
5 Minute Mind-Hack No.5

27 WISE ONE-LINERS

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How well do you remember some or all of these short snippets of wisdom?

I pulled out an old trusted friend recently, my Dynamics of Personal Leadership program and a few dusty old sheets with the following one-liners dropped out.

I used to collect them when I was younger, trying to make my way in the business world and always got a lift or sanity check from these little sayings.

- When you argue with a fool, make sure they're not similarly engaged.
- Maturity begins when we're content to feel we're right about something without the necessity to prove someone else wrong.
- Success requires no explanations - failure permits no alibis.
- In these tough times, it's good to remember there have always been these tough times.
- You can't go wrong when you do what's right, personal integrity is a must.
- Knowledge only paves the road to riches when you know what road to take.
- Wealth is not the person who has it but the one who enjoys it.
- The finest tools in the world still need someone who knows how to use them.

My Action Plan

An old habit I will stop

A new saying I will embrace

First Step I'll take to begin

Ways I will remind myself

People I'll enlist to help me

Any other considerations

Additional Notes:

- All good things come to those who work whilst waiting.
- Knowledge isn't power, it's only potential power - it has to be used to become powerful know-how.
- The saddest words of tongue or pen are these – it might have been, if only.
- The dictionary is the only place you'll find success before work.
- When you point the finger of blame at someone, remember there will always be three pointing right back at you.
- It takes the same amount of time to succeed as it does to fail, so by all means succeed.
- The most difficult part of getting to the top of anything, is getting through the crowd at the bottom.
- Only an average person is always at their best.
- No person becomes a fool until they stop asking questions.
- A persons ability is usually rated by what they do – not what they think and by what they finish – not what they start.
- Real confidence in yourself is always demonstrated by ACTION.
- If you meet someone without a smile, give them yours.
- What is defeat – nothing but education.
- There is no virtue in mediocrity.

- What's important is not where you come from but where you're going.
- There is no virtue in mediocrity.
- Two words that stops the growth and success of so many – BUT and TOMORROW.
- Negative attitudes don't solve any problems - they just create new ones.
- Some people never hear opportunity because they're too busy knocking opportunity.

These and many more I have in my files, brought a BIG smile to my face :) and I hope you like seeing them again or in some cases, for the first time maybe.

To make the most of these, why not use the action planning section on the right to highlight any that appeal to you and that you can use as a daily reminder to mind-hack a new habit into your behaviours?

Best Regards,

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