

Favourite Quotes (Version April 2012)

" Some pursue happiness - Others create it"

Anonymous

" While we postpone, Our live goes by"

Seneca

"Excellence is not an accomplishment. It is a spirit, a never-ending process."

Lawrence M Miller

"The foolish man seeks happiness in the distance, the wise grows it under his feet."

James Oppenheim

"It is in your moments of decision that your destiny is shaped."

Anthony Robbins

"If we learned how to walk and talk the way we are taught how to read and write - everybody would limp and stutter."

Mark Twain

"Going to school is nice - but getting an education is even better."

Unknown Author

"The most important choice you make is what you choose to make important"

Michael Neill

"Today, if you are not confused, you are just not thinking clearly."

U. Peter

"You must BE the change you want to see in the world."

Mahatma Gandhi

"Vision without action is merely a dream. Action without vision just passes the time. Vision with action can change the world."

Joel A. Barker

"If you think you are too small to be effective, you have never been in bed with a mosquito."

Bette Reeves

"If you don't set goals for yourself, you are doomed to work to achieve the goals of someone else."

Brian Tracy

"Here is a test to find whether your mission on earth is finished: if you're alive it isn't."

Richard Bach

"The first responsibility of a leader is to define reality. The last is to say thank you. In between, the leader is a servant."

Max DuPree

"Obstacles will look large or small to you according to whether you are large or small."

Orison Swett Marden

"Some people see more in a walk around the block than others see in a trip around the world."

Unknown Author

"The whole world steps aside for the man who knows where he is going."

Unknown Author

"The real voyage of discovery consists not in making new landscapes but in having new eyes."

Marcel Proust

"Problems are only opportunities in work clothes."

Henry J Kaiser

"Never, Never, Never Quit."

Winston Churchill

"When you cease to dream, you cease to live."

Malcolm S Forbes

"The difference between a successful person and others is not a lack of strength, not a lack of knowledge, but rather a lack of will."

Vince Lombardi

"The state of your life is nothing more than a reflection of your state of mind."

Dr. Wayne W. Dyer

"The last of the human freedoms is to choose one's attitude in any given set of circumstances."
Victor E. Frankl

"What the caterpillar calls the end of the world, the master calls a butterfly."
Richard Bach

"Some see things as they are and say, 'Why?' I dream things that never were, and say, 'Why not?'"
George Bernard Shaw

"The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams."
Eleanor Roosevelt

"Let us endeavour to live so that, when we die, even the undertaker will be sorry."
Mark Twain

"All of the significant battles are waged within the self."
Sheldon Kopp

"Wisdom is knowing what to do next, skill is knowing how to do it, and virtue is doing it."
David Starr Jordan

"When I let go of what I am, I become what I might be."
John Heiderers

"Failure is only the opportunity to more intelligently begin again."
Henry Ford

"Success doesn't come to you - you go to it."
Marva Collins

"Luck is what happens when preparation meets opportunity."
Elmer Letterman

"Courage is doing what you're afraid to do. There can be no courage unless you're scared."
Eddie Rickenbacher

"There is a way to do it better - find it."
Thomas A Edison

"The best way to cheer yourself up is to try and cheer up someone else."

Mark Twain

"When the forms of the old culture are dying the new culture is created by a few people who are not afraid to be insecure."

Rudolph Bahro

Our Deepest Fear

"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, 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 enlightening about shrinking so that other people won't feel unsure around you. We were born to make manifest the glory of God that is within us. It is not just in some of us. It is in everyone. As we let our own light shine, we unconsciously give other people permission to do the same. As we are liberated from our own fear our presence automatically liberates others."

Marianne Williamson

"The secret of genius is to carry the spirit of childhood into maturity."

Unknown Author

"The mind is not a vessel to be filled but a fire to be ignited."

Plutarch

"We are all functioning at a small fraction of our capacity."

Winston Churchill

"If a man is called a street sweeper, he should sweep the streets even as Michelangelo painted, or Beethoven composed music, or Shakespeare wrote poetry. He should sweep streets so well that all the hosts of heaven and earth will pause to say: here lived a street sweeper who did his job well." Martin Luther King

"Confusion is a word we have invented for an order which is not yet understood."

Henry Miller

"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

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"The ability to learn faster than your competitors may be the only sustainable competitive advantage."

Arie de Geus

"If you can reflect about what you've learned today - and then write it down - it's yours to keep tomorrow. If you practice it tomorrow, it's yours to keep."

Harry X. Tudas

"Make no little plans. They have no magic to stir men's blood. Make big plans: aim high."

D. H. Burnham

"The ultimate measure of man is not where he stands in moments of comfort, but where he stands at times of challenge and controversy."

Martin Luther King

"Never believe that a few caring people can't change the world. Indeed, that's all that ever has."

Margaret Mead

"Experience is not what happens to you; it's what you do with what happens to you."

Aldous Huxley

"The problems that exist in the world today cannot be solved by the same level of thinking that created them."

