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Words of Wisdom...



"Fix your eyes forward on what you can do, not back on what you cannot change."

Tom Clancy
1947-2013, Author

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July 9, 2014

I AM NOT PERFECT!

Two weeks ago I suggested you play your buyer's favorite radio station which should have been WIIFM (What's In It For Me) ... and didn't check it. Thanks to Dave, and a couple others who corrected me, said there might be a small error since I written WIIFE instead!

This ties in beautifully with the theme "Nobody is perfect." We all strive so hard for perfection that we forget to "smell the roses" and chastise ourselves for our imperfections instead of complimenting ourselves on our abilities and accomplishments.

Here are some tips on how you can overcome this concern for perfection:

- 1. Accept responsibility. You made a mistake ... get over it ... correct it and move on.
- 2. Ask for help ... you can't do everything solo!
- 3. Don't over-analyze your errors. Correct the problem, move on, ask yourself "what did I learn from this?"
- 4. Don't be afraid to laugh at your mistakes and at yourself.
- 5. Use the difficulty/error to your advantage ... improvise. Nothing is so impossible it can't be fixed.

the application: 854401 or 795550



Where In The World Is Sylvia?



May 24-October 1 ... Farmers' Market, Butler Building, Aitkin, MN

July 19 ... Celebration of the Paul Bunyanland Trail at the Butler Building in Aitkin, MN

July 29 ... Tech Visit, Pontiac, MI July 30 ... Tech Visit, Rochester, MI

August 4-8 ... SE Tourism Society Seminars in Georgia

September 13 ... Brewfest, Butler Building, Aitkin, MN

September 18-20 ... APTA Forum, Chicago, IL

September 21-27 ... Ireland

September 29-30, October 1 ... IFEA, Kansas City,MO

October 14-16 ... NRPA, Charleston, SC

October 19-20 ... Stafford Township Wine Festival

October 23-20 ... APTA Fam tour to Uganda

November 13-21 ... Uganda for Sylvia's Children

November 24-30 ... Fishhouse Parade, Aitkin MN



Here is a great way to end this:

"To err is human, but when the eraser wears out ahead of the pencil, you're overdoing it!" Josh Jenkins

Just a side note ... how many of you enjoyed fireworks last Friday? This year I went on a boat and saw the Macy's fireworks display. It is a MUST at least once ... awesome!

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