

Supervisor's Prayer

A traditional Supervisor's Prayer states: *Lord, when I am wrong, make me willing to change. When I am right, make me easy to live with. So strengthen me that the power of my example will far exceed the authority of my rank.*

A positive attitude may not directly change your circumstances, but it *will* change the way you respond to your circumstances. The responses of positive people are far more likely to be:

- Active.
- Solution-oriented.
- Generous towards others.
- Involving of others.
- Immediate or timely.
- Rooted in dignity and respect.

Positive people are much more likely than are negative people to turn their ideas into positive behavior. Positive behavior, in turn, *does* change circumstances, and nearly always for the better.

To grab hold of a slippery problem and rise above it, first reach out for a positive thought. After all, it isn't your position that makes you or others happy or unhappy; it's your disposition.

--Beecher Hunter