

"The elevator to health, happiness & success is out of order. You'll have to use the stairs ... one step at a time."

Joe Girard



"To improve is to change; to be perfect is to change often."

Sir Winston Churchill



"Difficulties mastered are opportunities won."

Sir Winston Churchill



"Success is not final, failure is not fatal: it is the courage to continue that counts."

Sir Winston Churchill



"Alone we can do so little; together we can do so much."

Helen Keller



"Innovation is the ability to see changes as an opportunity —not a threat."

Anonymous



"Knowledge is free at the library. Just bring your own container."

Anonymous



"We may sit in our library and yet be in all quarters of the earth."

John Lubbock



"To those with ears to hear, libraries are really very noisy places. On their shelves we hear the captured voices of the centuries —old conversation that makes up our civilization."

Timothy Healy



"Classification, broadly defined, is the act of organizing the universe of knowledge into some systematic order. It has been considered the most fundamental activity of the human mind."

Lois Mai Chan



"Libraries are not made; they grow."

Augustine BIRRELL



"A library is not a luxury but one of the necessities of life."

Henry Ward Beecher



"Without words, without writing and without books there would be no history, there could be no concept of humanity."

Hermann Hesse



"Always keep learning. It keeps you young."

Patty Berg



"Cultivation to the mind is as necessary as food to the body."

*Marcus
Tullius
Cicero*



"The illiterate of the future are not those who can't read or write but those who cannot learn, unlearn, and re-learn."

Alvin Toffler



"Avoiding the phrase 'I don't have time ...' will soon help you to realize that you do have the time needed for just about anything you choose to accomplish in life."

Bo Bennett



"You must do the thing you think you cannot do."

*Eleanor
Roosevelt*



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

T.S. Eliot



"The price of success is hard work, dedication to the job at hand, and the determination that whether we win or lose, we have applied the best of ourselves to the task at hand."

*Vince
Lombardi*



"Success usually comes to those who are too busy to be looking for it."

*Henry David
Thoreau*



"I find that a great part of the information I have acquired by looking something up and finding something else on the way."

Franklin P. Adams



"But although technology is vastly changing their roles, librarians are still seen as 'trusted agents' and their role as navigators of the Internet will be critical to everyday life and the future economy."

Stephen Abram

Vice-president of Micromedia Ltd., Canada's largest electronic publisher.



"Today's librarian is a well-trained, technology—savvy, information expert who can enrich the learning process of any library user—from early reader to graduate student to young Web surfer to retiring senior citizen."

ALA



"In the nonstop tsunami of global information, librarians provide us with floaties and teach us how to swim."

Linton Weeks

Washington Post, Jan. 13, 2001



"To expect the unexpected shows a thoroughly modern intellect."

Oscar Wilde



"Work joyfully and peacefully, knowing that right thoughts and right efforts inevitably bring about right results."

James Allen



"Nothing happens by itself ... it all will come your way, once you understand that you have to make it come your way, by your own exertions."

Ben Stein



"Jump into the middle of things, get your hands dirty, fall flat on your face, and then reach for the stars."

Ben Stein



"You cannot win if you're not at the table. You have to be where the action is."

Ben Stein



"Seek not every quality in one individual."

Confucius



"All great achievements require time."

Maya Angelou



"Happiness is not a goal; it is a by-product."

Eleanor Roosevelt



"Efforts and courage are not enough without purpose and direction."

John F. Kennedy



"Plan your work for today and every day, then work your plan."

Margaret Thatcher

