it...Michelangelo

The greatest discovery of my lifetime was that a person can change the circumstances of his life by changing his thoughts...William James

The greatest masterpieces were once only pigments on a palette...Henry S. Haskins  
The greatest mistake you can make in life is to be continually fearing you will make one...Elbert Hubbard

The greatest mystery is not that we have been flung at random between the profusion of matter and of the stars, but that within this prison we can draw from ourselves images powerful enough to deny our nothingness...Andre Malraux

The greatest oak was once a little nut who held its ground.....Anon.

The greatest tragedy is indifference...The Red Cross

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The head never rules the heart, but just becomes its partner in crime..Mignon McLaughlin

The heart holds answers the brain refuses to see...Rob Kall

The hero, in living her own life, in being true to herself—radiates a light by which others may see their own way...Lawrence G. Boldt

The highest courage is to dare to appear to be what one is... John L. Spalding

The human mind is seldom at stay: If you do not grow better, you will most undoubtedly grow worse...Samuel Richardson

The human mind, once stretched by a new idea, never regains its original dimensions...Oliver Wendell Holmes

The human spirit needs to accomplish, to achieve, to triumph to be happy...Ben Stein

The important thing in science is not so much to obtain new facts as to discover new ways of thinking about them...Sir William Bragg

The important thing is never to stop questioning...Albert Einstein

The impossible is often the untried...Jim Goodwin

The indispensable first step to getting the things you want out of life is this: decide what you want...Ben Stein

The 'Inside-Out' approach to personal and self; even more fundamentally, to start with the most inside part of self - with your paradigms, your character, and your motives. The inside-out approach says that private victories precede public victories, that making and keeping promises to ourselves precedes making and keeping promises to others. It says it is futile to put personality ahead of character, to try to improve relationships with others before improving ourselves...Stephen Covey

The inspiration is a receptacle for emotions that come from all over the place: from the sky, from the earth, from a scrap of paper, from a passing shape...Pablo Picasso

The main thing is to keep the main thing the main thing....Stephen Covey

The man who goes farthest is generally the one who is willing to do and dare. The sure-thing boat never gets far from shore...Dale Carnegie

The man who removes a mountain begins by carrying away small stones...Chinese proverb

The map is not the territory...Alfred Korzybski

The mark of a successful man is one that has spent an entire day on the bank of a river without feeling guilty about it...Anon.

The marvelous richness of human experience would lose something of rewarding joy if there were no limitations to overcome. The hilltop hour would not be half so wonderful if there were no dark valleys to traverse...Helen Keller

The minute you settle for less than you deserve, you get even less than you settled for...Simone De Beauvoir

The misfortunes hardest to bear are those which never happen...James Russell Lowell

The more I want to get something done, the less I call it work...Richard Bach

The more the years go by, the less I know. But if you give explanations and understand everything, then nothing can happen. What helps me go forward is that I stay receptive, I feel that anything can happen...Anouk Aimee

The most beautiful thing we can experience is the mysterious. It is the source of all true art and science...Albert Einstein

The most extraordinary thing about the oyster is this. Irritations get into his shell. He does not like them. But when he cannot get rid of them, he uses the irritation to do the loveliest thing an oyster ever has a chance to do. If there are irritations in our lives today, there is only one prescription: make a pearl. It may have to be a pearl of patience, but, anyhow, make a pearl. And it takes faith and love to do it...Henry Emerson Fosdick

The most important scientific revolutions all include, as their only common feature, the dethronement of human arrogance from one pedestal after another of previous convictions about our centrality in the cosmos...Stephen Jay Gould

The most important service rendered by the press and the magazines is that of educating people to approach printed matter with distrust...Samuel Butler

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The most important thing she'd learned over the years was that there was no way to be a perfect mother and a million ways to be a good one.... Jill Churchill, writer

The most important thing to do in solving a problem is to begin...Frank Tyger

The most precious things in speech are pauses...Ralph Richardson

The most successful people in life are those who, when confronted with a problem, question WHY they should spend their time and effort solving the problem at all..."Breakthrough Thinking" Gerald Nadler, Ph.D.

