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Hurt's a reason to change, but all the hurt in the world don't change facts.

-Stephen King

The difference between stumbling blocks and stepping stones is how you use them -Source Unknown

Not everything that is faced can be changed, but nothing can be changed until it is faced.

-James Baldwin

You are now at a crossroads. This is your opportunity to make the most important decision you will ever make. Forget your past. Who are you now? Who have you decided you really are now? Don't think about who you have been. Who are you now? Who have you decided to become? Make this decision consciously. Make it carefully. Make it powerfully.

-Anthony Robbins

Be careful the environment you choose for it will shape you; be careful the friends you choose for you will become like them.

-W. Clement Stone

There is an election going on all the time... the Lord votes for you and Satan votes against you, and you must cast the deciding vote.

-Source Unknown

Every choice moves us closer to or farther away from something. Where are your choices taking your life? What do your behaviors demonstrate that you are saying yes or no to in life?

-Eric Allenbaugh

Speak when you are angry and you will make the best speech you will ever regret.

-Ambrose Bierce

Bitterness is like cancer. It eats upon the host. But anger is like fire. It burns it all clean.

-Maya Angelou

Whatever we are waiting for -- peace of mind, contentment, grace, the inner awareness of simple abundance -- it will surely come to us, but only when we are ready to receive it with an open and grateful heart.

-Sarah Ban Breathnach

Do not spoil what you have by desiring what you have not; but remember that what you

now have was once among the things you only hoped for. -Epicurus If God would have wanted us to live in a permissive society He would have given us Ten Suggestions and not Ten Commandments. -Zig Ziglar Our favorite attitude should be gratitude -Zig Ziglar Every choice you make has an end result. -Zig Ziglar Life is a series of experiences, each one of which makes us bigger, even though sometimes it is hard to realize this. For the world was built to develop character, and we must learn that the setbacks and grieves which we endure help us in our marching onward. -Henry Ford

Things don't go wrong and break your heart so you can become bitter and give up. They happen to break you down and build you up so you can be all that you were intended to be.

-Charles "Tremendous" Jones

God left the world unfinished for man to work his skill upon. He left the electricity still in the cloud, the oil still in the earth. How often we look upon God as our last and feeblest resource! We go to Him because we have nowhere else to go. And then we learn that the storms of life have driven us, not upon the rocks, but into the desired haven.

-George Macdonald

Acceptance of what has happened is the first step to overcoming the consequences of any misfortune.

-William James

Never be afraid to trust an unknown future to a known God.

-Corrie Ten Boom

Be so strong that nothing can disturb your peace of mind. Talk health, happiness, and prosperity to every person you meet. Make all your friends feel there is something special in them. Look at the sunny side of everything. Think only of the best, work only for the best, and expect only the best. Be as enthusiastic about the success of others as you are about your own. Forget the mistakes of the past and press on to the greater achievements of the future. Give everyone a smile. Spend so much time improving yourself that you have no time left to criticize others. Be too big for worry and too noble for anger.

-Christian D. Larsen

Staying present means experiencing each moment with a purpose, and going forth into the world expecting every moment to have something important to offer, no matter how trivial the situation may seem.

-Anonymous

Wounds Heal. Scars fade. Glory is forever.

-Sally Hogshead

No matter how rough our day was today, or yesterday may have been, every morning is a new beginning, a new chance for you to rewrite the story of your life.

-Tina Su

Character is that which reveals moral purpose, exposing the class of things a man chooses or avoids.

-Aristotle

Every human being is intended to have a character of his own; to be what no others are, and to do what no other can do.

-William Ellery Channing

You can preach a better sermon with your life than with your lips.

-Oliver Goldsmith

The measure of a man's real character is what he would do if he knew he would never be found out.

-Thomas B. Macaulay

When God measures man, He puts the tape around his heart -- not his head.

-Guideposts

When God plan to do something great, He always starts with difficulties and when He plan to do something wonderful He starts with impossibility.

-RAPHAEL TOCHUKWU OKEKE jetoraphy

Friendship is when people know all your mistakes, and your past, and help you grow into the person you are destined to be

-Kimiko Martinez

I'm selfish, impatient, and a little insecure. I make mistakes, I'm out of control and a little hard to handle, but if you can't handle me at my worst, you sure the hell don't deserve me at my best.

-Marilyn Monroe

Success is not measured by what you accomplish, but by the opposition you have encountered, and the courage with which you have maintained the struggle against overwhelming odds.

-Orison Swett Marden

It opens the lungs, washes the countenance, exercises the eyes, and softens down the temper; so cry away.

-Charles Dickens

Chance is always powerful. Let your hook be always cast; in the pool where you least expect it, there will be a fish.

-Ovid

A mirror reflects a man's face, but what he is really like is shown by the kind of friends he chooses. [Proverbs 27:19]

-Bible

To live without Hope is to Cease to live.

-Fyodor Dostoevsky

Of all ills that one endures, hope is a cheap and universal cure.

-Abraham Cowley

It is easy to hate and it is difficult to love. This is how the whole scheme of things works.

All good things are difficult to achieve; and bad things are very easy to get.

-Morarji Desai

To get what you want, STOP doing what isn't working.

-Dennis Weaver

Disciplining yourself to do what you know is right and important, although difficult, is the highroad to pride, self-esteem, and personal satisfaction.

