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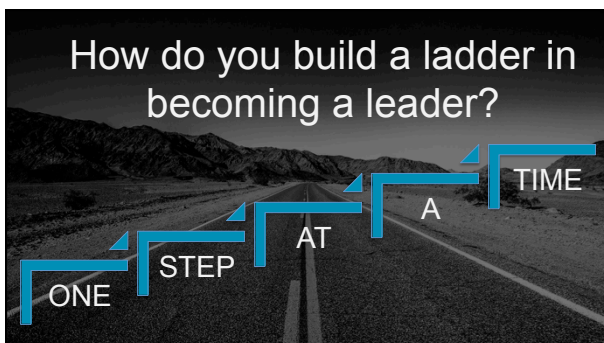
1. Cut off from God.
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3. Cut off from each other.
4. Created universe thrown off its intended kilter.

To aspire to leadership is a honorable ambition.

1 Timothy 3:1

Quality temples require quality ingredients.

Eugene O'Neil



What are the characteristics of a leader?

CHARACTERISTICS OF A LEADER:

1. A leader has staying power
 - The key to leadership is **ENDURANCE**
 - Elements that defeat a leader....

A white stick figure stands on a road that recedes into the distance. Three blue arrows point from the right towards the figure, labeled **PRIDE**, **DEFICIENCIES**, and **OPPOSITION**.

A blue archway stands on a road. Inside the archway, the text **TOLSON DIED HERE!** is written in white.

The marines say:

HEAD for the objective

We need to develop a bulldog **TENACITY**

Two blue arrows point from left to right on a road. The first arrow contains the text **Character is revealed at the point of pressure**. The second arrow contains the text **Reputation only functions under favorable circumstances**.

THE GLORY OF THE GRIND

How do you respond to the uninspired moments?

CHARACTERISTICS OF A LEADER:

2. A Leader has a virile private life

- You MUST have productive time alone!
- No man can do enough for others if he is always surrounded by others!

Leaders emerge out of a virile private life!

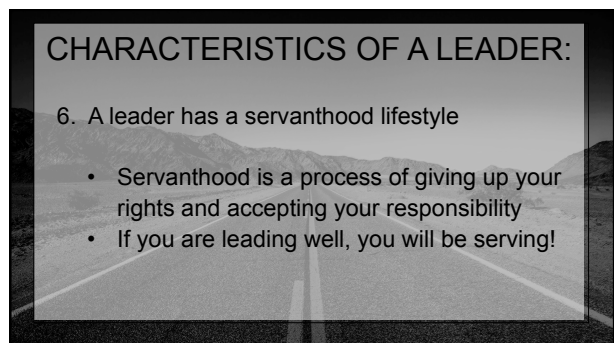
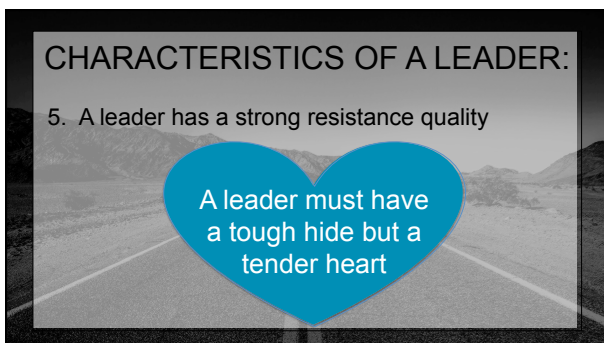
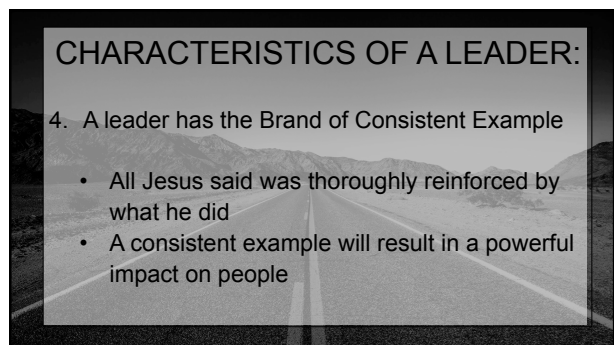
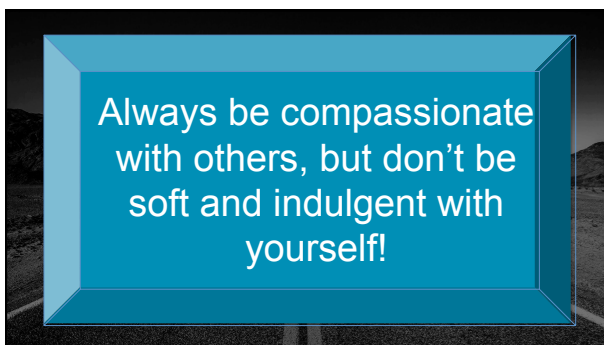
Character is what you are when nobody is looking!

CHARACTERISTICS OF A LEADER:

3. A leader has self mastery

- An effective leader is a non-encumbered individual
- Hebrews 12:1-2
- Time is your greatest commodity!

You never Retrieve time



At best...
We are just one of God's messenger Boys.
Only by the grace of God are we anything!

- ### ACTION
- A. Perform acts of kindness
 - B. Learn to walk slowly through the crowd
 - C. ACT

LORD, teach me that I cannot exalt Jesus Christ and John Tolson at the same time!

- ### CHARACTERISTICS OF A LEADER:
- 7. A leader has a high confidence quotient
 - Self confidence is CHRIST CONFIDENCE
 - Remember, we are not perfect people, but progressing people!

- ### CHARACTERISTICS OF A LEADER:
- 8. A leader has a positive attitude
- If you want others to be positive, YOU need to be positive!

- ### IDEAS ON ATTITDUES
- A. Your attitude is your choice
 - B. Your attitude determines your actions
 - C. Your people are a mirror of your attitude
 - D. Maintaining a good attitude is easier than regaining one

How can you be insignificant when Jesus Christ lives in you?

CHARACTERISTICS OF A LEADER:
9. A leader is a perspective person

- The perspective person is:
 - ✓ Forward looking
 - ✓ Knows where the battle is
 - ✓ Wise
 - ✓ Has an understanding of the big picture

CHARACTERISTICS OF A LEADER:
10. A leader is teachable

A LEARNER NEVER STOPS LEARNING

CHARACTERISTICS OF A LEADER:
11. A leader is a person of faith- II Kings 6:14

Don't just see the problems,
BUT
See the problem solver!

FAITH INVOLVES RISK

Are leaders from a mold?

I've never discovered a leader who was not born!

We are all born with working capital.....
The question is
How do you invest it?

HE WILL ASK YOU:
“what did you do with the
life, gifts and resources
I have you?”

A man of faith sees
the power of God
and the potential
in people

- CHARACTERISTICS OF A LEADER:**
Of the 11 characteristics of an effective leader....
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| 1. Staying power | 7. A high confidence quotient |
| 2. Virile private life | 8. A positive attitude |
| 3. Self mastery | 9. A perceptive person |
| 4. A consistent example | 10. Teachable |
| 5. A strong resistance
quality | 11. Person of faith |
| 6. A servanthood lifestyle | |

WHAT ARE YOU WEAKEST IN?
WHICH ONES ARE YOU
STRONGEST IN?
WHICH ONES WOULD YOU LIKE
TO DEVELOP MORE?