The only difference between a rut and a grave is their dimensions...Ellen Glasgow

The only exercise some people get is jumping to conclusions, running down their friends, side-stepping responsibility and pushing their luck!...Unknown

The only gift is a portion of thyself...Ralph Waldo Emerson

The only people with whom you should try to get even are those who have helped you...John E. Southard

The only real prison is fear, and the only real freedom is freedom from fear...Aung San Suu Kyi

The only real training for leadership is leadership....Anthony Jay

The only time you don't fail is the last time you try anything-and it works...William Strong

The people with whom you choose to spend your time can easily determine how far ahead you get in life...Brian Koslow

The percentage of mistakes in quick decisions is no greater than in long-drawn-out vacillations, and the effect of decisiveness itself 'make things go' and creates confidence....Anne O'Hare McCormick

The person who is waiting for something to turn up might start with their shirt sleeves...Garth Henrichs

The person who says it cannot be done should not interrupt the person doing it...Chinese

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proverb

The problem is never how to get new, innovative thoughts into our mind, but how to get the old ones out. Every mind is a building filled with archaic furniture. Clean out a corner of your mind and creativity will instantly fill it...Dee Hock

The problem is not that there are problems. The problem is expecting otherwise and thinking that having problems is a problem...Theodore Rubin

The problem with keeping secrets is that they're alive...Martha Beck

The question isn't who is going to let me; it's who is going to stop me....Ayn Rand

The reason most people never reach their goals is that they don't define them, or ever seriously consider them as believable or achievable. Winners can tell you where they are going, what they plan to do along the way, and who will be sharing the adventure with them...Denis Watley

The reluctance to put away childish things may be a requirement of genius...Rebecca P. Sinkler

The reputation of a thousand years may be determined by the conduct of one hour...Japanese Proverb

The secret of happiness is not in doing what one likes, but in liking what one has to do...James M. Barrie

The secret of patience . . . to do something else in the meantime...Anon.

The secret to creativity is knowing how to hide your sources...Albert Einstein

The self is not something that one finds. It is something one creates...Thomas Szasz

The significant problems we face cannot be solved at the same level of thinking we were at when we created them...Albert Einstein

The single most important competitive advantage will be the ability of a company to attract, hold and motivate workers...Peter Drucker

The smallest deed is better than the greatest intention...Anon.

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The society which scorns excellence in plumbing because plumbing is a humble activity and tolerates shoddiness in philosophy because it is an exalted activity will have neither good plumbing nor good philosophy. Neither its pipes nor its theories will hold water...John Gardner

The sooner you fall behind, the more time you'll have to catch up...Unknown

The story goes that Picasso was sitting at a cafe enjoying the summer morning sun, when a lady came up to him and asked him to sketch a portrait of her. "Oui Madam" he replied, reaching for his drawing book. Within a matter of minutes he had finished the rendition of his subject, and turning the page to show her, scribbled his price for the portrait on a napkin. She exploded! "You must be crazy, asking that much! It took you 3 minutes to draw my portrait!" "Yes Madam" Picasso replied in a slow drawl, "but it took me 40 years to learn how."

The strongest and most effective force in guaranteeing the long-term maintenance of power is not violence in all the forms deployed by the dominant to control the dominated, but consent in all the forms in which the dominated acquiesce in their own domination...Robert Frost

The strongest oak tree of the forest is not the one that is protected from the storm and hidden from the sun. It's the one that stands in the open where it is compelled to struggle for its existence against the winds and rains and the scorching sun...Napoleon Hill

The successful person has the habit of doing the things failures don't like to do. They don't like doing them either necessarily. But their disliking is subordinated to the strength of their purpose...E.M. Gray

The superior man makes the difficulty to be overcome his first interest; success comes only later...Confucius

The things that one most wants to do are the things that are probably most worth doing....Winifred Holtby, English writer

The traveler was active; he went strenuously in search of people, of adventure, of experience. The tourist is passive; he expects interesting things to happen to him. He goes 'sight-seeing'...Daniel J. Boorstin

The trouble with talking too fast is you may say something you haven't thought of yet...Ann Landers

The true secret of giving advice is, after you have honestly given it, to be perfectly indifferent whether it is taken or not and never persist in trying to set people right...Hannah Whitall Smith

The truth is not simply what you think it is; it is also the circumstances in which it is said, and to whom, why, and how it is said...Václav Havel, president of the Czech Republic

