

Jesus, CEO. Using Ancient Wisdom for Visionary Leadership

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"It can be applied to any business, service, or endeavor that depends on more than one person to accomplish a goal, and can be implemented by anyone who dares""

Based on three simple premises:

- One person trained twelve human beings who went on to influence the world...
- The person worked with a staff that was totally human and not divine...
- His leadership style was intended to be put to use by any of us.

Questions for Discussions: First Chapter – Strength of Self-Mastery

1. His "I Am" Statements Are What He Became: **What good, pure, true and beautiful words do you feed your mind every day?**
2. He Kept in Constant Contact with His Boss: **How regularly do you communicate with your boss?**
3. He Stuck to His Mission: **What is your mission? Can you define it in one or two sentences?**
4. He Believed in Himself: **How much do you believe in yourself?**
5. He Had Internal Anchors:
 - a. "Although he was a recruiter of sorts, he never wasted energy begging or manipulating others to follow him. In fact, he trained his staff to "wipe the dust from their feet" and to keep moving if people were resistant to his ideas."
 - b. "Jesus was so aware of his energy...this man was a master of the physics of energy – especially his own – and he as very careful about how he used it."

How many *energy leaks* do we have in our daily lives? (Leaks such as angry words, distractions, or tampering in someone else's business while neglecting our own.)

How do I replenish my energy?

6. He Did the Difficult Things: **What difficult things are your instincts, right now, telling you to do?**
7. He Said Thank You: **Do you say thank you *before* you ask for something – from God, from your boss, from your staff?**
8. He Was Constantly in a State of Celebration: **How often...and what...do you celebrate? When was your last celebration?**
9. He Owned It:
 - a. "God has little use for people whose main concern is 'What would the neighbors think?' Leaders must be willing to sacrifice and take risks with their public image."

Are you willing to look foolish? Any examples?

10. He Worked Through His Fears: **What are the fears that are keeping you from your goals?**
11. He Prized the Seed Rather than the Bouquet: **Which of your activities would change, and how, if you were more interested in the seeds you were planting than the bouquets you were receiving?**