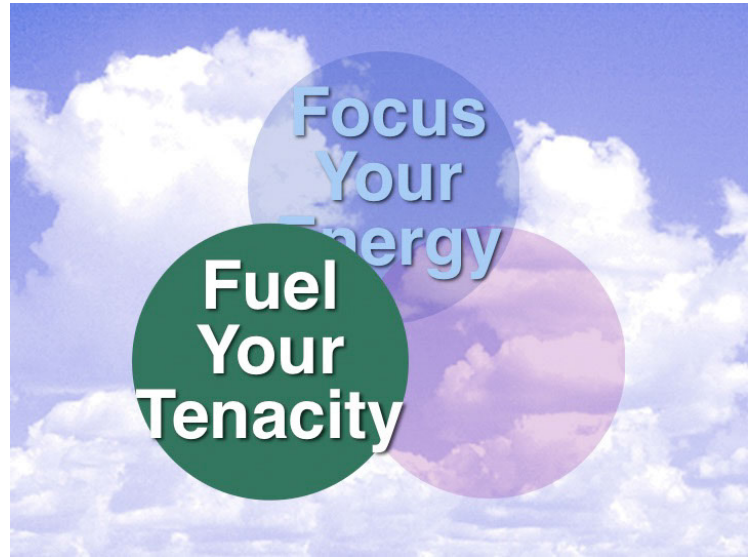
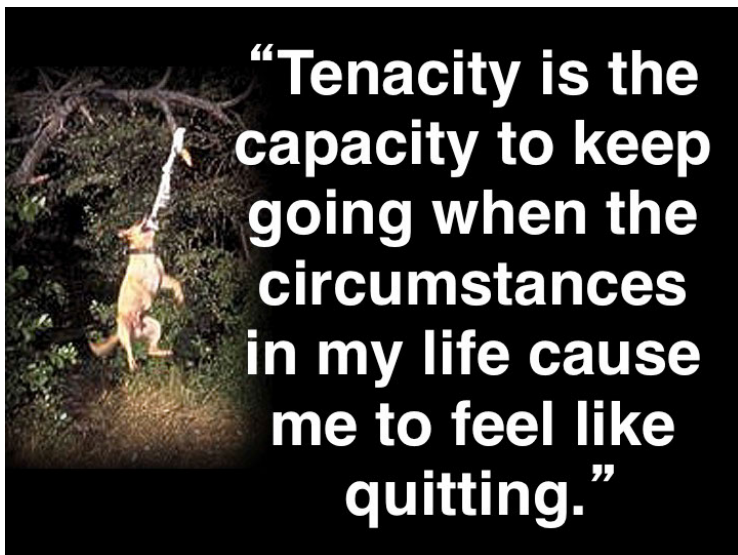




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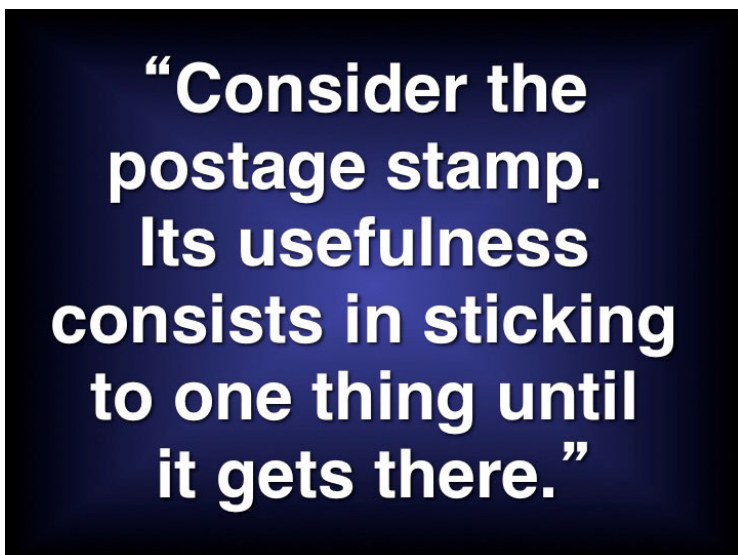
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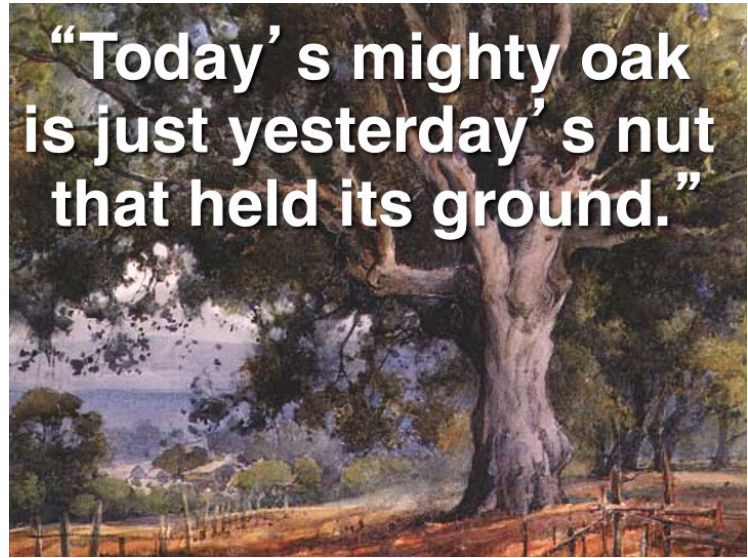
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Tenacity is an  
Endangered Life  
Quality in Our Day

