True con-science is made up of all the sciences of love and faith.					
	Commencement Speech iven by Steve Jobs	論語	Analects & translated by Legge etc	translated by Waley	
<u>http://www.you</u>	曾子有疾,孟敬子問之。	。曾	The philosopher Zeng being ill, Meng Jing went to ask how he was. Zeng said to him,		
<u>tube.com/watch</u>	子言曰:「鳥之將死,其	ŧ鳴	"When a bird is about to die, its notes are mo	ournful; when a man is about to die, his	
<u>?v=D1R-jKKp3NA</u>	也哀 ;人之將死, 其言也	善。	words are good.		
	子曰 :「吾十有五而志于學	, 三	The Master said, "At fifteen, I had my mind be	nt on learning. At thirty, I stood firm.	
	十而立,四十而不惑,五-	十而	At forty, I had no doubts. At fifty, I knew t	the decrees of Heaven. At sixty, my ear	
	知天命,六十而耳順,七-	十而	was an obedient organ for the reception of tr	uth. At seventy, I could follow what my	
	從心所欲,不踰矩。」		heart desired, without transgressing what was right."		
	1:子曰:「學而時習之,ス	不亦	The Master said, "Is it not pleasant to learn with a constant perseverance and		
	說乎?有朋自遠方來,不可	亦樂	application? Is it not delightful to have friends coming from distant quarters? Is he		
	乎?人不知而不慍,不亦家	君子	not a man of complete virtue, who feels no discomposure though men may take no note		
	乎?」		of him?"		
	子曰:「譬如為山, The	Mast	ter said, "The prosecution of learning may be	compared to what may happen in raising	
	未成一簣, 止, 吾 a m	ound.	d. If there want but one basket of earth to complete the work, and I stop, the stopping		
	止也;譬如平地, <u>is r</u>	my ov	<u>vn work.</u> It may be compared to throwing down t	he earth to fill the hole and level the	
	雖覆一簣,進,吾 gro	und.	. Though but one basketful is thrown at a time, the advancing with it is my own going		
	往也。」 <u>forward.</u> "				
砂上の楼閣	NIV: The Wise and Foo	lish	Builders NASB: <i>The Two Fou</i>	ndations	
(さじょう	(さじょう <mark>24</mark> "Therefore everyone who hears <u>these words of their</u> <b>24</b> "Therefore everyone who hears <u>these words of the</u>				
のろうか	<u>conscience</u> and puts th	nem i	nto practice is like a wise <u>conscience</u> and ac	ts on them, may be compared to a wise man	