The two terrors that discourage originality and creative living are fear of public opinion and undue reverence for one's own consistency...Ralph Waldo Emerson

The white blackbird exists, but it is so white that it cannot be seen, and the black blackbird is only its shadow...Tennessee Williams

The whole point of getting things done is knowing what to leave undone...Lady Stella Reading

The willingness to accept responsibility for one's own life is the source from which self-respect springs...Joan Didion

The word LOSE simply stands for Lack Of Success Expectancy....Doug Firebaugh

There are many qualities that make a great leader. But having strong beliefs, being able to stick with them through popular and unpopular times is the most important characteristic of a great leader...Rudy Giuliani

There are people who, instead of listening to what is being said to them, are already listening to what they are going to say themselves...Albert Guinon (1863 - 1923)

There are some people who live in a dream world, and there are some who face reality; and then there are those who turn one into the other...Douglas Everett

There are those of us who are always about to live. We are waiting until things change, until there is more time, until we are less tired, until we get a promotion, until we settle down -- until, until, until. It always seems as if there is some major event that must occur in our lives before we begin living...George Sheehan

There are two kinds of people in this life. Those who walk into a room and say, 'Well, here I am.' And those who walk in and say, 'Ahh, there you are.' Let us each strive to be an 'Ahh, there you are' person....Leil Lowndes

There are two kinds of people, those who do the work and those who take the credit. Try to be in the first group; there is less competition there...Indira Gandhi

There are two ways of being creative. One can sing and dance. Or one can create an environment in which singers and dancers flourish...Warren Bennis

There are very few people who don't become more interesting when they stop talking...Mary Lowry

There is always a certain peace in being what one is, in being that completely...Ugo Betti

There is always an inner game being played in your mind no matter what outer game you are playing. How aware you are of this game can make the difference between success and failure in the outer game...Tim Gallwey

There is an easier, better, and quicker way to do most everything...Gustav Metzger

There is just one life for each of us: our own...Euripides

There is no meaning to life except the meaning man gives his life by the unfolding of his powers...Erich Fromm

There is no pillow so soft as a clear conscience...French Proverb

There is no point at which you can say, 'Well, I'm successful now. I might as well take a nap'...Carrie Fisher

There is no reason to ever quit unless of course you had no plans to ever succeed, that is called 'Delusional Success'...Doug Firebaugh

There is no single face in nature, because every eye that looks upon it, sees it from its own angle. So every man's spice-box seasons his own food...Zora Neale Hurston

There is nothing like returning to a place that remains unchanged to find the ways in which you yourself have altered...Nelson Mandela

There is nothing so useless as doing efficiently that which should not be done at all...Peter Drucker

There is only one success-to be able to spend your life in your own way...Christopher Morely

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There is only one thing more painful than learning from experience and that is not learning from experience...Archibald McLeish

There is only one thing people like that is good for them; a good night's sleep...Edgar Watson Howe

There is true courage in the acts of every day living...Rick Beneteau

There seemed to be endless obstacles . . . it seemed that the root cause of them all was fear...Joanna Field

These days the business world is knee deep in beautifully crafted mission statements. A finely polished declaration of a corporation's principles is nice, but it's service rather than sonorous prose that generates repeat business. So if you feel compelled to write your own mission statement, remember these points: keep it to two or three do-able standards, and work like hell to put each one of them into practice every day...Unknown

They are ill discoverers that think there is no land, when they can see nothing but sea...Francis Bacon

Things alter for the worse spontaneously, if they be not altered for the better designedly....Francis Bacon

Things don't turn up in this world until somebody turns them up...James A. Garfield

Think of your life as a canoe and your decisions and actions as your paddles. You'll get where you're going one stroke at a time with the decisions and actions you make....D. J. "Eagle Bear" Vanas

This art of resting the mind and the power of dismissing from it all care and worry is probably one of the secrets of energy in our great men...Captain J. A. Hadfield

This is a story about four people named Everybody, Somebody, Anybody, and Nobody. There was an important job to be done and Everybody was sure that Somebody would do it. Anybody could have done it, but Nobody did it. Somebody got angry about that, because it was Everybody's job. Everybody thought Anybody could do it, but Nobody realized that Everybody wouldn't do it. It ended up that Everybody blamed Somebody when Nobody did what Anyone could have...Anon.

