

The Serenity Prayer

**GOD, GRANT ME THE SERENITY
TO ACCEPT THE THINGS I CANNOT CHANGE
THE COURAGE TO CHANGE THE THINGS I CAN
AND THE WISDOM TO KNOW THE DIFFERENCE.
LIVING ONE DAY AT A TIME
ENJOYING ONE MOMENT AT A TIME
ACCEPTING HARDSHIP AS A PATHWAY TO PEACE
TAKING, AS JESUS DID
THIS SINFUL WORLD AS IT IS
NOT AS I WOULD HAVE IT
TRUSTING THAT YOU WILL MAKE ALL THINGS RIGHT
IF I SURRENDER TO YOUR WILL
SO THAT I MAY BE REASONABLY HAPPY IN THIS LIFE
AND SUPREMELY HAPPY WITH YOU FOREVER IN THE NEXT.
AMEN.**

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