“Making Copies,” Owen

1. Your circumstances are just hurdles you need to get over to achieve success, and your passion to make things happen will motivate you.
2. There is always a better way to do things and working on existing inventions is the best path for invention.
3. Not every invention will be successful, but you cannot give up and there is a chance that one out of a few hundred may be successful.

“On the Impact of the New Communication Media Upon Social Values,” Baran

1. The social impact of an idea is also an important thing to consider.
2. Sometimes innovation may be so large that it may change our society either positively or negatively forever.
3. Many jobs of lower income groups can be affected by technological advancements, and our society needs time to adapt to that.

“Patricia Bath,” (Course site)

1. Sometimes your circumstances may be advantageous in your area of expertise which helps with innovation.
2. During your journey there may be many unfair things that can happen to you, but if you work hard enough it will pay off.
3. Educating the future generation about your area will help drive innovation.

"Tech's Enduring Great-Man Myth”

1. Its important to understand with innovation, comes teamwork and it takes a team to make an idea into reality.
2. Certain areas in technology have more interest in other, thus gain more funding by people who believe in it and more capital to grow an idea.
3. Looking at tech entrepreneurs as the soul creators of an idea is wrong and we must take into account the public and government who also gave massive contribuitons.