<)	man who built his house on the	rock. 25The rain came	who built his house on the rock. <b>25</b> "And the rain fell, and
	down, the streams rose, and th	e winds blew and beat	the floods came, and the winds blew and slammed against
	against that house; yet it did n	ot fall, because it had	that house; and <i>yet</i> it did not fall, for it had been founded
	its foundation on the rock. 26	But everyone who hears	on the rock. <b>26</b> "Everyone who hears <u>these words of their</u>
	these words of their conscience	and does not put them	conscience and does not act on them, will be like a foolish
	into practice is like a foolish	man who built his house	man who built his house on the sand. <b>27</b> "The rain fell, and
	on sand. <b>27</b> The rain came down, th	ne streams rose, and the	the floods came, and the winds blew and slammed against
	winds blew and beat against that	house, and it fell with	that house; and it fell-and great was its fall."
	a great crash."		
	在陳絕糧,從者病,莫能 When he w	was in Chen, their provi	sions were exhausted, and his followers became so ill that
	興。子路慍見曰:「君子亦 they wer	e unable to rise. Zi Lu,	with evident dissatisfaction, said, "Has the superior man
	右窮乎?」子曰 「君子固 likewise	to endure in this way	?" The Master said, "The superior man may indeed have to
			when he is in want, gives way to unbridled license."
		<u>ant, but the mean man,</u>	
	窮,小人窮斯濫矣。」     endure w       冉求曰:「非不說子之道, 力不足	<mark>vant, but the mean man,</mark> Ran Qiu said, "It is n	when he is in want, gives way to unbridled license."
	窮,小人窮斯濫矣。」     endure w       冉求曰:「非不說子之道, 力不足	r <mark>ant, but the mean man,</mark> Ran Qiu said, "It is n is insufficient." The	when he is in want, gives way to unbridled license." ot that I do not delight in your doctrines, but my strength
	窮,小人窮斯濫矣。」     endure w       冉求曰:「非不說子之道, カ不足       也。」子曰:「カ不足者, 中道而廢。	r <mark>ant, but the mean man,</mark> Ran Qiu said, "It is n is insufficient." The over in the middle of	when he is in want, gives way to unbridled license." ot that I do not delight in your doctrines, but my strength Master said, "Those whose strength is insufficient give
	窮,小人窮斯濫矣。」     endure w       冉求曰:「非不說子之道, 力不足       也。」子曰:「力不足者, 中道而廢。       今女畫。」	rant, but the mean man, Ran Qiu said, "It is n is insufficient." The over in the middle of 志也。」 The Master said,	when he is in want, gives way to unbridled license." ot that I do not delight in your doctrines, but my strength Master said, "Those whose strength is insufficient give f the way <u>but now you limit yourself.</u> "
子曰:「旨	窮,小人窮斯濫矣。」       endure w         冉求曰:「非不說子之道,力不足         也。」子曰:「力不足者,中道而廢。         今女畫。」         子曰:「三軍可奪帥也,匹夫不可奪	rant, but the mean man, Ran Qiu said, "It is n is insufficient." The over in the middle of 志也。」 The Master said, off, but the w	<pre>when he is in want, gives way to unbridled license." ot that I do not delight in your doctrines, but my strength e Master said, "Those whose strength is insufficient give f the way but now you limit yourself." , "The commander of the forces of a large state may be carried</pre>
	窮,小人窮斯濫矣。」       endure w         冉求曰:「非不說子之道,力不足         也。」子曰:「力不足者,中道而廢。         今女畫。」         子曰:「三軍可奪帥也,匹夫不可奪         鄙夫!可與事君也與哉?	ant, but the mean man, Ran Qiu said, "It is n is insufficient." The over in the middle of 志也。」 The Master said, off, but the w aid, "There are those me	<pre>when he is in want, gives way to unbridled license." ot that I do not delight in your doctrines, but my strength e Master said, "Those whose strength is insufficient give f the way but now you limit yourself." , "The commander of the forces of a large state may be carried ill of even a common man cannot be taken from him."</pre>
其未得之	窮,小人窮斯濫矣。」       endure w         冉求曰:「非不說子之道,力不足         也。」子曰:「力不足者,中道而廢。         今女畫。」         子曰:「三軍可奪帥也,匹夫不可奪         歌夫!可與事君也與哉?         工也,患得之;既得之,	Ran Qiu said, "It is n is insufficient." The over in the middle of 志也。」 The Master said, off, but the w aid, "There are those me e[=conscience]! While t	<pre>when he is in want, gives way to unbridled license." ot that I do not delight in your doctrines, but my strength e Master said, "Those whose strength is insufficient give f the way but now you limit yourself." , "The commander of the forces of a large state may be carried ill of even a common man cannot be taken from him." an creatures! How impossible it is along with them to serve</pre>
其未得之	窮,小人窮斯濫矣。」       endure w         冉求曰:「非不說子之道,力不足         也。」子曰:「力不足者,中道而廢。         今女畫。」         子曰:「三軍可奪帥也,匹夫不可奪         歌夫!可與事君也與哉?         古患失之,無所不至矣。」	ant, but the mean man, Ran Qiu said, "It is n is insufficient." The over in the middle of 志也。」 The Master said, off, but the w aid, "There are those me e[=conscience]! While t	<pre>when he is in want, gives way to unbridled license." ot that I do not delight in your doctrines, but my strength a Master said, "Those whose strength is insufficient give f the way but now you limit yourself." , "The commander of the forces of a large state may be carried ill of even a common man cannot be taken from him." ean creatures! How impossible it is along with them to serve hey have not got their aims, their anxiety is how to get</pre>
其未得之	窮,小人窮斯濫矣。」       endure w         冉求曰:「非不說子之道,力不足         也。」子曰:「力不足者,中道而廢。         今女畫。」         子曰:「三軍可奪帥也,匹夫不可奪         歌夫!可與事君也與哉?         古患失之,無所不至矣。」         甘www.when the         自惑:	ant, but the mean man,Ran Qiu said, "It is nis insufficient." Theover in the middle of志也。」The Master said,off, but the waid, "There are those mee[=conscience]! While they have got them, theirnings should be lost, t	<pre>when he is in want, gives way to unbridled license." ot that I do not delight in your doctrines, but my strength e Master said, "Those whose strength is insufficient give f the way but now you limit yourself." , "The commander of the forces of a large state may be carried ill of even a common man cannot be taken from him." ean creatures! How impossible it is along with them to serve hey have not got their aims, their anxiety is how to get anxiety is lest they should lose them. When they are anxious</pre>

而廢。今女畫。 / 三軍可奪帥也,匹夫不可奪志也。 / 朝闻道 / 苏格拉属	£ / Bedtime	prayer /	吾日三省 /
为仁由己而不由人 / 修身齐家 / 修己安人 / 信而后劳	/ 人焉廋哉?	/ 大德	不逾
6/14/2005   <b>Steve Jobs</b>	如来	E How to	be born, it's not up to you.
Thank you. I'm honored to be with you today for your commencement from	one of the 精進	How to	live your life, how to leave
finest universities in the world. Truth be told, I never graduated fi	om college 善逝	the wo	rld, it's up to you.
and this is the closest I've ever gotten to a college graduation.	14,	子 The Mast	ter said, "Alas! there is no one
Today I want to tell you three stories from my life. That's it. No big	deal. Just 🖽 :	「莫 that kno	ows me." Zi Gong said, "What do
three stories. The first story is about connecting the dots.	我知	口也 you mear	n by thus saying - that no one
I dropped out of Reed College after the first six months but then sta	ayed around 夫!.	」子 knows yo	ou?" The Master replied, "I do not
as a drop-in for another eighteen months or so before I really quit.	So why did 貢 E	∃ : murmur a	against Heaven. I do not grumble
I drop out? It started before I was born. My biological mother was a y	oung, unwed 「 佢	可為 against	men. My studies lie low, and my
graduate student, and she decided to put me up for adoption. She felt ve	ry strongly 其 莫	を知 penetra	tion rises high. But there is
that I should be adopted by college graduates, so everything was all	set for me 子也	?」 Heaven ·	- that knows me!"
to be adopted at birth by a lawyer and his wife, <code>except that when I</code> (	oopped out, 子 E	∃ : Tsze-hs	ia said, "He, who from day to day
they decided at the last minute that they really wanted a girl. So my p	arents, who 「 주	「怨 recognia	zes what he has
were on a waiting list, got a call in the middle of the night asking,	<u>"We've got</u> 天, ス	不尤 not yet,	and from month to month does not
an unexpected baby boy. Do you want him?" They said, "Of course." My	biological 人。 <sup>-</sup>	下學 forget v	what he has
mother found out later that my mother had never graduated from colleg	ge and that 而上:	達。 attaine	d to, may be said indeed to love
my father had never graduated from high school. She refused to sign	the final 知我:	者, to lear	n. ″
adoption papers. She only relented a few months later when my parents pr	omised that 其	天	
I would go to college	乎!	L	
This was the start in my life. And seventeen 4子曰:「士志於道, 而恥惡衣惡食者,	The Master said,	"A scholar,	whose mind is set on truth, and
years later, I did go to college, but I 未足與議也。」	who is ashamed of	bad clothes	and bad food, is not fit to be
naïvely chose a college that was almost as [1-14] 子曰。君子食無求飽、居無求	discoursed with."		