This is the true joy in life, the being recognized by yourself as a mighty one; the being thoroughly worn out before you are thrown on the scrap heap; the being a force of nature instead of a feverish selfish little clod of ailments and grievances complaining that the world will not devote itself to making you happy. I am of the opinion that my life belongs to the whole community and as long as I live, it is my privilege, to do for it whatever I can. I want to be thoroughly used up when I die, for the harder I work the more I live. I rejoice in life for its own sake. Life is no brief candle to me. It is a sort of splendid torch, which I have got hold of for the moment, and I want to make it burn as brightly as possible before handing it on to future generations...George Bernard Shaw

Those who stand for nothing, fall for anything....Alexander Hamilton

Though no one can go back and make a brand new start, anyone can start from now and make a brand new ending...Carl Bard

Thunder is good, thunder is impressive; but it is lightning that does the work...Mark Twain

Time cools, time clarifies; no mood can be maintained quite unaltered through the course of hours...Mark Twain

Time is our most valuable asset, yet we tend to waste it, kill it, and spend it rather than invest it...Jim Rohn

Time to stop cutting bait and to start fishing...Unknown

Time you enjoy wasting, was not wasted... John Lennon

To accomplish great things, we must not only act but also dream. Not only plan but also believe...Anatole France

To avoid criticism, do nothing, say nothing, be nothing...Elbert Hubbard

To be a genuine individualist requires a great deal of strength and courage. It is never easy to chart new territory, to cross new frontiers, or to introduce subtle shadings to an established color....Toller Cranston

To be nobody but yourself in a world that's doing its best to make you somebody else, is to fight the hardest battle you are ever going to fight. Never stop fighting...E. E. Cummings



To be satisfied with what one has, that is wealth. As long as one sorely needs a certain additional amount, that man isn't rich...Mark Twain

To be sure of hitting the target, shoot first and, whatever you hit, call it the target...Patrick Toche

To be wronged is nothing unless you continue to remember it...Confucius

To change and to improve are two different things...German proverb

To dream too much of the person you would like to be is to waste the person you are...Anon.

To expect defeat is nine-tenths of defeat itself...Francis Marion Crawford

To know the road ahead, ask those coming back...Chinese Proverb

To live only for some future goal is shallow. It's the sides of the mountain that sustain life, not the top...Robert Pirsig

To love what you do and feel that it matters-how could anything be more fun?...Katherine Graham

To play it safe is not to play....Robert Altman

To the well-organized mind, death is but the next great adventure...Albus Dumbledore

Today is not the day you quit. Nor is it the day you cry. Today you know that you have all the passion and wisdom to find that quiet center of solace, serenity and strength necessary to create and sustain an authentic life...Sarah Ban Breathnach

Today's egg is better than tomorrow's hen...Turkish proverb

Today's put-off objectives reduce tomorrow's achievements...Harry F. Banks

Tomorrow is often the busiest day of the week...Anon.

Too many of us are not living our dreams because we are living our fears...Les Brown

Treat a man as he is, and he will remain as he is. Treat a man as he could be, and he will

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become what he should be....Ralph Waldo Emerson

Treat everyone you meet as though they're the most important person you'll meet that day....Roger Dawson

Trust your hunches. They're usually based on facts filed away just below the conscious level...Dr. Joyce Brothers [Psychologist and Television Personality]

Truth is what stands the test of experience...Albert Einstein

Truth, like surgery, may hurt, but it cures...Han Suyin, Chinese physician and writer

Try not to become a man of success but rather try to become a man of value...Albert Einstein

Try to realize, and truly realize, that what stands between you and a different life are matters of responsible choice...Gary Zukav

Twenty years from now you will be more disappointed by the things you didn't do than by the ones you did do. So throw off the bowlines. Sail away from the safe harbor. Catch the trade winds in your sails. Explore. Dream. Discover....Mark Twain

Two monologues do not make a dialogue...Jeff Daly

Understand that the right to choose your own path is a sacred privilege. Use it. Dwell in possibility....Oprah Winfrey

