

# Call to Action – Encouragement!

Inspiration can be drawn from all facets of our lives. We can be inspired by someone famous, a mentor, a family member, or even from our own life experiences. It is from that spark or idea that inspires us to accomplish the things that we do. There are a lot of different quotes that inspire and motivate me, but the quote that has the most relevance to me is from a famous soccer player by the name of Pele. Pele has many inspirational quotes, but my favorite is this one "Success is no accident. It is hard work, perseverance, learning, studying, sacrifice, and most of all, love of what you are doing." (Pele, n.d.)

I chose this quote because it inspires me to keep persevering through all of the hardships in my life in order to accomplish my goals and dreams. Currently while attending Full Sail University full time, I also work a full time job, I am involved in a web design and development mentorship program, and I take care of my ailing grandparents. Most of the time, I feel like I don't have enough time in the day to accomplish everything, but I know that all of the sacrifices and sleepless nights will inevitably be worth it once I graduate and I can do what I love for a living. That is why this quote is so meaningful to me and my journey, because the only way to accomplish my goal is to keep persevering through all of the obstacles, keep studying and becoming more knowledgeable in my field, and to sacrifice or make concessions to my personal life in order to accomplish my long term goals and dreams. That to me is true inspiration and motivation.

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