-Brian Tracy

Dedicate yourself to the good you deserve and desire for yourself. Give yourself peace of mind. You deserve to be happy. You deserve delight.

-Mark Victor Hansen

Trust yourself. Create the kind of self that you will be happy to live with all your life.

Make the most of yourself by fanning the tiny, inner sparks of possibility into flames of achievement.

-Foster C. Mcclellan Plant the seed of desire in your mind and it forms a nucleus with power to attract to itself everything needed for its fulfillment. -Robert Collier He who is wrapped up in himself makes a mighty small package. -Source Unknown Be careful what you set your heart upon -- for it will surely be yours. -James Baldwin Nothing stops the man who desires to achieve. Every obstacle is simply a course to develop his achievement muscle. It's a strengthening of his powers of accomplishment. -Eric Butterworth Know what you want. Become your real self. -David Harold Fink

The significance of a man is not in what he attains, but rather what he longs to attain.

-Kahlil Gibran

A burning desire is the greatest motivator of every human action. The desire for success implants success consciousness which, in turn, creates a vigorous and ever-increasing habit of success.

-Paul J. Meyer

First deserve then desire.

-Proverb

It is impossible to go through life without trust: that is to be imprisoned in the worst cell of all, oneself.

-Graham Greene

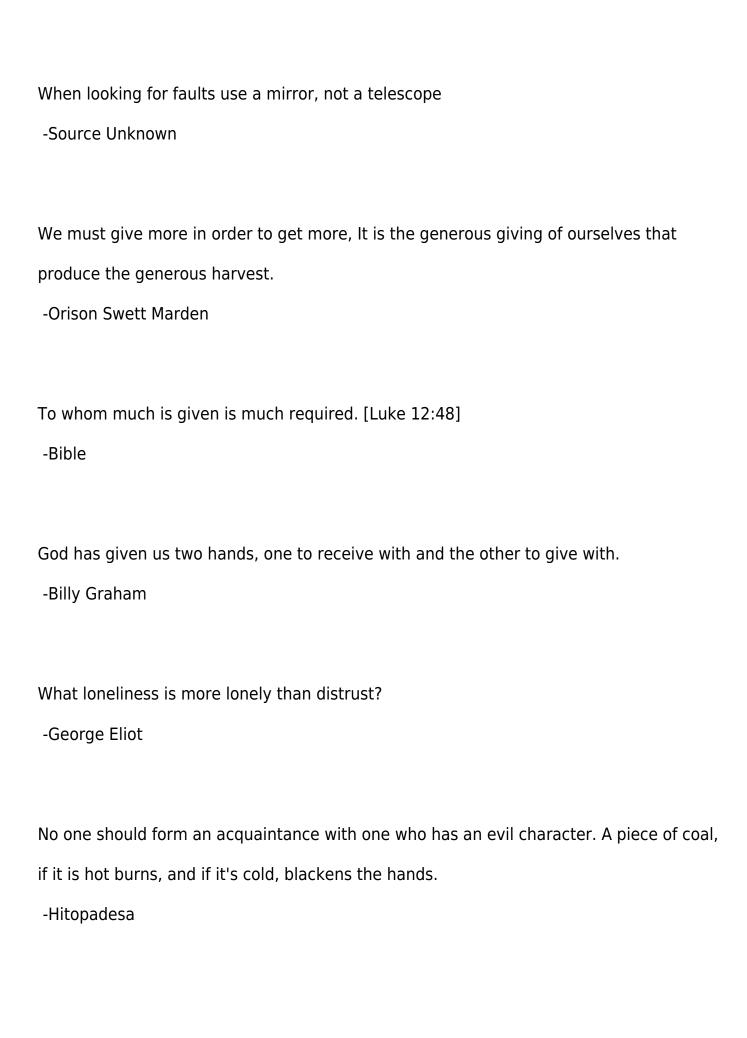
Defeat may test you; it need not stop you. If at first you don't succeed, try another way. For every obstacle there is a solution. Nothing in the world can take the place of persistence. The greatest mistake is giving up.

-Source Unknown

Circumstances may cause interruptions and delays, but never lose sight of your goal.

Prepare yourself in every way you can by increasing your knowledge and adding to your experience, so that you can make the most of opportunity when it occurs.

-Mario Andretti



You must constantly ask yourself these questions: Who am I around? What are they doing to me? What have they got me reading? What have they got me saying? Where do they have me going? What do they have me thinking? And most important, what do they have me becoming? Then ask yourself the big question: Is that okay? Your life does not get better by chance, it gets better by change.

-Jim Rohn

Surround yourself with only people who are going to lift you higher.

-Oprah Winfrey

Every adversity, every failure, every heartache carries with it the seed of an equal or greater benefit.