expensive as Stanford, and all of my	安、敏於事而愼於言、就有道而正焉、	* The Cost of Following Jesus[conscience]	
working-class parents' savings were being	可謂好學也已。 <b>[1:14]</b> The Master	<b>19</b> Then a teacher of the law came to him and said, "Teacher, I	
spent on my college tuition. After six	said: "When the noble man eats he	will follow you wherever you go." 20Jesus replied, "Foxes have	
months, I couldn't see the value in it. I	does not try to stuff himself; at	dens and birds have nests, but the Son of Man has no place to	
had no idea what I wanted to do with my life,	-	lay his head."	
and no idea of how college was going to help	rest he does not seek perfect		
me figure it out, and here I was, spending	comfort; he is diligent in his work	<u>* Discipleship Tested</u>	
all the money my parents had saved their	and careful in speech. He avails	<b>19</b> Then a scribe came and said to Him, "Teacher, I will follow	
entire life. So I decided to drop out and	himself to people of the Way and	You wherever You go." <b>20</b> Jesus said to him, "The foxes have holes	
trust that it would all work out OK. It was	thereby corrects himself. This is	and the birds of the air <i>have</i> nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere	
pretty scary at the time, <b><u>but looking back,</u></b>	the kind of person of whom you can	to lay His head."	
it was one of the best decisions I ever made.	say, 'he loves learning.'"		
The minute I dropped out, I could stop		*The Master said, "Admirable indeed was the virtue of Hui! With	
taking the required classes that didn't	[6-11] 子曰。賢哉、囘也 一簞食、一	a single bamboo dish of rice, a single gourd dish of drink, and	
interest me and begin dropping in on the	瓢飮、在陋巷、人不堪其憂、囘也不改	living in his mean narrow lane, while others could not have	
ones that looked far more interesting	其樂。賢哉、囘也 。 <mark>[6:11]</mark> The Master	endured the distress, he did not allow his joy to be affected	
<u>It wasn't all romantic. I didn't have a dorm</u>	said: "Hui was indeed a worthy!With	by it. Admirable indeed was the virtue of Hui!"	
room, so I slept on the floor in friends'	a single bamboo bowl of rice and	Comment In Confucian and Daoist thought, the term xian	
rooms. I returned Coke bottles for the	gourd-cup of water he lived in a back	( "worthy") means "good, kind, intelligent, courageous," etc.	
five-cent deposits to buy food with, and I	alley. Others could not have endured	But it is also a technical term for a person of a high level	
would walk the seven miles across town every	his misery, but Hui never changed	of moral and intellectual advancement. Generally speaking, it	
Sunday night to get one good meal a week at	from his happy disposition. Hui was	indicates someone who is "almost perfect" but who is not a	
the Hare Krishna temple. I loved it.			
	a <i>worthy</i> indeed!"	"divine being," a sage.	

And much of what I stumbled into by	2子曰:「由!誨女知之	
following my curiosity and intuition		Knowledge Socrates
turned out to be priceless later on. Let	<u>不知,是知也。</u> 」The Master	One of the best known sayings of Socrates is "what I do not know I do not
me give you one example.	said, "You, shall I	think I know". The conventional interpretation of this remark is that
Reed College at that time offered	teach you what knowledge	
perhaps the best calligraphy	is? When you know a	Socrates' wisdom was limited to an awareness of his own ignorance. <u>Socrates</u>
	-	believed wrongdoing was a consequence of ignorance and those who did wrong
instruction in the country. Throughout	thing, to hold that you	<b>knew no better.</b> The one thing Socrates consistently claimed to have
the campus every poster, every label on		knowledge of was <u>"the art of love",</u> which he connected with the concept
every drawer was beautifully	not know a thing, <u>to</u>	of "the love of wisdom", i.e., philosophy. He never actually claimed to
hand-calligraphed. Because I had	allow that you do not	be wise, only to understand the path a lover of wisdom <b>must take in pursuing</b>
dropped out and didn't have to take the	<u>know it - this is</u>	it. It is debatable whether Socrates believed humans (as opposed to gods
normal classes, I decided to take a	<u>knowledge."</u>	like Apollo) could actually become wise. On the one hand, he drew a clear
calligraphy class to learn how to do	[2:17] The Master said:	line between human ignorance and ideal knowledge; on the other, Plato's
this. I learned about serif and	"You, shall I teach you	Symposium (Diotima's Speech) and Republic (Allegory of the Cave) describe
sans-serif typefaces, about varying	about knowledge? What	a method for ascending to wisdom.
the amount of space between different	you know, you know, what	
letter combinations, about what makes	you don't know, you	[Comment] The stage of "knowing what you know and knowing what you don't know" is
great typography great. <b>It was</b>	don't know. This is	not easy to attain. It has been noted in the teachings of other religious traditions
<u>beautiful, historical, artistically</u>	knowledge."	to be a very high level of attainment.
<u>subtle in a way that science can't</u>		
<u>capture, and I found it fascinating.</u>		
None of this had even a hope of any	1 子曰 :「學而時習之,不	
practical application in my life. But	亦說乎?有朋自遠方來,	$\ast$ The Master "Is it not pleasant to learn with a constant perseverance and
ten years later when we were designing	不亦樂乎?人不知而不	application? "Is it not delightful to have friends coming from distant
the first Macintosh computer, it all	慍,不亦君子乎?」	quarters? "Is he not a man of complete virtue, who feels no discomposure

