## The Greatest Things

Here are The Greatest Things: The best day, today. The best play, work. The greatest puzzle, life. The greatest thought, God. The greatest mystery, death. The best work, work you like. The greatest mistake, giving up. The most ridiculous asset, pride. The greatest need, common sense. The most dangerous person, a liar. The best town, where you succeed. The most expensive indulgence, hate. The greatest invention of the devil, war. The most disagreeable person, the complainer. The greatest secret of production, saving waste. The best teacher, one who makes you want to learn. The biggest fool, the man who lies to himself. The worst bankruptcy, the soul who has lost enthusiasm. The cheapest, easiest, and most stupid thing to do, finding fault. The cleverest man, the one who always does what he thinks is right. The greatest bore, one who keeps talking after he has made his point. The greatest comfort, the knowledge that you have done your work well. The most agreeable companion, the one that would not have you any different than you are. The meanest feeling of which any human is capable, feeling envious of another's success. The greatest sin, fear. The most satisfying experience, doing your duty first. The best action, keeping your mind clear and judgment good. The greatest blessing, good health. The greatest law of nature, cause and effect. The greatest gamble, substituting hope for facts. The most certain thing in life, change. The greatest joy, being needed. The greatest opportunity, the next one. The greatest victory, victory over yourself. The greatest handicap, egotism. The greatest loss, loss of self-confidence. The greatest waste... all the talent and ability that most of us have but never quite get around to using. The greatest thing, bar none, in the world - love, love for family, home, friends, neighbors... and for the land in which we enjoy our freedom.