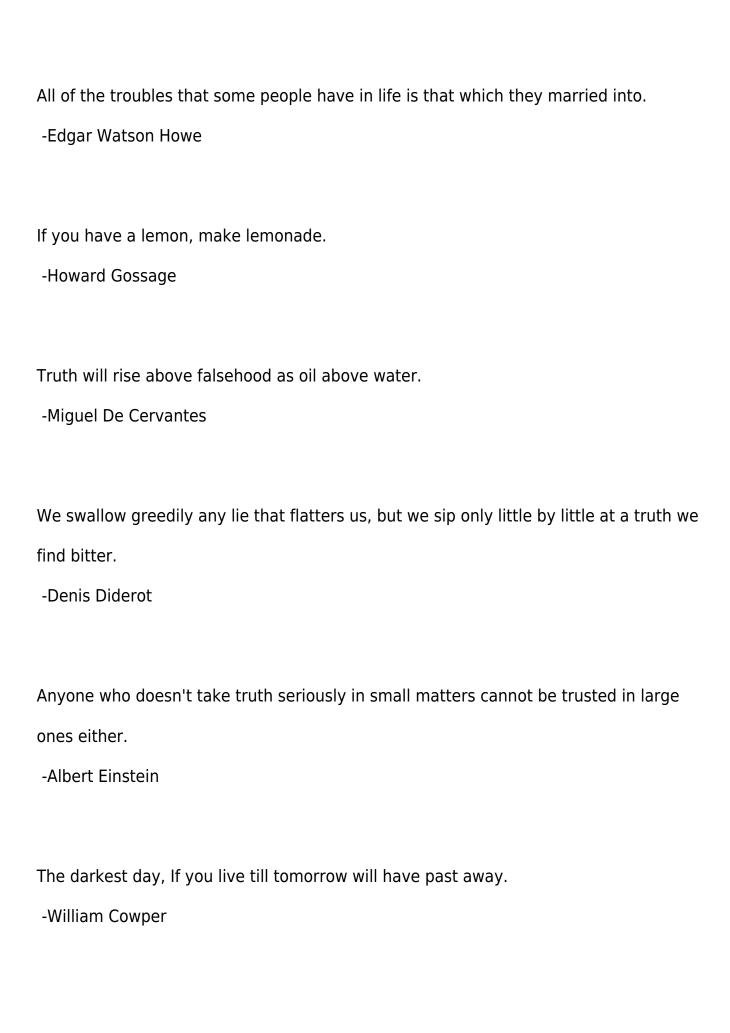
-Napoleon Hill

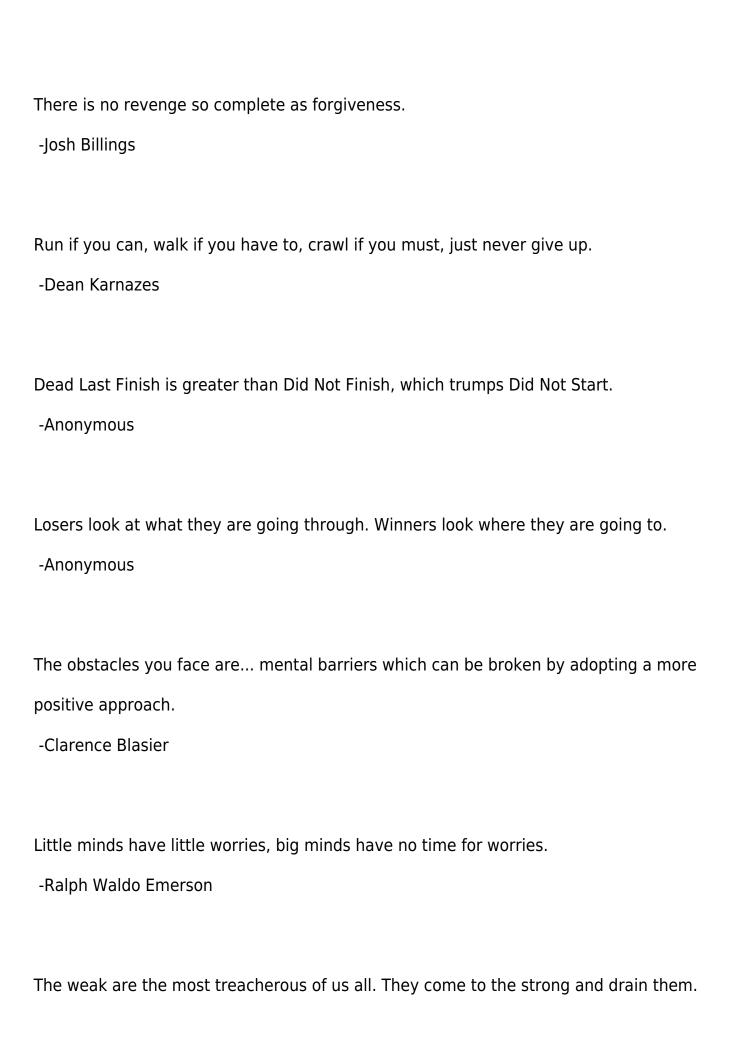
When you're in the right, you can afford to keep your temper. When in the wrong, you can't afford to lose it.

-Source Unknown

To be right with God has often meant to be in trouble with men.

-A. W. Tozer





They are bottomless. They are insatiable. They are always parched and always bitter.

They are everyone's concern and like vampires they suck our life's blood.

-Bette Davis

Anger will never disappear so long as thoughts of resentment are cherished in the mind.

Anger will disappear just as soon as thoughts of resentment are forgotten.

-Buddha

What we are today comes from our thoughts of yesterday, and our present thoughts

build our life of tomorrow: Our life is the creation of our mind.

-Buddha

Denving your potential is emotionally unhealthy, but being proud of own potential leads

to destruction. Where's the balance point then? Be revealed of who Christ is, of who you

are in Christ, and of how your oneness with Christ leads you to the best possible version

of yourself.

