

HOW TO INSPIRE PEOPLE

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John 12:19

Why do you need to learn to inspire people? People become leaders when they can **INSPIRE** others. If you have aspirations of becoming a leader, learning how to inspire is essential.

Inspiration is the ability to stimulate a thought or a feeling in people that causes them to **MOVE IN ACTION**. When you can inspire, you can lead! Unfortunately, everyone who is in a position of leadership does not lead with the spirit of inspiration.

If you are not inspiring others, you are manipulating them. Manipulation comes in many forms. You can manipulate with fear, pride, oppression, dictatorship, etc. When people lead with a manipulative spirit they may achieve

their desired results. However, they will **NOT** maximize that person's potential.

Inspirational leaders maximizes people's potential. The treasures, talents and abilities that are hidden in the souls of people will flourish when they are under inspirational leaders. Inspiration has the power to take something small and make it great.

It can take someone who is weak and make them strong. It can motivate nonchalant people to become aggressive. The secret to becoming a leader is learning how to inspire.

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1. **WORK IN EXCELLENCE:** Excellence is doing something with the highest quality. People become inspired when they see excellence in action.

2. **BE COURAGEOUS**: When people see uncommon strength (internal or external) on display they will become inspired.

3. **WIN/SUCCEED**: The sight of victory and success inspires people to believe that anything is possible. The accolade of victory births faith.

When you can become what people aspire to achieve you will become an inspiration to them. King Jesus showed us how inspirational leadership can impact the world.

When King Jesus was walking the earth He inspired people to believe in possibilities they could not even imagine. They saw wonders out of this world, they saw God in the flesh, they saw humility in its purest form, they saw power demonstrated on its highest level and they witnessed miracles that changed a culture.

King Jesus inspirational leadership was so great that the **WHOLE WORLD** was following Him at one time. John

12:19 says, *"So the Pharisees said to each other, "You can see that nothing is going right for us. Look! The whole world is following him."*

INSPIRATION IS ATTRACTIVE! People want to be inspired. They need to be inspired. The purpose of inspiration is to give others the idea that *"it is possible"*!

King Jesus reminded all of us of something in His word. Mark 9:23 says, *"Jesus said to the father, "You said, 'If you can!' All things are possible for the one who believes."*

The greatest and most effective leaders who have graced this earth have inspired us to do better, see further, believe more and think higher. Are you that type of leader? If not, there's hope. You can become that type of leader.

Take your leadership skills to the next level by showing other people that it is possible. It's great to lead by

example. However, it's even **GREATER** when you can impact a person's belief in themselves by inspiring them.

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