Until one is committed there is hesitancy, the chance to draw back, always ineffective. Concerning all acts of initiative there is one elementary truth, the ignorance of which kills countless ideas and endless plans. That the moment one definitely commits oneself then providence moves too. All sorts of things occur to help one that would never otherwise have occurred. A whole stream of events issue from the decision, raising in one's favour all manner of unforeseen incidents and meetings, and material assistance which no man could have dreamed would come his way. Whatever you can do, or dream you can, begin it. Boldness has genius power and magic in it. Begin it now...Goethe

Until you value yourself, you won't value your time. Until you value your time, you will not do anything with it....M. Scott Peck

Use what talents you possess; the woods would be very silent if no birds sang there

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except those that sang best...William Blake

View life as a series of movie frames, the ending and meaning may not be apparent until the very end of the movie, and yet, each of the hundreds of individual frames has meaning within the context of the whole movie. View your life from your funeral, looking back at your life experiences, what have you accomplished? What would you have wanted to accomplish but didn't? What were the happy moments? What were the sad? What would you do again, and what you wouldn't?...Victor Frankl

Vision is the art of seeing the invisible....Jonathan Swift

Vision without action is a daydream. Action without vision is a nightmare...Japanese Proverb

Vitality shows in not only the ability to persist but the ability to start over...F. Scott Fitzgerald

Walk through the valleys with optimism of the mountaintops ahead...Simon Cooper

Wall Street indexes predicted nine out of the last five recessions...Paul A. Samuelson

We aim above the mark to hit the mark....Ralph Waldo Emerson

We are all born originals-why is it so many of us die copies?...Edward Young

We are all given the choice of reacting negatively to the demands made on us or choosing to live abundantly. Attitude is all. If you do not endow your life and your work with meaning, no one will ever be able to do it for you...Sarah Ban Breathnach

We are not human beings having a spiritual experience. We are spiritual beings having a human experience...Dr. Wayne W. Dyer

We are taught you must blame your father, your sisters, your brothers, the school, the teachers-you can blame anyone but never blame yourself. It's never your fault. But it's always your fault, because if you wanted to change, you're the one who has got to change. It's as simple as that, isn't it?...Katherine Hepburn

We can easily forgive a child who is afraid of the dark; the real tragedy is when men are afraid of the light...Plato

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We cannot teach people anything; we can only help them discover it within themselves...Galileo Galilei

We don't need more money, we don't need greater success or fame, we don't need the perfect body or even the perfect mate. Right now, at this very moment, we have a mind, which is all the basic equipment we need to achieve complete happiness...Dalai Lama

We don't see things as they are; we see them as we are...Anaïs Nin

We have all a better guide in ourselves, if we would attend to it, than any other person can be...Jane Austen (Mansfield Park)

We have in our power to begin the world over again...Thomas Paine

We have not passed that subtle line between childhood and adulthood until we have stopped saying 'It got lost,' and say, 'I lost it...Sydney J. Harris

We improve ourselves by victories over ourself. There must be contests, and you must win...Edward Gibbon

We live counterfeit lives in order to resemble the idea we first had of ourselves...Andre Gide

We rate ability in men by what they finish, not by what they begin...Anon.

We should be careful to get out of an experience only the wisdom that is in it - and stop there, lest we be like the cat that sits down on a hot stove-lid. She will never sit down on a hot stove-lid again . . . and that is well . . . but also she will never sit down on a cold one anymore...Mark Twain

We succeed only as we identify in life, or in war, or in anything else, a single overriding objective, and make all other considerations bend to that one objective...Dwight Eisenhower

We waste time looking for the perfect lover, instead of creating the perfect love...Tom Robbins

We would have to settle for the elegant goal of becoming ourselves...William Styron

Wealth Creation is a game. Which means it has must have rules, and it must be fun. If you don't know the rules, you can't win the game. And if it feels like hard work, you're

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doing the wrong thing...Roger Hamilton

Wealth isn't how much money you have. It's what you're left with if you lose all your money...Roger Hamilton

Wealth lost-something lost; Honor lost-much lost; Courage lost-all lost...German proverb

What a wonderful life I've had! I only wish I'd realized it sooner...Colette

What are the critical success factors of your job? What must you be absolutely, positively excellent at doing to be successful?...Brian Tracy