-Grace Sabarus

There is nothing more dreadful than the habit of doubt. Doubt separates people. It is a

poison that disintegrates friendships and breaks up pleasant relations. It is a thorn that

irritates and hurts; it is a sword that kills.

-Buddha

Doubt is a pain too lonely to know that faith is his twin brother. -Kahlil Gibran How else but through a broken heart may Lord Christ enter in? -Oscar Wilde Beware of assumptions! Whatever you assume to be possible -- or impossible will have a tendency to become real for you. -Source Unknown You are never given a dream without also being given the power to make it true. You may have to work for it, however. -Richard Bach Focus more on your desire than on your doubt, and the dream will take care of itself. You may be surprised at how easily this happens. Your doubts are not as powerful as

People should know what you stand for. They should also know what you won't stand for.

-Source Unknown

-Marcia Wieder

your desires, unless you make them so.

You are where you are today because you've chosen to be there.

-Harry Browne

And as for you, you meant evil against me, but God meant it for good in order to bring about this present result, to preserve many people alive. [Genesis 50:20]
-Bible

How we think shows through in how we act. Attitudes are mirrors of the mind. They reflect thinking.

-David J. Schwartz

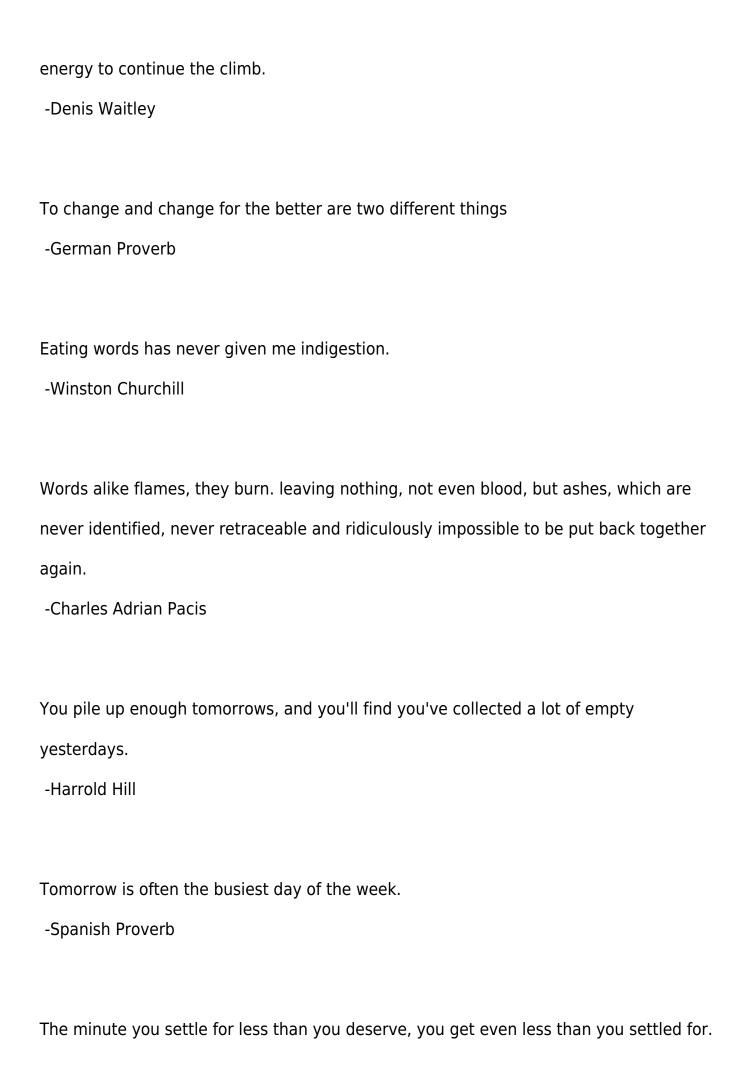
If your words are soft and sweet, they won't be as hard to swallow if you have to eat them.

-Source Unknown

Your expectations opens or closes the doors of your supply, If you expect grand things, and work honestly for them, they will come to you, your supply will correspond with your expectation.

-Orison Swett Marden

When you are in the valley, keep your goal firmly in view and you will get the renewed



-Maureen Dowd

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

-Clark Moustakas

A journey of a thousand miles begins with a single step.

-Lao-Tzu

More powerful than the will to win is the courage to begin.

-Source Unknown

A blow with a word strikes deeper than a blow with a sword.

-Robert Burton

Keep your words sweet -- you may have to eat them. I expect to pass through this world but once; any good thing therefore that I can do, or any kindness that I can show to any fellow creature, let me do it now; let me not defer or neglect it, for I shall not pass this way again.

-Stephan Grellet

A word once uttered can never be recalled.

-Horace

Please God, make my words today sweet and tender, for tomorrow I may have to eat them.

-Source Unknown

One of the secrets of getting more done is to make a TO DO List every day, keep it visible, and use it as a guide to action as you go through the day.

-Alan Lakein

We should be lenient in our judgment, because often the mistakes of others would have been ours had we had the opportunity to make them.

