August 16, 2023



## **POSITIVITY!**

This was the favorite word of Art Fettig, a dear friend of mine who was a motivational speaker and definitely a graduate of the Dr. Norman Vincent Peal school of the power positive thinking! And, although Art died, sadly, in 2021, he lives on through his books--half of which are great positive business books and the other half children's books!

In addition to Dr. Norman Vincent Peale, Art loved *Clement Stone*. Here was his favorite writing of Stone's.

## The gift of giving by Clement Stone:

Be generous! Give to those you love; Give to those who love you; Give to the fortunate; Give to the unfortunate - yes, give especially to those to whom you don't want to give ... you will receive abundance for your giving. The more you give the more you will have! Give a smile to everyone you meet (smile with your eyes) and you'll receive smiles. Give a kind word (with a kindly thought behind the word) and you will receive kind words. Give appreciation (warmth from the heart) and you will be appreciated. Give time for a worthy cause (with eagerness) and you will be richly rewarded. Give hope (the magic ingredient for success) and you will be made hopeful. Give happiness and you will be made happy. Give encouragement (the incentive to action) then you will be encouraged. Give prayers (the instrument of miracles) and you will receive blessings.

Simple but true ideas from two famous people with kind and positive attitudes. Thanks, Art, and Clement!

Onward, Sylvia allen





*Sylvia Allen Sales, Media and Non Profit Training Allen Consulting, Inc.* 

732.241.1144 or Sylvia.Allen@allenconsulting.com or sylvia@sylviaschildren.org