



# The Exceptional Project Manager

#### 5 Best Practices to Take Your Leadership From Ordinary to Extraordinary



### Happy 5<sup>th</sup> Birthday!!!









### The 5 Best Practices of World-Class Leaders

### Best Practice #1 Leadership begins with you.

I CAN'T DO EVERYTHING. BUT I CAN DO SOMETHING TO HELP SOMEBODY. AND WHAT I CAN DO, I WILL DO.

- OSEOLA McCARTY

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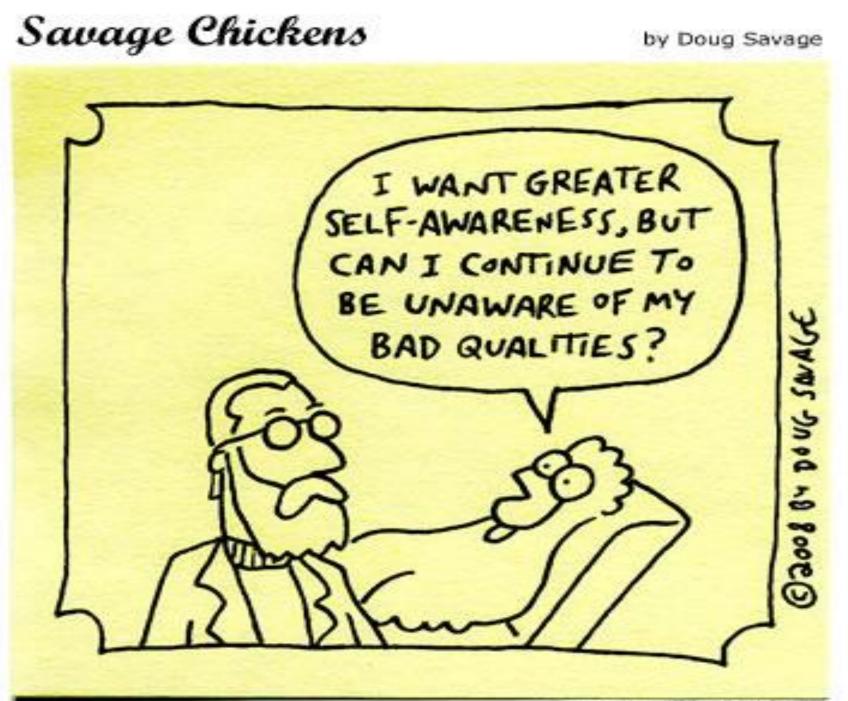


## World-class leaders hold themselves accountable.





# World-class leaders have high levels of self awareness.







### World-class leaders have higher levels of emotional intelligence.





### Best Practice #2 Leaders put people first.









### We have an innate need for belonging, connection and love, and to feel special.





#### **5 Practical Insights:** 1.Be authentic, real 2.Meet the people, talk to them 3.Say "Please" & "Thank You" 4.Under-promise, over-deliver 5.Make people feel significant





### Best Practice #3 Leaders do the right thing versus the easy thing.

"The price of discipline is always less than the pain of regret." Nido Qubein





### Success can breed apathy, complacency, and inefficiency.





## Commit to continuous improvement.





# Find the courage to move toward your resistance.





### Whatever is in the way, /S the way.

A boat that remains in the harbor never faces stormy seas... but that's not what boats were made for.

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#### Commit to 1% a day improvement. It's the slight edge that wins the race.

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### Best Practice #4 Leaders practice Self-leadership.





### World-class leaders live life from the inside out. They're not easily swayed by the influence of others.





### Best Practice #5 Leaders take care of their minds and bodies.



## What daily practices do you engage in to renew yourself?



Saying you don't have time to take care of your body is like saying you're too busy driving to stop for gas.

"The best time to plant a tree is twenty years ago. The second best time is now." - Chinese Proverb





# What is your legacy?

Success without fulfillment is failure.

"When you were born, you cried and the world rejoiced. Live your life so that when you die, the world cries and you rejoice"





### Review 5 Best Practices for Leadership

- World-class Leadership begins with YOU
- World-class Leaders put people first
- World-class Leaders do what's right vs. what's easy
- World-class Leaders practice self-leadership
- World-class Leaders care for their mind and body





### Thank you! Questions?





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