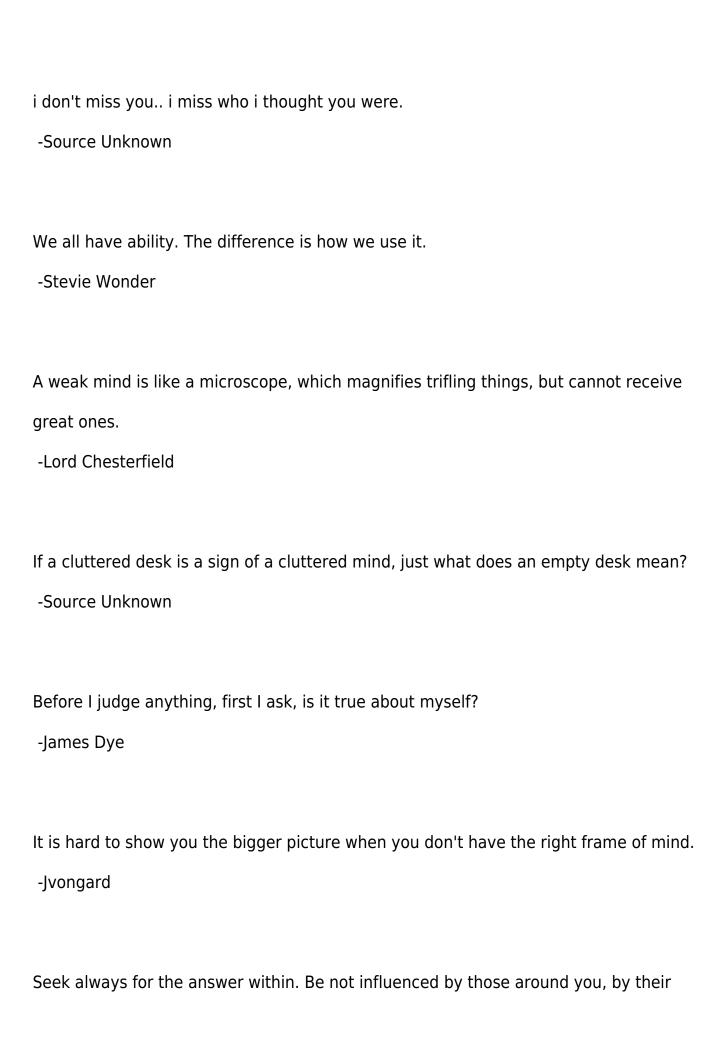
-Dr. Alsaker

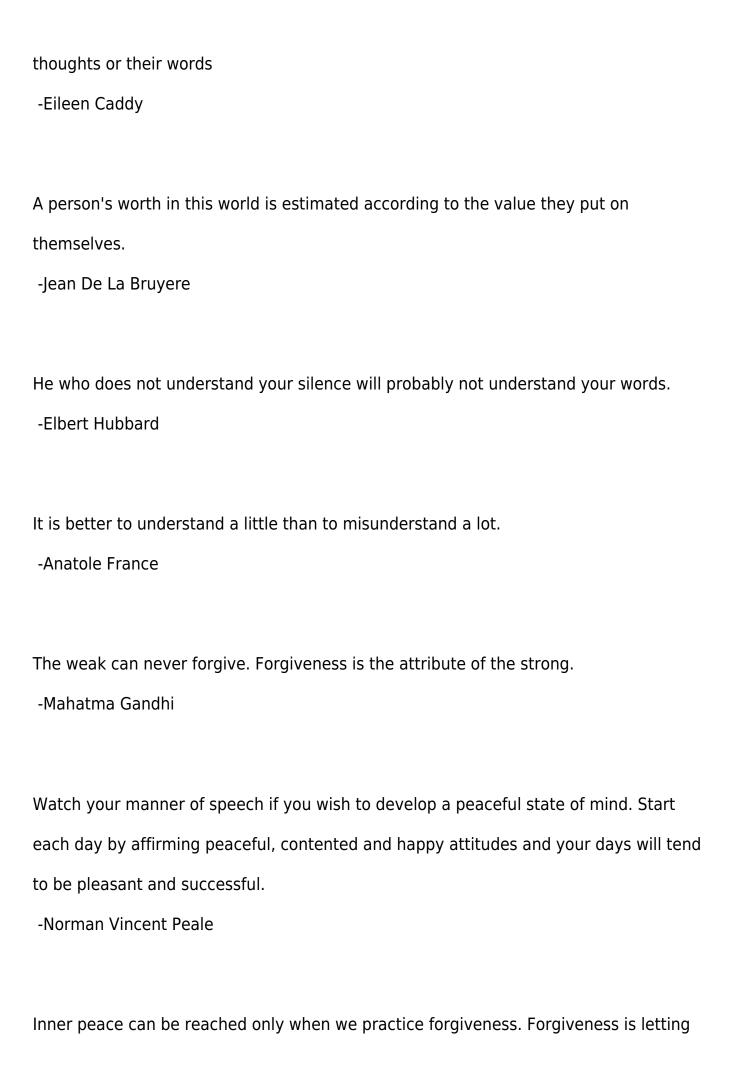
Foolish men imagine that because judgment for an evil thing is delayed, there is no justice; but only accident here below. Judgment for an evil thing is many times delayed some day or two, some century or two, but it is sure as life, it is sure as death.

