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Stop and Refocus Your Energies

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I love what I do. I obtain great satisfaction in helping my clients take control over their space, time, life, work and email. I get excited when the efficiency of the systems and processes we create help our clients achieve their goals. I love to see the reduced stress as people deliver on time, procrastinate less and refocus on successful productivity strategies. I am grateful for the reciprocal bonds that are forged and the trusting relationships that are developed as the result of the improved processes.

Do you know what I cherish most of all? What I learn and gain from meeting some very brave and extraordinary people. People who have weathered the test of time, who have been forced to create new lives out of extreme adversity and do so with optimism and wisdom.

There is the recent immigrant, forced to flee his country, leave his family behind, learn a new language and acclimatize himself to new weather patterns and culture. His cheer, optimism and belief in the opportunities offered him is astounding.

There is the professional who overcame a pattern of illiteracy, alcoholism and abuse to forge a successful career to help others deal with similar situations.

There is the media professional who realized that the challenges she faced in her new position required an extraordinary commitment on her part and she was up to the challenge.

Are you open to learning from others? Or have you cocooned yourself into such a box of unfulfilled expectations that you are just spinning your wheels on a daily basis, failing to notice how others can contribute to your well-being? Do you constantly wish that people would just "get on with it" and stop bothering you?

Perhaps you should stop and refocus your energies. Take a long hard look at the people you encounter every day, take time to learn their stories, communicate well and offer encouragement and support.

It will make you and the world a better place.

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