came back to me, and we designed it all 子曰:「吾十有五而志		5于 though men may take no	note of him?"	
into the Mac. It was the first computer 學, 三十而立, 四十而		不 The Master said, "At fifteen, I had my mind bent on learning. At thirty,		
with beautiful typography. If I had	惑,五十而知天命,六	<pre>x+ I stood firm. At forty,</pre>	I had no doubts. At fifty, I knew the decrees of	
never dropped in on that single course	而耳順,七十而從心所行	欲, Heaven. At sixty, my ear	was an obedient organ for the reception of truth.	
in college, the Mac would have never had	不踰矩。」	At seventy, I could fol	low what my heart desired, without transgressing	
multiple typefaces or proportionally		what was right."		
spaced fonts, and since Windows just				
copied the Mac, it's likely that no	19 子夏曰:「日知其所て	±, Zi Xia said, "He, who	o from day to day recognizes what he has not	
personal computer would have them.	月無忘其所能,可謂好	子學 yet, and from month t	o month does not forget what he has attained	
	也已矣。」	to, may be said inde	ed to love to learn."	
If I had never dropped out, I would hav	e never dropped in			
on that calligraphy class and personals o	computers might not	1 子曰 :「不患人之不己知,	The Master said, "I will not be afflicted at men's	
have the wonderful typography that the	ey do.	患不知人也。」	not knowing	
Of course it was impossible to connec	<u>t the dots looking</u>		me; I will be afflicted that I do not know men." $\!$	
forward when I was in college, but it wa	<u>as very, very clear</u>			
looking backwards 10 years later. Again	<u>, you can't connect</u>	14 子曰:「不患人之不己知,	The Master said, "I will not be concerned at men's	
the dots looking forward. You can only c	onnect them looking	患其不能也。	not knowing	
backwards, so you have to trust that the	<u>e dots will somehow</u>		me; I will be concerned at my own want of ability."	
<u>connect in your future. You hav</u>	ve to trust in			
somethingyour gut, destiny,	life, karma,	15 子曰 :「君子病無能焉,不	The Master said, "The superior man is distressed	
whateverbecause believing that the	dots will connect	病人之不己知也。」	by his want of	
down the road will give you the confide	ence to follow your		ability. He is not distressed by men's not knowing	
<u>heart, even when it leads you off the w</u>	vell-worn path, and		him."	
that will make all the difference.				

My second story is about love and loss. I was lucky. <u>I found what I loved to do early in life.</u> Woz	子曰:	The Master said, "See
and I started Apple in my parents' garage when I was twenty. We worked hard and in ten years, Apple	「視其	what a man does. Mark
had grown from just the two of us in a garage into a \$2 billion company with over 4,000 employees.	所以, 觀	his motives. Examine
We'd just released our finest creation, the Macintosh, a year earlier, and I'd just turned thirty,	其所由,	in what things he
and then I got fired. How can you get fired from a company you started? Well, as Apple grew, we	察其所	rests. How can a man
hired someone who I thought was very talented to run the company with me, and for the first year	安。人焉	conceal his
or so, things went well. But then our visions of the future began to diverge, and eventually we	廋 哉 ?	character? How can a
had a falling out. When we did, our board of directors sided with him, and so at thirty, I was out,	人 焉 廋	man conceal his
and very publicly out. What had been the focus of my entire adult life was gone, and it was	哉?」	character?"
devastating. I really didn't know what to do for a few months. I felt that I had let the previous		
generation of entrepreneurs down, that I had dropped the baton as it was being passed to me. I met	14, 子	Zi Lu happening to
with David Packard and Bob Noyce and tried to apologize for screwing up so badly. I was a very public	路宿於	pass the night in Shi
failure and I even thought about running away from the Valley. But something slowly began to dawn	石門。晨	Men, the gatekeeper
on me. I still loved what I did. The turn of events at Apple had not changed that one bit. I'd been	門曰:	said to him, "Whom do
rejected but I was still in love. And so I decided to start over.	「奚	you come from?"Zi Lu
I didn't see it then, but it turned out that getting fired from Apple was the best thing that could	自?」子	said, "From Mr.
have ever happened to me. The heaviness of being successful was replaced by the lightness of being	路日:	Kong.″″It is he, is
a beginner again, less sure about everything. It freed me to enter one of the most creative periods	「自孔	it not?" said the
in my life. During the next five years I started a company named NeXT, another company named Pixar	氏。」曰:	other, "who knows the
and fell in love with an amazing woman who would become my wife. Pixar went on to create the world's	「是知	impracticable nature
first computer-animated feature film, "Toy Story," and is now the most successful animation studio	其 不 可	of the times and yet
in the world.	而為之	will be doing in
In a remarkable turn of events, Apple bought NeXT and I returned to Apple and the technology we	者與?」	them."
developed at NeXT is at the heart of Apple's current renaissance, and Lorene and I have a wonderful		
family together.		

