

# American Inspiration

## Thoughts for today and every day . . .



✓“What is right for one soul may not be right for another. It may mean having to stand on your own and do something strange in the eyes of others. But do not be daunted. Do whatever it is because you know within it is right for you.” Eileen Caddy

✓“Any concern too small to be turned into a prayer is too small to be made into a burden.”  
Corrie Ten Boom

✓“An idea, like a ghost, according to the common notion of ghosts, must be spoken to a little before it will explain itself.” Charles Dickens

✓“Dignity does not consist in possessing honors, but in deserving them.” Aristotle



## American Update

This week, our thoughts and prayers reach out to the millions of Americans that were affected by the terrible storms that were generated on the East Coast this week, in hopes that they will be able to rebuild and regroup quickly and find comfort after the disaster. Pray also for the first responders and those that will rebuild as there is much to accomplish in the coming weeks and months.

As Americans, we get to exercise one of our most important freedoms, and that is the right to vote. We each have a voice and I encourage everyone to make sure to not miss the chance to exercise this right next Tuesday, no matter what your choice.



## Inspiration of the Week

## Birds of a Feather

By John C. Maxwell “Your Road Map for Success”

A factor in your personal development comes in the area of your relationships with others. You can tell a lot about which direction your life is heading by looking at the people with whom you’ve chosen to spend your time and share ideas. Their values and priorities impact you in the way you think and act. If they’re positive people dedicated to growth, then their values and priorities will encourage you and reinforce your desire to grow.

It's not always comfortable to associate with people who are ahead of you in their growth, but it's always profitable. Try to cultivate relationships with those people who can help you grow, but don't think only in terms of what you can gain. Always bring something to the table yourself. You've got to make the relationship win-win or it won't last.

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