**Quotes on Encouragement**

A word of encouragement during a failure is worth more than an hour of praise after success.—Unknown

A word of encouragement from a teacher to a child can change a life. A word of encouragement from a spouse can save a marriage. A word of encouragement from a leader can inspire a person to reach her potential. —John C. Maxwell

Awards can give you a tremendous amount of encouragement to keep getting better, no matter how young or old you are.—Alan Alda

Correction does much, but encouragement does more. —Johann Wolfgang von Goethe

Friendly people are caring people, eager to provide encouragement and support when needed most. —Rosabeth Moss Kanter

In everyone’s life, at some time, our inner fire goes out. It is then burst into flame by an encounter with another human being. We should all be thankful for those people who rekindle the inner spirit. —Albert Schweitzer

It is time for us all to stand and cheer for the doer, the achiever—the one who recognizes the challenges and does something about it. —Vince Lombardi

It’s amazing what a little encouragement can do. —Winnie Harlo

Kind words can be short and easy to speak, but their echoes are truly endless. —Mother Teresa

Most of us, swimming against the tides of trouble the world knows nothing about, need only a bit of praise or encouragement—and we will make the goal. —Robert Collier

The really great person is the person who makes every person feel great. —G.K. Chesterton

There are high spots in all of our lives and most of them have come about through encouragement from someone else. I don’t care how great, how famous or successful a man or woman may be, each hungers for applause. —George Matthew Adams

There are two ways of exerting one’s strength: one is pushing down, the other is pulling up.—Booker T. Washington

There is nothing better than the encouragement of a good friend. —Katharine Butler Hathaway

We can all remember a time when someone encouraged us and made a difference in our lives. It may be just a moment, but this encouragement could last a lifetime. —Megan Shull

When you encourage others, you in the process are encouraged because you’re making a commitment and difference in that person’s life. Encouragement really does make a difference. —Zig Ziglar

Words are singularly the most powerful force available to humanity. We can choose to use this force constructively with words of encouragement, or destructively using words of despair.

Words have energy and power with the ability to help, to heal, to hinder, to hurt, to harm, to humiliate and to humble. —Yehuda Berg

One of the highest of human duties is the duty of encouragement. . . . Many a time a word of praise or thanks or appreciation or cheer has kept a man on his feet. Blessed is the man who speaks such a word. --William Barclay

Any man's life will be filled with constant and unexpected encouragement if he makes up his mind to do his level best each day. --Booker T. Washington

The finest gift you can give anyone is encouragement. Yet, almost no one gets the encouragement they need to grow to their full potential. If everyone received the encouragement they need to grow, the genius in most everyone would blossom and the world would produce abundance beyond our wildest dreams. —Sidney Madwed

If someone listens, or stretches out a hand, or whispers a kind word of encouragement, or attempts to understand a lonely person, extraordinary things begin to happen. --Loretta Girzartis