

American Inspiration

Thoughts for today and every day . . .



√“If you always give, you will always have.” Chinese Proverb

√“If you organize your life around the things you are passionate about, nothing is a time burden. You end up spending time with people you want to spend time with and doing what you love.” Jeffrey Bores

√“Our future is not merely something that happens to us but something that we participate in creating. If we do this consciously, we can create a world that works.” Dr. Paul Ray

√“Because everything we say and do is the length and shadow of our own souls, our influence is determined by the quality of our being.” Dale Turner



American Update

This past weekend wrapped up our **2012 Competition Season** with our American Nationals and American Collegiate Championship at the University of North Texas in Denton. We had perfect weather and fabulous performances all weekend! Congratulations to all the participants and a great close to a great season! Many thanks to Biogime, Tote Unlimited, Doughmakers, Happy Feet Boots and Cicci's Dancewear for being our supportive sponsors this year!

Today our **2012 Summer Camp** brochure goes in the mail to directors. You can download your own copy of our web site at www.DanceADTS.com. See all the dates and locations we offer or choose your own date for a Private Camp for your team. Receive a custom bid price for a camp at your school by going online to our Summer Camp page.



Inspiration of the Week

Leadership and the Fruit of the Spirit

John C. Maxwell author of “The Leadership Bible”

Probably the most memorable verses in Galatians are those that list the ‘fruit of the Spirit.’ Fruit grows from planted seeds. Every leader should embrace this marvelous list of inward qualities. Evaluate yourself against them:

Love—Is my leadership motivated by love for people?

Joy—Do I exhibit an unshakable joy, regardless of life's circumstances?

Peace—Do people see my peace and take courage?

Longsuffering—Do I wait patiently for results as I develop people or goals?

Kindness—Am I caring and understanding toward everyone I meet?
Goodness—Do I want the best for others and the organization?
Faithfulness—Have I kept my commitments?
Gentleness—Is my strength under control? Can I be both tough and tender?
Self-Control—Am I disciplined to make progress toward my goals?

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