- **Quitting is Easy**
- **Quitting is Costly**

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“Today’s mighty oak  
is just yesterday’s nut  
that held its ground.”



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Tenacity is a  
Valued Life  
Quality in  
Scripture

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“So don't get tired of  
doing what is good.  
Don't get discouraged  
and give up, for we will  
reap a harvest of blessing  
at the appropriate time.”  
**Galatians 6:9**

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“Therefore, since we  
are surrounded by  
such a huge crowd of  
witnesses to the life  
of faith, let us strip off  
every weight that  
slows us down,

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“especially the sin that  
so easily hinders our  
progress. And let us  
run with endurance the  
race that God has set  
before us.”  
**Hebrews 12:1**

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**Tenacity is a  
Greater Life  
Quality Than  
Talent**

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**Tenacity is a Greater  
Life Quality Than Talent**

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**Focus on the  
outcome, not  
the obstacles**

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**“What I believe about  
life determines how I  
perceive life, which  
determines what I  
receive from life.”**

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**“We do this by keeping  
our eyes on Jesus, on  
whom our faith depends  
from start to finish.  
He was willing to die a  
shameful death on the  
cross because of the joy**

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**“he knew would be his  
afterward. Now he is  
seated in the place of  
highest honor beside  
God's throne  
in heaven.”**

**Hebrews 12:2**

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## Tenacity is a Greater Life Quality Than Talent

**F**ocus on the outcome, not the obstacles  
**U**nhitch your load of limitations

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“The will to persevere is often the difference between failure and success.”  
**--David Sarnoff**

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## Tenacity is a Greater Life Quality Than Talent

**F**ocus on the outcome, not the obstacles  
**U**nhitch your load of limitations  
**E**xercise persistence in the face of resistance

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“Never give in! Never give in! Never, never, never. Never--in anything great or small, large or petty-- never give in except to convictions of honor and good sense.”  
**--Winston Churchill**

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“Great works are performed not by strength, but by perseverance.”

**--Samuel Jackson**

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## Tenacity is a Greater Life Quality Than Talent

**F**ocus on the outcome, not the obstacles  
**U**nhitch your load of limitations  
**E**xercise persistence in the face of resistance  
**L**et God strengthen your stamina

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**“Have you never heard or understood? Don’t you know that the LORD is the everlasting God, the Creator of all the earth? He never grows faint or weary.”**

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**“No one can measure the depths of his understanding. He gives power to those who are tired and worn out; he offers strength to the weak.”**

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**“Even youths will become exhausted, and young men will give up. But those who wait on the LORD will find new strength.”**

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**“They will fly high on wings like eagles. They will run and not grow weary. They will walk and not faint.”**

**Isaiah 40:28-31**

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**I’ve dreamed many dreams that never came true,  
I’ve seen them vanish at dawn;  
but I’ve realized enough of my dreams, thank God,  
to make me want to dream on.**

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**I’ve prayed many prayers when no answer came,  
I’ve waited patient and long;  
but answers have come to enough of my prayers  
to make me keep praying on.**

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I' ve trusted  
 many a friend who failed  
 and left me  
 to weep alone;  
 but I' ve found enough  
 of my friends true-blue  
 to make me  
 keep trusting on.

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I' ve sown many seeds  
 that fell by the way  
 for the birds to feed upon;  
 but I' ve held enough  
 golden sheaves  
 in my hand,  
 to make me  
 keep sowing on.

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I' ve drained the cup of  
 disappointment and pain,  
 I' ve gone many days  
 without song,  
 but I' ve sipped enough  
 nectar from the rose of life  
 to make me want to live on.

--Charles Allen  
 The Secret of Abundant Living

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“But we are not  
 quitters who lose out.  
 Oh, no! We' ll stay  
 with it and survive,  
 trusting all the way.”  
**Hebrews 10:39**

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