What aren't you saying that needs to be expressed? Write it down, then sleep on it. If it sounds true in the morning, speak up...Unknown

What can be added to the happiness of a man who is in health, out of debt, and has a clear conscience?...Adam Smith

What difference [does] it make if the thing [you're] scared of is real or not?..Toni Morrison

What gets measured, gets done...Edward Deming

What is the most important thing that you should do right now? It's easy to figure out the answer--the most important thing is usually the item you least want to do. So jump on it. Get it out of the way. Then go on to the next thing you don't want to do and get rid of that item by completing it. You'll be amazed at how it frees your spirit not to have them hanging over you....Tom Hopkins

What is there to be afraid of? The worst thing that can happen is you fail. So what? I failed at a lot of things. My first record was horrible... John Mellencamp

What isn't tried won't work...Claude McDonald

What this power is, I cannot say. All I know is that it exists...and it becomes available only when you are in that state of mind in which you know exactly what you want...and are fully determined not to quit until you get it...Alexander Graham Bell

What we call reality is an agreement that people have arrived at to make life more livable...Louise Nevelson

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What we call the beginning is often the end. And to make an end is to make a beginning.  
The end is where we start from...T.S. Eliot

What we do today, right now, will have an accumulated effect on all our  
tomorrows...Alexandra Stoddard

What we're all striving for is authenticity, a spirit-to-spirit connection...Oprah Winfrey

What would happen if one woman told the truth about her life? The world would split  
open...Muriel Rukeyser

What would you attempt to do if you knew you could not fail?...Anonymous

What you contribute, you'll get...Unknown

What you do speaks so loud that I cannot hear what you say...Ralph Waldo Emerson

What you want in your life occasionally shows up, what you must have always  
does...Doug Firebaugh

Whatever you are by nature, keep to it; never desert your own line of talent...Sydney  
Smith

Whatever you are, be a good one...Abraham Lincoln

Whatever you fear most has no power-it is your fear that has the power...Oprah Winfrey

When a brave man takes a stand, the spines of others are stiffened...Billy Graham

When building a team, I always search first for people who love to win. If I can't find any  
of those, I look for people who hate to lose...H. Ross Perot

When I say I, I mean a thing absolutely unique, not to be confused with any other...Ugo  
Betti

When I'm inspired, I get excited because I can't wait to see what I'll come up with  
next...Dolly Parton

When in doubt, do it...Oliver Wendell Holmes

When it comes to your dreams, don't take no for an answer. Your wholehearted commitment will attract the support you need...Unknown

When marrying, ask yourself this question: Do you believe that you will be able to converse well with this person into your old age? Everything else in marriage is transitory...Friedrich Nietzsche

When negotiating, always listen to the other person's point of view and interests first. He or she may be willing to give you more than you expected...Brian Koslow

When one door closes another opens; but we often look so long and so regretfully upon the closed door that we do not see the ones which open for us...Alexander Graham Bell

When someone's character seems impossible to fathom, observe his friends...Japanese proverb

When the going gets tough, the tough get going...Joseph P. Kennedy

When we attempt to imagine death, we perceive ourselves as spectators...Sigmund Freud

When we begin to take our failures non-seriously, it means we are ceasing to be afraid of them. It is immense importance to learn to laugh at ourselves...Katherine Mansfield

When we truly care for ourselves, it becomes possible to care far more profoundly about other people. The more alert and sensitive we are to our own needs, the more loving and generous we can be towards others...Eda LeShan

When written in Chinese, the word 'crisis' is composed of two characters. One represents danger, and the other represents opportunity...John F. Kennedy

When you are born, you cry, and the world rejoices. When you die, you rejoice, and the world cries...Tibetan Buddhist saying

When you are inspired by some great purpose, some extraordinary project, all your thoughts break their bonds; your mind transcends limitations, your consciousness expands in every direction, and you find yourself in a new, great and wonderful world. Dormant forces, faculties and talents become alive and you discover yourself to be a greater person by far than you ever dreamed yourself to be...Patanjali

When you are talking to yourself, watch your language...Dennis Waitley

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When you get into a tight place and everything goes against you, till it seems as though you could not hold on a minute longer, never give up then, for that is just the place and time that the tide will turn...Harriet Beecher Stowe