I'm pretty sure none of this would	15 子曰:「群居終	The Master said, "When a number of people are together, for a
have happened if I hadn't been fired	日,言不及義,好行	whole day, without their conversation turning on righteousness,
from Apple. <u>It was awful-tasting</u>	小慧,難矣哉!」	and when they are fond of carrying out the suggestions of a small
medicine but I guess the patient		shrewdness;-theirs is indeed a hard case."
needed it. Sometimes life's going		
to hit you in the head with a brick.	2 子曰:「學而不思則	The Master said, "Learning without thought is labor lost; thought without learning
Don't lose faith. I'm convinced	罔,思而不學則殆。」	is perilous."
that the only thing that kept me		
going was that I loved what I did.	15 子曰:「不曰『如	The Master said, "When a man is not in the habit of saying-
You've got to find what you love,	之何如之何』者,吾	'What shall I think of this? What shall I think of this?' I can
and that is as true for work as it	末如之何也已矣。」	indeed do nothing with him!"
is for your lovers. Your work is	2 子曰:「吾與回言終	The Master said, "I have talked with Hui for a whole day, and he has not made any
going to fill a large part of your	日,不違如愚。退而	objection to anything I said – as if he were stupid. He has retired, and I have examined
life, and the only way to be truly	省其私,亦足以發。	his conduct when away from me, and found him able to illustrate my teachings. Hui!
satisfied is to do what you believe	回也,不愚。」	- He is not stupid."
is great work, and the only way to		<b>[5:9]</b> Confucius, speaking to Zi Gong said, "Who is superior, you or Hui?" Zi Gong
do great work is to love what you	[5-9] 子謂子貢曰。	
<u>do.</u> If you haven't found it yet,	女與囘也、孰愈 對	answered, saying: "How could I compare myself to Hui? He hears one point and
keep looking, and don't settle. As	日。賜也、何敢望囘。	understands the whole thing. I hear one point and understand a second one." Confucius
with all matters of the heart,	囘也、聞一以知十。	said, "You are not equal to him; you and I, we are not equal to him. <sup>8</sup> "
you'll know when you find it, and	賜也、聞一知二。子	The Master said to Tsze-kung, "Which do you consider superior,
like any great relationship it just	曰。弗如也。 吾與	yourself or Hui?" Tsze-kung replied, "How dare I compare myself with Hui? Hui hears
gets better and better as the years	女、弗如也。	one point and knows all about a subject; I hear one point, and know a second." The
<u>roll on. So keep looking. Don't</u>		Master said, "You are not equal to him. I grant you, you are not equal to him."
<u>settle.</u>		

My third story is about death. When I	4子曰:「朝聞道,	The Master said, "If a man in the morning hear the right way, he may die in the evening
was 17 I read a quote that went	夕死可矣。」	without regret."
something like <u><b>"If you live each day as</b></u>	NIV: <u>26</u> What	
<u>if it was your last, someday you'll</u>	good will it be	The Death of Jesus:
<b>most certainly be right."</b> It made an	for someone to	NAS: 6 "For what will it profit a man if he gains the whole world and forfeits his soul?
impression on me, and since then, for	gain the whole	Or what will a man give in exchange for his soul?27 "For the Son of Man is going to come
the past 33 years, I have looked in the	world, yet	in the glory of His Father with His angels, and <u>WILL THEN REPAY EVERY MAN ACCORDING TO</u>
mirror every morning and asked myself,	forfeit their	HIS DEEDS.
"If today were the last day of my life,	soul? Or what	Luke 23 NIV: $\underline{44}$ It was now about noon, and darkness came over the whole land until three
would I want to do what I am about to	can anyone give	in the afternoon, ${\bf 45}$ for the sun stopped shining. And the curtain of the temple was torn
do today?" And whenever the answer has	in exchange for	in two. <u>46</u> Jesus called out with a loud voice, "Father, into your hands I commit my spirit."
been "no" for too many days in a row,	their soul?	º When he had said this, he breathed his last.
I know I need to change something.	27For the Son	47The centurion, seeing what had happened, praised God and said, "Surely this was a
Remembering that I'll be dead soon is	of Man is going	righteous man." $48$ When all the people who had gathered to witness this sight saw what
the most important thing I've ever	to come in his	took place, they beat their breasts and went away. $\underline{49}$ But all those who knew him, including
encountered to help me make the big	Father'sglory	the women who had followed him from Galilee, stood at a distance, watching these things.
choices in life, <u>because almost</u>	with his	Luke 23 NAS:
everything-all external	angels, <u>and</u>	44It was now about the sixth hour, and darkness fell over the whole land until the ninth
expectations, all pride, all fear of	<u>then he will</u>	hour, ${f 45}$ because the sun was obscured; and the veil of the temple was torn in two. ${f 46}$ And
embarrassment or failure—these	<u>reward each</u>	Jesus, crying out with a loud voice, said, "Father, INTO YOUR HANDS I COMMIT MY SPIRIT."
things just fall away in the face of	person	Having said this, He breathed His last. <b>47</b> Now when the centurion saw what had happened,
death, leaving only what is truly	<u>according to</u>	he <i>began</i> praising God, saying, "Certainly this man was innocent." <b>48</b> And all the crowds
important. Remembering that you are	<u>what they have</u>	who came together for this spectacle, when they observed what had happened, began to