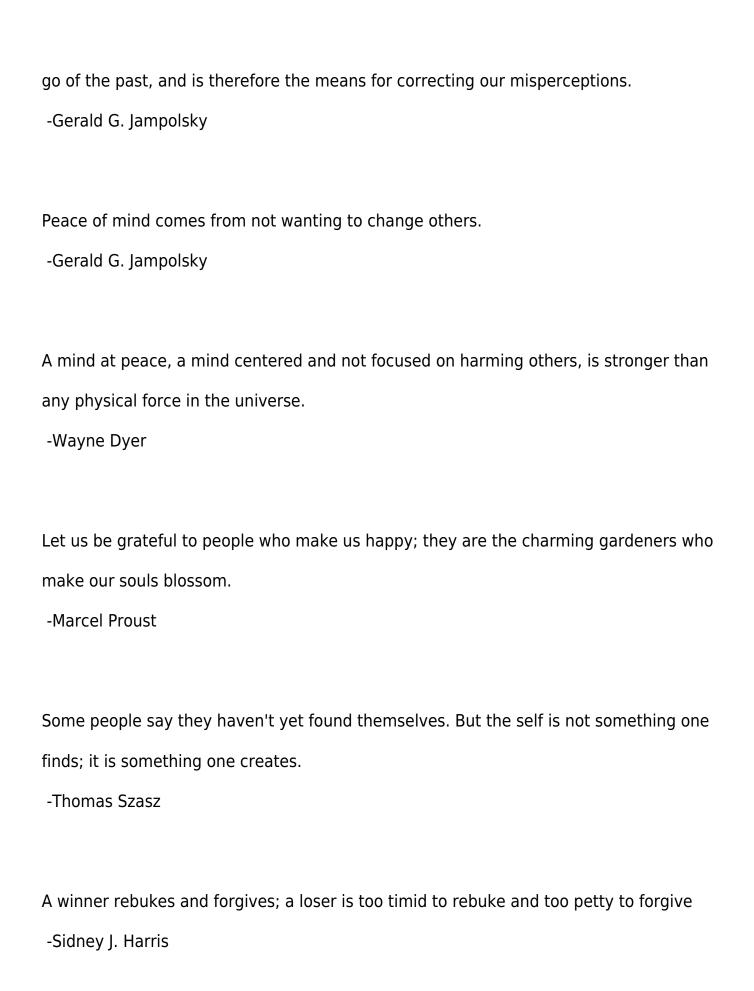
-Thomas Carlyle

Even God doesn't plan to judge a man till the end of his days, why should you and I?

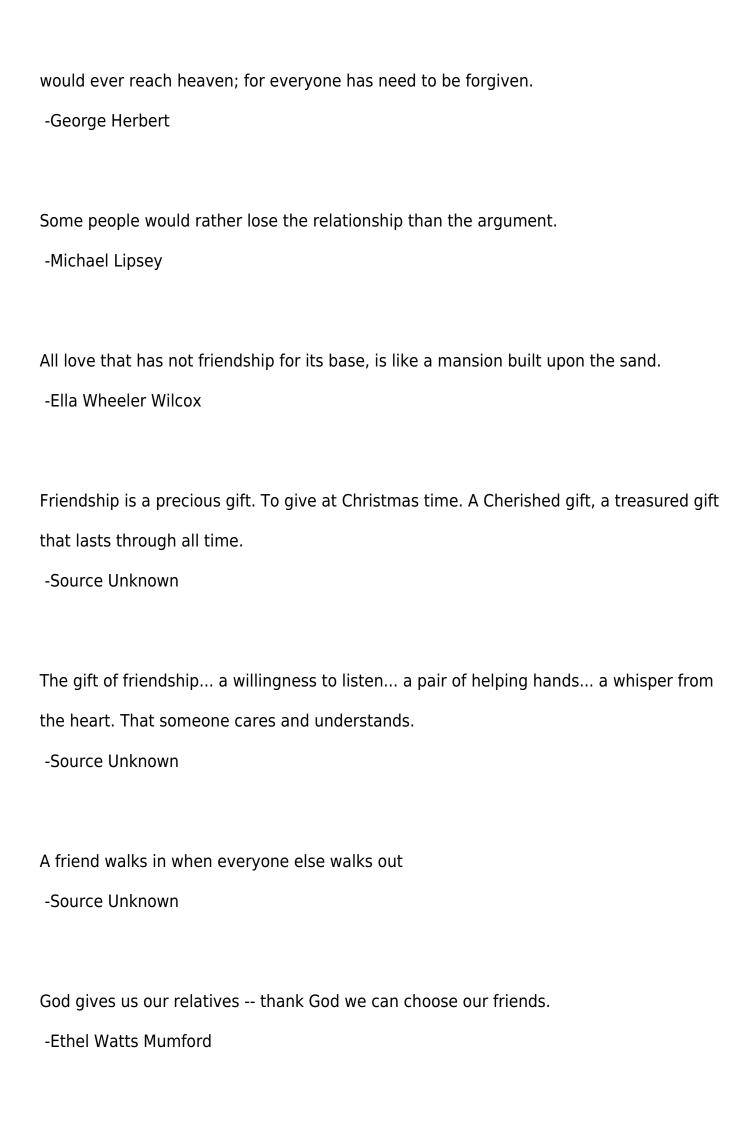
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He that cannot forgive others, breaks the bridge over which he himself must pass if he



When you face a crisis, you know who your true friends are.

-Earvin "Magic" Johnson

Friendship Never explain -- your friends do not need it, and your enemies will not believe it anyway. A real friend never gets in your way, unless you happen to be on the way down. A friend is someone you can do nothing with and enjoy it. However much we guard ourselves against it, we tend to shape ourselves in the image others have of us. It is not so much the example of others we imitate, as the reflection of ourselves in their eyes and the echo of ourselves in their words.