When you have a great and difficult task, something perhaps almost impossible, if you only work a little at a time, every day a little, suddenly the work will finish itself...Isak Dinesen

When you have only two pennies left in the world, buy a loaf of bread with one, and a lily with the other...Chinese Proverb

When you produce results you gain credibility. When you have credibility, you will have an easier time producing results...Brian Koslow

When you reach for the stars, you may not quite get one, but you won't come up with a handful of mud, either...Leo Burnett

When you see a thing clearly in your mind, your creative 'success mechanism' within you takes over and does the job much better than you could do it by conscious effort or willpower...Maxwell Maltz

When you were born, you cried and the world rejoiced. Live your life in such a way that when you die, you will rejoice and the world will cry...Unknown

When your desires are strong enough you will appear to possess superhuman powers to achieve...Napoleon Hill

When your views on the world and your intellect are being challenged and you begin to feel uncomfortable because of a contradiction you've detected that is threatening your current model of the world or some aspect of it, pay attention. You are about to learn something...William Drury Sr.

When you're in solitary confinement and you're six feet under without light, sound, or running water, there is no place to go but inside. And when you go inside, you discover that everything that exists in the Universe is also within you...Rubin "Hurricane" Carter

When you're in your 90's and looking back, it's not going to be how much money you made or how many awards you've won. It's really 'What did you stand for? Did you make a positive difference for people?'...Elizabeth Dole

When you've got a strategy, hang on to it. Then it's just a matter of riding that torpedo till the end of it's journey...Unknown

Whenever you find you are on the side of the majority, it is time to pause and reflect...Mark Twain

Where many people go wrong in trying to reach their goals is in constantly looking for the big hit, the home run, the magic answer that suddenly transforms their dreams into reality. The problem is that the big hit never comes without a great deal of little hits first. Success in most things comes not from some gigantic stroke of fate, but from simple, incremental progress...Andrew Wood

Wherever you see a successful business, someone once made a courageous decision...Peter Drucker

Whether you believe you can do a thing or not, you are right....Henry Ford

Why do people accept the opinions of others about themselves as truth? Who is going to live the rest of your life anyway? Now THAT is TRUTH!...Doug Firebaugh

Wisdom is knowing what path to take next. Integrity is taking it...Robyn Elpruhzlein

Wisdom is knowledge which has become a part of one's being...Orison S. Marden

With the past, I have nothing to do; nor with the future. I live now... Ralph Waldo Emerson

Without discipline, there's no life at all...Katharine Hepburn

Without freedom from the past, there is no freedom at all, because the mind is never new, fresh, innocent....Krishnamurti

Work expands so as to fill the time available for its completion...Northcote Parkinson  
Worry compounds the futility of being trapped on a dead-end street. Thinking opens new avenues...Cullen Hightower

Worry is evidence of an ill-controlled brain; it is merely a stupid waste of time in unpleasantness....Arnold Bennett

Write it on your heart that every day is the best day of the year...Ralph Waldo Emerson  
Yes, risk taking is inherently failure-prone. Otherwise, it would be called sure-thing-

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taking... Tim McMahon

You always miss 100 percent of the shots you do not take... Wayne Gretzky

You are all you will ever have for certain... June Havoc

You are more likely to be successful, overall, if you participate joyfully with projects and goals and do not think your life depends on achieving the mark because then you will be better able to connect to people all around you. On the whole, resources are likely to come to you in greater abundance when you are generous and inclusive and engage people in your passion for life. There aren't any guarantees of course. When you are oriented to abundance, you care less about being in control, and you take more risks. You may give away short term profits in pursuit of a bigger dream; you may take a long view without being able to predict the outcome. In a measurement world, you set a goal and strive for it. In the universe of possibility, you set a context and let life unfold... Rosamond Stone Zander & Benjamin Zander (2000) *The Art of Possibility*. Harvard Business School Press Boston Mass P21

You are not here merely to make a living. You are here in order to enable the world to live more amply, with greater vision, with a finer spirit of hope and achievement. You are here to enrich the world, and you impoverish yourself if you forget the errand... Woodrow T. Wilson

You can achieve magnitudes more in a few minutes through state of being and deliberate thought than by years of hard work. The wealth gap in this world is proof of this. Effortless success involves intent and detachment, not struggle and control... David Cameron