going to die is the best way I know to	<u>done.</u>	return, beating their breasts. 49And all His acquaintances and the women who accompanied
avoid the trap of thinking you have	' Bedtime	Him from Galilee were standing at a distance, seeing these things.
something to lose. You are already	P <u>rayer</u> '	The Death of Jesus Matthew 27 NIV:
naked. There is no reason not to follow	<u>Now I lay me</u>	<b><u>38</u></b> Two rebels were crucified with him, one on his right and one on his left. <b><u>39</u></b> Those who
<u>your heart.</u>	<u>down to sleep</u>	passed by hurled insults at him, shaking their heads <u>40</u> and saying, "You who are going
About a year ago, I was diagnosed with	is a classic	to destroy the temple and build it in three days, save yourself! Come down from the cross,
cancer. I had a scan at $7:30$ in the	children's	if you are the Son of God!" $41$ In the same way the chief priests, the teachers of the
morning and it clearly showed a tumor	bedtime prayer	law and the elders mocked him. $\underline{42}$ "He saved others," they said, "but he can't save
on my pancreas. I didn't even know what	from the 18th	himself! He's the king of Israel! Let him come down now from the cross, and we will believe
a pancreas was. The doctors told me	century.	in him. 43He trusts in God. Let God rescue him now if he wants him, for he said, 'I am
this was almost certainly a type of		the Son of God.' " 44In the same way the rebels who were crucified with him also heaped
cancer that is incurable, <u>and that I</u>	Perhaps the	insults on him.
should expect to live no longer than	earliest	<b>45</b> From noon until three in the afternoon darkness came over all the land. <b>46</b> About three
three to six months. My doctor advised	version was	in the afternoon Jesus cried out in a loud voice, "Eli, Eli, $^{\circ}$ lemasabachthani?" (which
<u>me to go home and get my affairs in</u>	written by	means "My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?").ª
order, which is doctors' code for	<u>Joseph Addison</u>	47When some of those standing there heard this, they said, "He's calling Elijah."
<u>"prepare to die."</u> It means to try and	in an essay	<b><u>48</u></b> Immediately one of them ran and got a sponge. He filled it with wine vinegar, put it
tell your kids everything you thought	appearing in	on a staff, and offered it to Jesus to drink. <u>49</u> The rest said, "Now leave him alone.
you'd have the next ten years to tell	<u>The Spectator</u>	Let's see if Elijah comes to save him."
them, in just a few months. It means to	on March 8,	50And when Jesus had cried out again in a loud voice, he gave up his spirit.
make sure that everything is buttoned	1711. It says:	*****Matthew 27 NAS:
up so that it will be as easy as	When I lov me	<b>38</b> At that time two robbers were crucified with Him, one on the right and one on the
possible for your family. It means to	When I lay me down to Sleep,	left. <b>39</b> And those passing by were hurling abuse at Him, wagging their heads <b>40</b> and saying,
say your goodbyes.	• •	"You who <i>are going to</i> destroy the temple and rebuild it in three days, save Yourself!
I lived with that diagnosis all day.	I recommend my	If You are the Son of God, come down from the cross." <b>41</b> In the same way the chief priests

Later that evening I had a biopsy where they stuck an endoscope down my throat. through my stomach into my intestines. put a needle into my pancreas and got a few cells from the tumor. I was sedated but my wife, who was there. told me that when they viewed the cells under a microscope. the doctor started crying, because it turned out to be a very rare form of pancreatic cancer that is curable with surgery. I had the surgery and, thankfully, I am fine now. This was the closest I've been to facing death, and I hope it's the closest I get for a few more decades. Having lived through it, I can now say this to you with a bit more certainty than when death was a useful but purely intellectual concept. No one wants to die, even people who want to go to Heaven don't want to die to get there. and vet. death is the destination we all share. No one has ever escaped it. And that is as it should be, because death is very likely the single best

care:

to his

Direction.

printed in *The* 

New England

Primer goes:

Now I lay me

down to sleep.

I pray the Lord

If I shall die

before I wake.

I pray the Lord

my soul to

take. Amen

24 NIV

4 Jesus

my soul to

keep.

self to his also, along with the scribes and elders, were mocking *Him* and saving, **42** "He saved others; He cannot save Himself. He is the King of Israel; let Him now come down from the cross. and we will believe in Him. 43 "HE TRUSTS IN GOD; LET GOD RESCUE *Him* now. IF HE DELIGHTS when I awake. I IN HIM; for He said. 'I am the Son of God.'" **44**The robbers who had been crucified with give my self up Him were also insulting Him with the same words.