Albert Einstein

"The true test of character is not how much we know how to do, but how we behave when we don't know what to do."

John Holt

"Find a job you love and you add five days to every week." H. Jackson Brown, Junior

"Don't ask what the world needs. Ask what makes you come alive because what the world needs is people who have come alive."

Howard Thurman

"If you always do what you've always done, you'll always get what you've always got."

Unknown Author

"Imagination is more important than knowledge."

Albert Einstein

"Whether you think you can, or you think you can't, you're always right."

Henry Ford

"The future of work will consist of learning a living."

Marshall McLuhan

"The only truly educated person is the one who has learned how to learn."

Carl Rogers

If you think you are beaten, you are

If you think you dare not, you don't

If you'd like to win, but think you can't - it's almost certain that you won't

Life's battles don't always go to the stronger or faster person

But sooner or later, the one who wins,

Is the one who thinks he can

Unknown Author

"A happy person is not a person in a certain set of circumstances, but rather a person with a certain set of attitudes."

Unknown Author

"People cannot be managed. Inventories can be managed, but people must be led."

H. Ross-Perot

"If you want one year of prosperity, grow grain

If you want ten years of prosperity, grow trees

If you want one hundred years of prosperity, grow people"

Chinese proverb

"Change the way people think and things will never be the same."

Steve Biko

"You cannot teach a man anything You can only help him discover it within himself."

Unknown author

"The teacher - if he is wise - does not bid you to enter the house of his wisdom - but leads you to the threshold of your own mind."

Kahlil Gibran

“The brighter the light the darker the shadow”

Unknown author

"If your actions inspire others to dream more, learn more, do more and become more, you are a leader."

John Quincy Adams

The way to get started is to quit talking and begin doing

Walt Disney

Believe in nothing. No matter where you read it or who has said it, not even if I have said it, unless it agrees with your own reason and your own common sense

Buddha

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.

The Journey of a thousands miles begins with a single step

Lao Tzu

The difference between what we do and what we are capable of doing would suffice to solve most of the worlds problems.

Mahatma Gandhi

You can't separate peace from freedom because no one can be at peace unless he has his freedom.

Malxom X

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

Mark Twain

There is no easy walk to freedom anywhere, any many of us will have to pass through the valley of the shadow of death again and aging before we reach the mountains tops of our desires.

Nelson Mandela

If you don't go after what you want, you'll never have it. If you don't ask, the answer is always no. If you don't step forward, you're always in the same place.

Nora Roberts

What lies behind us and what lies before us are tiny matters compared to what lies within us.

Ralph Waldo Emerson

In any situation, the best thing you can do is the right thing; the second best thing you can do is the wrong thing; the worst thing you can do is nothing.

Theodore Rossevelt

What you get by achieving your goals is not as important as what you become by achieving your goals.

Zig Ziglar

It's not the years in your life that count. It's the life in your years!

Abraham Lincoln

True friendship is like sound health; the value of it is seldom known until it be lost.

Charles Caleb Colton

History, despite its wrenching pain, cannot be unlived, but if faced with courage, need not be lived again.

Maya Angelou

The young man knows the rules but the old man knows the exceptions.

Oliver Wendell Holmes

To be yourself in a world that is constantly trying to make you something else is the greatest accomplishment.

Ralph Waldo Emerson

The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams.

Eleanor Roosevelt

Trust yourself. You know more than you think you know.

Benjamin Spock

Whatever woman do, they must do it twice as well as men to be thought half as good. Luckily this is not difficult.

Charlotte Whitton

Genius is one per cent inspiration, ninety nine per cent perspiration.

Thomas Alva Edison

You can get everything in life you want if you will just help enough other people get what they want.

Zig Ziglar

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

Albert Einstein

All that we are is the result of what we have thought.

Buddha

Let me say, at the risk of seeming ridiculous, that the true revolutionary is guided by great feelings of love.

Ché Guevara

Far away there is the sunshine are my highest aspirations. I may not reach them , but I can look up and see their beauty, believe in them, and try to follow where they lead.

Louisa May Alcott

He who loses wealth loses much; he who loses a friend loses more; but he who loses his courage loses all.

Miguel de Cervantes

No army can withstand the strength of an idea whose time has come.

Victor Hugo

We are what we repeatedly do. Excellence, therefore is not an act but a habit.

Aristotle

Take pride in how far you have come, and have faith in how far you can go!

Christian Larson

It's never too late to be what you might have been.

George Eliot

Life happens to you while you are busy making other plans.

John Lennon

Live as if you were to die tomorrow. Lean as if you were to live forever.

Mahatma Gandhi

Judge a man by his questions rather than by his answers.

Voltaire

Believe in yourself and all that you are. Know that there is something inside you that is greater than any obstacle.

Christian D. Larson

Live simply so that others can simply live

Mahatma Gandhi

Only those who will risk going too far can possibly find out how far ne can go.

T.S. Elliot