You can easily judge the character of a man by how he treats those who can do nothing for him.... James D. Miles

You can rest assured that if you devote your time and attention to the highest advantages of others, the Universe will support you, always and only in the nick of time... R. Buckminster Fuller

You can tell the character of a man when you see how he receives praise... Seneca

You can't build a reputation on what you're going to do... Henry Ford

You can't cross the sea merely by standing and staring at the water... Rabindranath Tagore

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You can't depend on your eyes when your imagination is out of focus...Mark Twain

You can't expect to win unless you know why you lose...Benjamin Lipson

You can't lead anyone else further than you have gone yourself...Gene Mauch

You can't push anyone up the ladder unless he is willing to climb himself....Andrew Carnegie

You can't wait for inspiration. You have to go after it with a club....Jack London

You don't get in life what you want. You get what you are...Les Brown

You don't have to be a fantastic hero to do certain things - to compete. You can be just an ordinary chap, sufficiently motivated to reach challenging goals...Sir Edmund Hillary – Mountaineer

You don't manage people; you manage things. You lead people...Grace Hooper

You gain strength, courage and confidence by every experience in which you really stop to look fear in the face; you must do the things you cannot do...Eleanor Roosevelt

You get what you expect to get. The only question is, 'What do you want?... Mark Victor Hansen

You have brains in your head. You have feet in your shoes. You can steer yourself in any direction you choose...Dr. Seuss (from "Oh! The Places You'll Go!")

You have enemies? Good! It means you've stood up for something at least once in your life...Anon.

You have to decide what your highest priorities are and have the courage - pleasantly, smilingly, nonapologetically - to say ""no"" to other things. And the way you do that is by having a bigger 'yes' burning inside...Stephen Covey

You have to do different to have different...Unknown

You have to find something that you love enough to be able to take risks, jump over the hurdles and break through the brick walls that are always going to be placed in front of you. If you don't have that kind of feeling for what it is you're doing, you'll stop at the first

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giant hurdle...George Lucas

You know what they call the guy who finishes last in medical school? They call him Doctor!...Abe Lemons

You may delay, but time will not, and lost time is never found again...Benjamin Franklin

You may have a fresh start any moment you choose, for this thing that we call "failure" is not the falling down, but the staying down...Mary Pickford

You may not realize it when it happens, but a kick in the teeth may be the best thing in the world for you...Walt Disney

You must have long range goals to keep you from being frustrated by short-range failures...Charles C. Noble

You must know that in any moment a decision you make can change the course of your life forever... the very next movie you see or book you read or page you turn could be the one single thing that causes the floodgates to open, and all of the things that you've been waiting for to fall into place...Anthony Robbins, author & motivational speaker

You need to claim the events of your life to make yourself yours. When you truly possess all you have been and done, which may take some time, you are fierce with reality....Florida Scott-Maxwell

You never change things by fighting the existing reality. To change something, build a new model that makes the existing model obsolete...R. Buckminster Fuller

You often meet your destiny on the road you take to avoid it...French Proverb  
You seldom get what you go after unless you know in advance what you want...Maurice Switzer

You will achieve 80% of your financial goals in the last 20% of the time you spend working toward them...Brian Tracy

You will become as small as your controlling desire; as great as your dominant aspiration...James Allen, 1864-1912, Author of "As a Man Thinketh"

You will do foolish things, but do them with enthusiasm...Colette

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You will never find time for anything. If you want time you must make it...Charles Buxton

You will never stub your toe standing still. The faster you go, the more chance there is of stubbing your toe, but the more chance you have of getting somewhere...Charles F. Kettering

Your own doubt is your opponent's greatest strength...Ralph S. Marston, Jr

Your own mind is a sacred enclosure into which nothing harmful can enter except by your permission...Ralph Waldo Emerson

Your work is to discover your world and then with all your heart give yourself to it...Buddha Gotama

You're never as good as everyone tells you when you win, and you're never as bad as they say when you lose...Lou Holtz

You've got a lot of choices. If getting out of bed in the morning is a chore and you're not smiling on a regular basis, try another choice.....Steven D. Woodhull

You've got to jump off cliffs all the time and build your wings on the way down...Ray Bradbury