**45**Now from the sixth hour darkness fell upon all the land until the ninth hour. **46**About the ninth hour Jesus cried out with a loud voice, saving, "ELI, ELI, LAMA SABACHTHANI?" A later version that is, "MY GOD, MY GOD, WHY HAVE YOU FORSAKEN ME?" **47**And some of those who were standing there, when they heard it, *began* saying, "This man is calling for Elijah." **48**Immediately one of them ran, and taking a sponge, he filled it with sour wine and put it on a reed. and gave Him a drink. **49**But the rest *of them* said. "Let us see whether Elijah will come to save Him." **50**And Jesus cried out again with a loud voice, and vielded up His spirit. **51**And behold, the veil of the temple was torn in two from top to bottom; and the earth shook and the rocks were split. 52 The tombs were opened, and many bodies of the saints who had fallen as leep were raised; **53** and coming out of the tombs after His resurrection they entered the holy city and appeared to many. **54**Now the centurion, and those who were with him keeping guard over Jesus, when they saw the earthquake and the things that were happening, became very frightened and said. "Truly this was the Son of God!"

## Barack Obama's Inaugural Address 2008

So let us mark this day in remembrance of who we are and how far we have traveled. In the year of America's birth, in the coldest of months, a small band of patriots huddled by dving campfires on the shores of an icy river.

The capital was abandoned. The enemy was advancing. The snow was stained with blood. At a moment when the outcome of our revolution was most in doubt. the father of our nation ordered these words be read to the people:

invention of life. It's life's change	answered:	"Let it be told to the future world that in the depth of winter, when nothing but hope
agent; it clears out the old to make	" Watch out	and virtue could survive, that the city and the country, alarmed at one common danger,
way for the new. right now, the new is	that no one	came forth to meet it."
you. But someday, not too long from	deceives you.	America, in the face of our common dangers, in this winter of our hardship, let us remember
now, you will gradually become the old	<u>5</u> For many will	these timeless words; with hope and virtue, let us brave once more the icy currents, and
and be cleared away. Sorry to be so	come in my	endure what storms may come; let it be said by our children's children that when we were
dramatic, but it's quite true. <b>Your</b>	name,	tested we refused to let this journey end, that we did not turn back nor did we falter;
time is limited, so don't waste it	claiming, 'I	and with eyes fixed on the horizon and God's grace upon us, we carried forth that great
living someone else's life. Don't be	am the	gift of freedom and delivered it safely to future generations.
trapped by dogma, which is living with	Messiah,' and	臨終正念、証大菩提
the results of other people's	will deceive	
thinking. Don't let the noise of	many. <u>6</u> You will	Now I lay me down to sleep,
others' opinions drown out your own	hear of wars	I pray the Lord my soul to keep,
inner voice, heart and intuition. They	and rumors of	His Love to guard me through the night,
somehow already know what you truly	wars, but see	And wake me in the morning's light.
want to become. <u>Everything else is</u>	to it that you	New Toley, we down the close
<u>secondary.</u>	are not	Now I lay me down to sleep,
When I was young, there was an amazing	alarmed. Such	I pray the Lord my soul to keep,
publication called The Whole Earth	things must	thy angels watch me through the night,
Catalogue, which was one of the bibles	happen, but the	And keep me safe till morning's light.
of my generation. It was created by a	end is still to	Now I lay me down to sleep,
fellow named Stuart Brand not far from	come. <u>7</u> Nation	I pray the Lord my soul to keep,
here in Menlo Park, and he brought it	will rise	If I should die before I wake, Bless me Lord my soul to take.
to life with his poetic touch. This was	against	
in the late Sixties, before personal	nation, and	

computers and desktop publishing, so	kingdom	Now I lay me down to sleep,
it was all made with typewriters,	against	I pray the Lord my soul to keep.
scissors, and Polaroid cameras. it was	kingdom. There	Angels watch me through the night,
sort of like Google in paperback form	will be famines	And wake me with the morning light. Amen
thirty-five years before Google came	and	
along. I was idealistic, overflowing	earthquakes in	Now I lay me down to sleep,
with neat tools and great notions.	various	I pray the Lord my soul to keep.
Stuart and his team put out several	places. <mark>8</mark> All	Guide me safely through the night,
issues of the The Whole Earth	these are the	Wake me with the morning light. Amen
Catalogue, and then when it had run its	beginning of	
course, they put out a final issue. It	birth pains.	(Additional third verse)
was the mid-Seventies and I was your	11and many	If I should live another day
age. On the back cover of their final	false prophets	I pray the Lord to guide my
issue was a photograph of an early	will appear and	
morning country road, the kind you	deceive many	
might find yourself hitchhiking on if	people.	
you were so adventurous. Beneath were	<u>12</u> Because of	
the words, "Stay hungry, stay	the increase of	
foolish." It was their farewell	wickedness,	
message as they signed off. "Stay	the love of	
hungry, stay foolish." <mark>And I have</mark>	most will grow	
always wished that for myself, and	_	
now, as you graduate to begin anew, I		Don't become anyone's fool!
wish that for you. Stay hungry, stay	firm to the end	24 NAS
foolish.Thank you all, very much.**	will be saved.	
	1	