-Eric Hoffer

I can have peace of mind only when I forgive rather than judge.

-Gerald G. Jampolsky

When it is a question of God's almighty Spirit, never say, I can't.

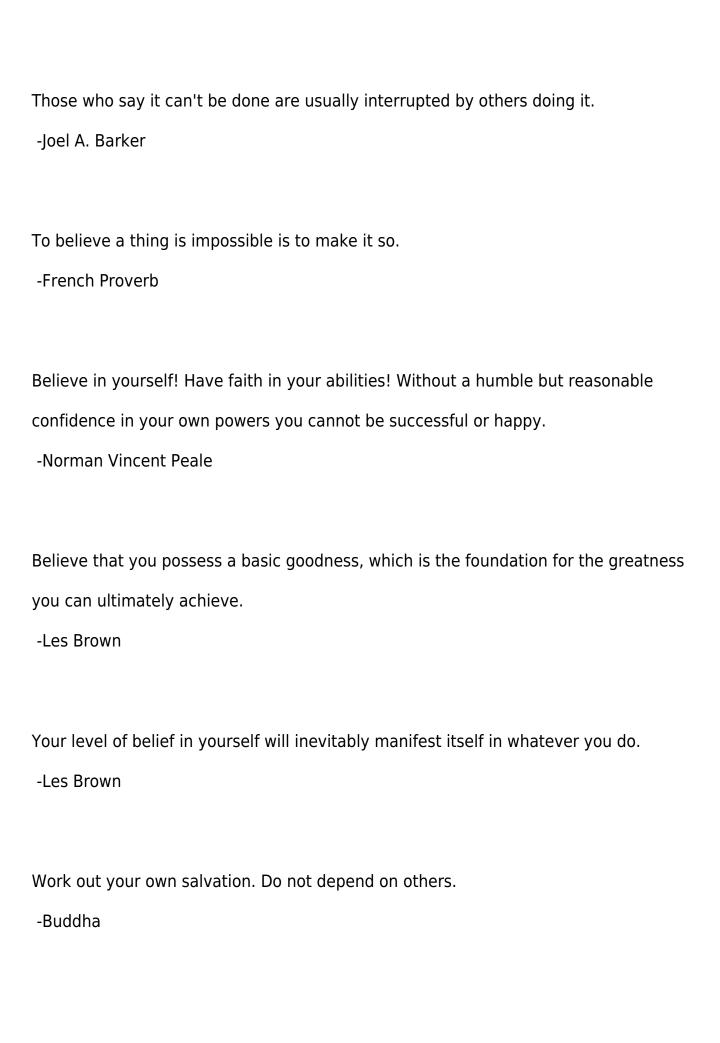
-Oswald Chambers

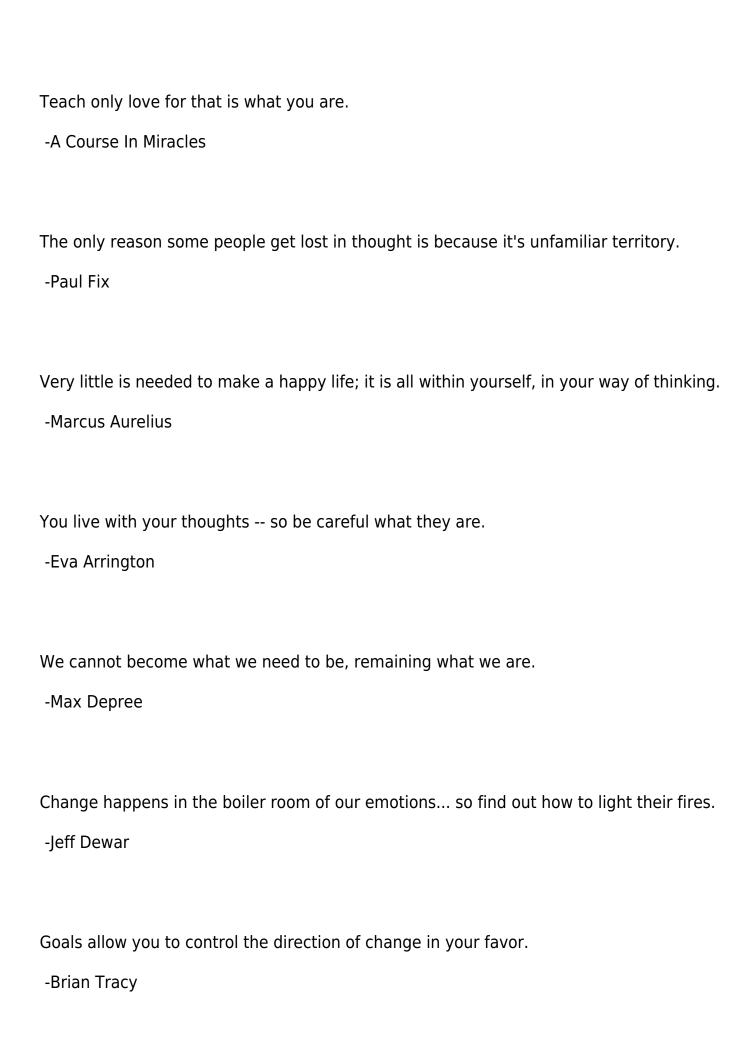
God does not ask about our ability, but our availability.

