Science, philosophy and religion are bound to converge as they draw nearer to the whole.

Pierre Teilhard de Chardin (theologian)

## Coaching is a way of facilitating self-directed neuroplasticity.

Jeffrey Schwartz (neuroscientist)

Certain things leaders do-specifically exhibit empathy and become attuned to others' moods-literally affects both their own brain chemistry and that of their followers.

Daniel Goleman

## Fear destroys the capacity to learn.

Bruce Perry (neuroscientist)

Reflecting on meaningful values provides biological and psychological protection from adverse effects of stress.

UCLA study

Small changes in the microcomponents of the system can lead to large changes in the macro-behavior of the organism.

Dr. Daniel Siegel (psychiatrist)

The brain cannot think about emotions without reenacting, or physically simulating, that feeling.

Scientific American Mind

## The heart has reasons that reason cannot know.

Blaise Pascal (philosopher)

By engaging in meaningful conversations, we manage to impose meaning on an otherwise chaotic world.

Dr. Matthias Mehl (psychologist)

We need to acquire the ability-the mental and emotional wherewithal--to put our experience into words in order to fulfill our potential as human beings.

Dr. Daniel Siegel (psychiatrist)

The intuitive mind is a sacred gift and the rational mind is a faithful servant. We have created a society that honors the servant and has forgotten the gift.

Albert Einstein