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Aphorisms

There is no better idea of rationality than that of a readiness to accept criticism.

-- Karl Popper

Often the big enemy of truth is not the lie, constructed, invented and dishonest, but the myth, perpetual, convincing, and unrealistic. -- John F. Kennedy

Organization is frozen information. -- Anatol Rapoport

I like to keep things as simple as possible, but no simpler than necessary.

-- Albert Einstein

The theory decides what is measurable. -- Albert Einstein

Nothing happens without personal transformation. -- W. Edwards Demming

I have developed a new philosophy... I only dread one day at a time. -- Charlie Brown

If you are depressed, you are living in the past.

If you are anxious, you are living in the future.

If you are at peace, you are living in the present.

--Lao Tzu

"In most cases, strengths and weaknesses are two sides of the same coin. A strength in one situation is a weakness in another, yet often the person can't switch gears.

-- T. M. Dunn & Steve Jobs

I argue very well. Ask any of my remaining friends. I can win an argument on any topic, against any opponent. People know this and steer clear of me at parties. Often, as a sign of their great respect, they don't even invite me. -- Dave Barry

It is better to debate a question without settling it than to settle a question without debating it. -- Joseph Joubert

Only the mediocre are always at their best. – Anonymous

Nice guys finish first last. – Anonymous.

Leaders have goals.

Managers have policies.

Intellectuals have principles.