	4And Jesus answered and said to them, "See to it that no one misleads you.5 "For ma	
	<u>will come in My na</u>	ame, saying, 'I am the Christ,' and will mislead many. <mark>6</mark> "You will be
	<u>hearing of wars a</u>	and rumors of wars. See that you are not frightened, for <i>those things</i>
	<u>must take place,</u>	but <i>that</i> is not yet the end. 7 "For nation will rise against nation, and
	<u>kingdom against k</u>	kingdom, and in various places there will be famines and earthquakes.8
	<u>"But all these t</u>	things are <i>merely</i> the beginning of birth pangs.
	<b>11_</b> "Many false p	rophets will arise and will mislead many. 12 "Because lawlessness is
	increased, most p	people's love will grow cold. <b>13</b> "But the one who endures to the end,
	<u>he will be saved.</u>	_
	I	
12 顏淵問仁。	,子曰:「克己復禮為仁。	Yan Yuan asked about perfect virtue. The Master said, "To subdue one's self
一日克己復祠	豊, 天下歸仁焉。為仁由	and return to propriety, is perfect virtue. If a man can for one day subdue
己,而由人手	乎哉?」顏淵曰:「請問	himself and return to propriety, all under heaven will ascribe perfect virtue to
其目。」子曰	:「非禮勿視, 非禮勿聽,	him. Is the practice of perfect virtue from a man himself, or is it from others?"
非禮勿言,非	<b>⊧禮勿動。」顏淵曰:「回</b>	Yan Yuan said, "I beg to ask the steps of that process." The Master replied,
雖不敏,請問	事斯語矣。」	"Look not at what is contrary to propriety; listen not to what is contrary to
		propriety; speak not what is contrary to propriety; make no movement which
		is contrary to propriety." Yan Yuan then said, "Though I am deficient in
		intelligence and vigor, I will make it my business to practice this lesson."
1 曾子曰:「	吾日三省吾身:為人謀	
而不忠乎?	與朋友交而不信乎?傳	The philosopher Zeng said, "I daily examine myself on three points: whether,
不習乎?」		in transacting business for others, I may have been not faithful; whether, in
		intercourse with friends, I may have been not sincere; whether I may have
		not mastered and practiced the instructions of my teacher."

19子夏曰:「君子信而後勞其民,未	
信則以為厲己也;信而後諫,未信則	Zi Xia said, "The superior man, having obtained their confidence, may then
以為謗己也。」	impose labors on his people. If he have not gained their confidence, they will
	think that he is oppressing them. Having obtained the confidence of his
	prince, one may then remonstrate with him. If he have not gained his
	confidence, the prince will think that he is vilifying him."
*25于是耶稣把他们召来,说:"你	
们知道,外邦人有首领压制他们,也	INV: 7As you go, proclaim this message: 'The kingdom of heaven has come
有为大的管辖他们。 <b>26你</b> 们当中却	near.' <u>8</u> Heal the sick, raise the dead, cleanse those who have leprosy, <sup>a</sup> drive out
不是这样;相反,谁想在你们当中为	demons. Freely you have received; freely give.
大,谁就该做你们的仆人; <b>27无</b> 论	<b><u>9</u></b> "Do not get any gold or silver or copper to take with you in your belts— <u><b>10</b></u> no bag
谁想在你们当中为首,谁就该做你们	for the journey or extra shirt or sandals or a staff, for the worker is worth his keep.
的奴仆, <b>28就像人子来不是</b> 为了受	11 Whatever town or village you enter, search there for some worthy person and
人的服事, 而是为了服事人, 并且献	stay at their house until you leave. $\underline{12}$ As you enter the home, give it your greeting.
上自己的生命, 替许多人做救赎的代	13 If the home is deserving, let your peace rest on it; if it is not, let your peace
价。"	return to you. $14$ If anyone will not welcome you or listen to your words, leave that
*25耶稣把门徒们叫过来,对他们	home or town and shake the dust off your feet.
说:"你们知道,非犹太人的统治	NAS: 7"And as you go, preach, saying, 'The kingdom of heaven is at
者们热衷于炫耀他们统治人民的权	hand.'8"Heal the sick, raise the dead, cleanse the lepers, cast out demons. Freely
<b>力</b> , 他们的首领们还热衷于对人民	you received, freely give.9"Do not acquire gold, or silver, or copper for your
滥用权力。 <b>26但是,在你</b> 们中间,不	money belts, 10 or a bag for your journey, or even two coats, or sandals, or a staff;
该这样。谁想在你们当中出人头地,	for the worker is worthy of his support.11"And whatever city or village you enter,
谁就必须做你们的仆人; 27 谁想在	inquire who is worthy in it, and stay at his house until you leave that city.12"As
你们中间居先,谁就必须做你们的	you enter the house, give it your greeting.13"If the house is worthy, give it your
奴仆。28你们应该像人子一样,人	blessing of peace. But if it is not worthy, take back your blessing of

子来不是让人伺候他的,他来是为 了服侍他人的,而且,为了拯救众 人,他还牺牲了自己的生命。"	peace.14"Whoever does not receive you, nor heed your words, as you go out of that house or that city, shake the dust off your feet.
子曰:「溫故而知新,可以為師矣。」	<b>25</b> Jesus called them together and said, "You know that the rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and their high officials exercise authority over them. <b>26</b> Not so with you. Instead, whoever wants to become great among you must be your servant, <b>27</b> and whoever wants to be first must be your slave— <b>28</b> just as the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many."
	The Master said, "If a man keeps cherishing his old knowledge, so as continually to be acquiring new, he may be a teacher of others."