

# FUN & PHILOSOPHY

There are two types of people who will tell you that you cannot make a difference in this world: Those who are afraid to try themselves, and those who are afraid that you will succeed.

– Ray Goforth

Illegal aliens have always been a problem in the United States. Ask any Indian.

– Robert Orben

My mission in life is not merely to survive, but to thrive; and to do so with some passion, some compassion, some humor, and some style.

– Maya Angelou

It is better to keep your mouth closed and let people think you are a fool than to open it and remove all doubt.

– Mark Twain

Adolescence is a period of rapid changes. Between the ages of 12 and 17, for example, a parent ages 20 years.

– Changing Times

Electricity is really just organized lightning.

– George Carlin

Everybody gets so much information all day long that they lose their common sense.

– Gertrude Stein

The habit of common and continuous speech is a symptom of mental deficiency. It proceeds from not knowing what is going on in other people's minds.

– Walter Bagehot

Beginning today, treat everyone you meet as if they were going to be dead by midnight. Extend to them all the care, kindness and understanding you can muster, and do it with no thought of any reward. Your life will never be the same again.

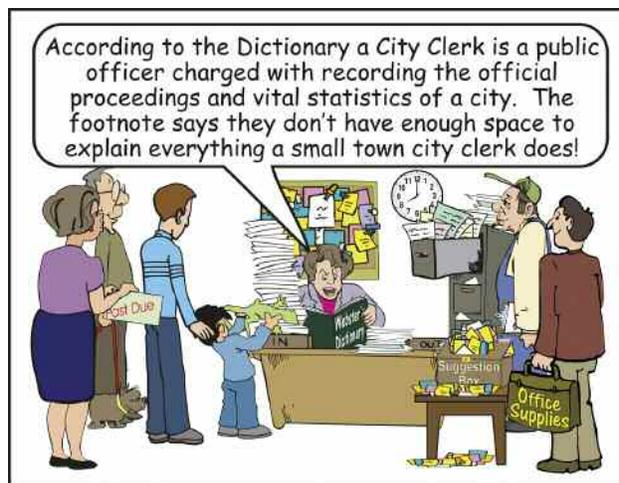
– Og Mandino

Stay positive and happy. Work hard and don't give up hope. Be open to criticism and keep learning. Surround yourself with happy, warm and genuine people.

– Tena Desae

When Cicero (Marcus Tullius Cicero 106-43 BC,) was in 64 BC running for consul of Rome he was reported to be advised by his "campaign manager" that the voters "had rather you lied to them than refused them."

– Anonymous



Cartoon by Linda Windler.

In any moment of decision, the best thing you can do is the right thing, the next best thing is the wrong thing, and the worst thing you can do is nothing.

– Theodore Roosevelt

It is my job to speak and your job to listen. If you finish before me, please let me know.

– Melvin Neufeld

It takes considerable knowledge just to realize the extent of your own ignorance.

– Thomas Sowell

Acceptance is not submission; it is acknowledgement of the facts of a situation. Then deciding what you're going to do about it.

– Kathleen Casey Theisen

A politician is a person who can make waves and then make you think he's the only one who can save the ship.

– Ivern Ball

One cannot get through life without pain. ... What we can do is choose how to use the pain life presents to us.

– Bernie S. Siegel

Our days are a kaleidoscope. Every instant a change takes place. ... New harmonies, new contrasts, new combinations of every sort. ... The most familiar people stand each moment in some new relation to each other, to their work, to surrounding objects.

– Henry Ward Beecher

There is a certain relief in change, even though it be from bad to worse; as I have found in traveling in a stagecoach, it is often a comfort to shift one's position and be bruised in a new place.

– Washington Irving

Keeping score of old scores and scars, getting even and one-upping, always make you less than you are.

– Malcolm Forbes

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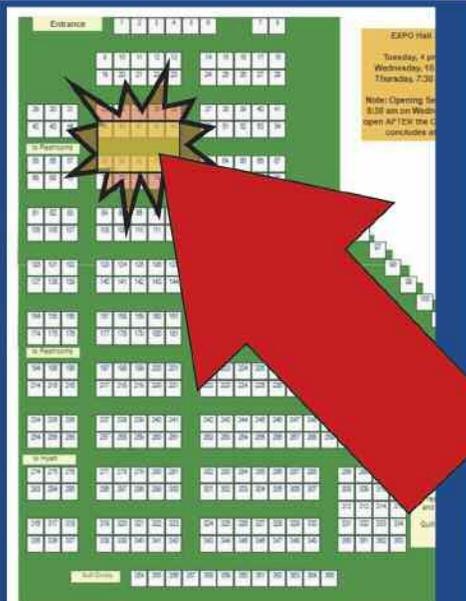
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