-Source Unknown

There is nothing impossible to him who will try.

-Alexander The Great
Impossible is a word only to be found in the dictionary of foolsNapoleon Bonaparte
The only thing that stands between a man and what he wants from life is often merely the will to try it and the faith to believe that it is possibleRichard M. DeVos
Intelligence without ambition is a bird without wingsC. Archie Danielson
Don't be afraid to give up the good to go for the greatKenny Rogers
When you blame others, you give up your power to change. -Dr. Robert Anthony
If you don't change your beliefs, your life will be like this forever. Is that good news? -Dr. Robert Anthony





Both tears and sweat are salty, but they render a different result. Tears will get you sympathy; sweat will get you change.

-Jesse Jackson

God has marvelous ways of taking our worst tragedies and turning them into His most glorious triumphs.

-Joseph Stowell

Being taken for granted can be a compliment. It means you've become a comfortable, trusted element in another person's life.

-Dr. Joyce Brothers

God can only do for you what He can do through you.

-Eric Butterworth

Having given us the package, do you think God will deny us the ribbon?

-Oswald C. Hoffman

Don't think so much about who is for or against you, rather give all your care, that God be with you in everything you do.

-Thomas Kempis

If the Lord be with us, we have no cause of fear. His eye is upon us, His arm over us, His ear open to our prayer--His grace sufficient, His promises unchangeable.

-John Newton

The grace of God is a wind which is always blowing.

-Sri Ramakrishna

To know the will of God is the greatest knowledge! To do the will of God is the greatest achievement.

-George W. Truett

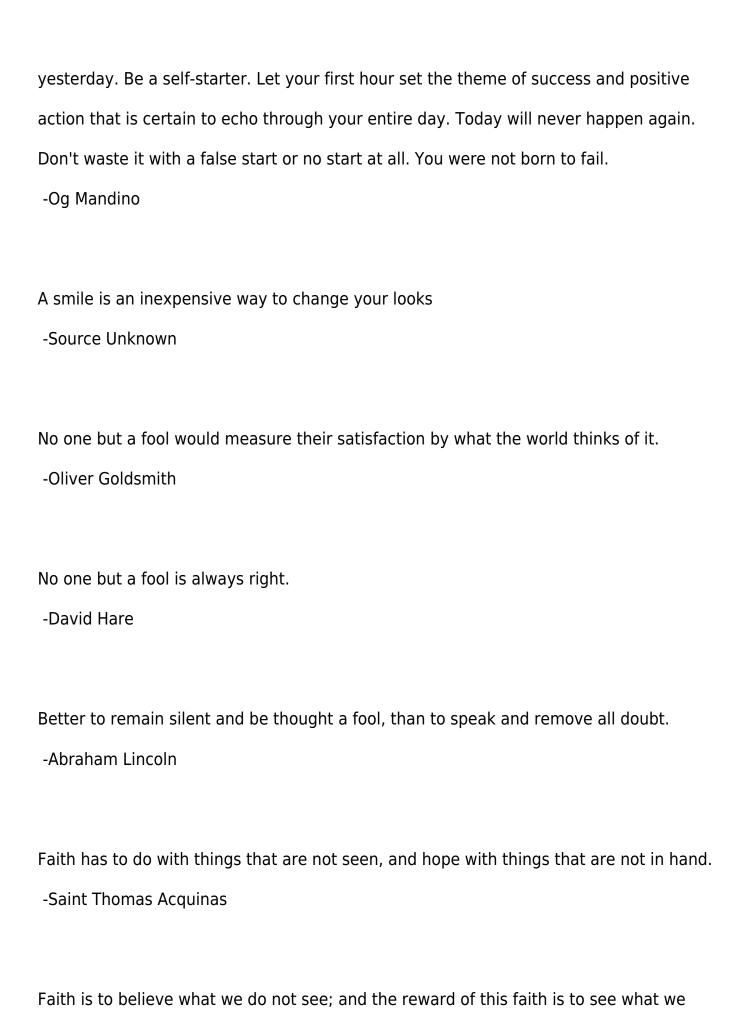
Blessed is the man who finds out which way God is moving and then gets going in the same direction.

-Source Unknown

It is only the impossible that is possible for God. He has given over the possible to the mechanics of matter and the autonomy of his creatures.

-Simone Weil

Welcome every morning with a smile. Look on the new day as another special gift from your Creator, another golden opportunity to complete what you were unable to finish



believe.

Faith is the refusal to panicDavid Martyn Lloyd-Jones
The principal part of faith is patienceGeorge Macdonald
A faith that hasn't been tested can't be trustedAdrian Rogers
Faith is believing what you know ain't soMark Twain
As our faith increases, so does our ability to obeySource Unknown
Faith is: dead to doubts, dumb to discouragements, blind to impossibilitiesSource Unknown

Faith is like electricity. You can't see it, but you can see the light.

-St. Augustine

-Source Unknown

There are many things that are essential to arriving at true peace of mind, and one of

the most important is faith, which cannot be acquired without prayer.

-John Wooden

Faith makes: The uplook good, the outlook bright, the future glorious.

-Source Unknown

God brings men into deep waters not to drown them, but to cleanse them.

-John H. Aughey

