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Editor's Take

It's a season of gratitude!

A season to look back and say yes, I have been a worthy ambassador of all the talents the creator endowed me with. A season to say yes, I made all the difference in my family, in my community, in my place of worship, in my place of work. A season to say I have been a good father, mother, uncle, daughter, son, neighbor, citizen. A season to say I have been a good leader, I have kept sacrosanct the trust of the people. A season to keep tab, to unearth where you fell short, and to dust yourself up, to march forward with greater resolve to be the best that you can be. As we bid the New Year welcome, purpose in your heart to make *excellence* your way of life. Resolve to make the rest of your life the best of your life! Welcome New Year.

Do You Have A Personal Code Of Conduct?

Do you go with the flow? Does the cliché "if you cannot beat them, join them" appeal to you? If yes, you will remain ordinary. Not a good place to be. Aspire higher. Be committed to being the best. Set for yourself the highest standards and commit to constant and never-ending improvement. One of the best ways to do this is to have a personal code of conduct. One way to create your own code

Season's Greetings!

From All of Us In

Paradise



The Athenian Oath

"....We will strive unceasingly to quicken the public sense of public duty.

That thus, in all these ways, we will transmit this city, not only, not less, but greater, better, and more beautiful than it was transmitted to us."

is to review the codes of conduct that already exist.
Here is The OPTIMISTS' CLUB CREED:

Promise yourself...

1. To be strong that nothing can disturb your peace of mind.
2. To talk health, happiness, and prosperity to every person you meet.
3. To make all your friends feel that there is something of value in them.
4. To look at the sunny side of everything and make your optimism come true.
5. To think only the best, to work only for the best, and to expect the best.
6. To be just as enthusiastic about the success of others as you are about your own.
7. To forget the mistakes of the past and press on to the greater achievement of the future.
8. To wear a cheerful countenance at all times and give every living creature you meet a smile.
9. To give so much time to the improvement of yourself that you have no time to criticize others.
10. To be too large for worry, too noble for anger, too strong for fear, and too happy to permit the presence of trouble.

Strategies for Asking for Favours

If you had to ask the creator of the universe for just one thing, what would it be? Always ask wisely.
This is how the ancients responded:

Abraham: "Help me follow you."

Moses: "Help me free your people."

David: "Help me slay the giant threatening your people."

Esther: "Help me save these people."

Solomon: "Give me wisdom to rule your people."

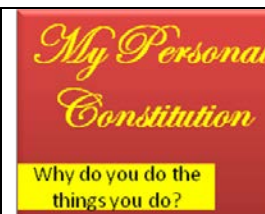
Isaiah: "Give me clean lips to speak your words."

Peter: "Help me feed your sheep."

Jesus: "Help me show them your love."

Laurie Beth Jones in *Jesus CEO*

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Constitution or
Code of Conduct
in Writing And
Live By It**



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