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Courage is a universally admired attribute. From soldiers to entrepreneurs, writers to explorers, living with courage can help you to define and build the life you want. In the last section, i.

I have written about it in the past, but it is one of the greatest movies I have ever seen. The final speech will motivate you, even the most lukewarm follower to action. Below is parts of the speech. Reading it cannot do justice as to how it is delivered in the movie. A father should love his children and seek to win their hearts. He should protect them, discipline them, and teach them about God. He should model how to walk with integrity and treat others with respect, and should call out his children to become responsible men and women who love their lives for what matters in eternity. Some men will hear this and mock it or ignore it. But I tell you that as a father, you are accountable to God for the position of influence He has given you. Some men will hear this and agree with it but have no resolve to live it out. Instead they will live for themselves and waste the opportunity to leave a godly legacy for the next generation. And we are inviting any man whose heart is willing and courageous to join us in this resolution. In my home, the decision has already been made. Who will accept the responsibility of providing for and protecting my family? Who will pray for and bless my children to boldly pursue whatever God calls them to do? I am their father I accept this responsibility, and it is my privilege to embrace it. I want the favor of God and His blessing on my home. Any good man does. So where are you men of courage? Where are you, fathers who fear the Lord?

2: List of Courage the Cowardly Dog episodes - Wikipedia

Last rites - which is the sacrament given to the elderly or gravely ill - includes the forgiveness of sins. "But we cannot be forgiven pre-emptively for something we are going to do - like ask for assisted suicide when suicide is a grave sin," said Archbishop Prendergast.

A storm goddess mistakes Courage for her own dog, Duncan, and decides to take him, making Muriel furious. Courage must find Duncan before it is too late. Susan Kim *The Ride of the Valkyries*: The computer develops a virus and it traps Muriel inside. Courage must go into the computer world to bring her back. *The Ride of the Valkyries*: While Courage and his owners are on holiday in Norway, three Valkyries mistake Muriel as their sister and carry her off into the sky where they will fight against the trolls on the next day. Courage sets out to win Muriel back. Lori Lazarus *Conway the Contaminationist*: While on a tropical island, Courage and Muriel discover an underwater city made of coral. There, they befriend the citizens. Meanwhile, Eustace informs his mother that there are small creatures living in the coral. She decides that the coral there can make fine wigs, and sets off to destroy the coral city and evict the creatures of their coral for her wig factory. This is the final appearance of Ma Bagge. A strange elderly man named Conway moves in with Courage and his owners, and he changes their lives when he assists them to live in a life of filth, causing a potential biohazard. David Steven Cohen *Curtain of Cruelty*: Displeased by Eustace, Muriel takes Courage with her and goes on a submarine vacation. They do not realize that it is being run by one of their old enemies, Katz. When a strange pink curtain is going through Nowhere making the citizens cruel and mean, Courage finds out that all of this is caused by Professor Mean, who is also cruel and unhappy, and wants everyone else to be cruel and unhappy too. Bullfrogs, who have had all the water in their pond dried up, start to invade the ranch house for water. There, they enslave Courage and his owners, forcing them to act like frogs. Two alien teddy bears blast the citizens out of sight when they are looking for a giant worm. Courage discovers the worm outside of the farmhouse, and it reacts whenever he plays a tuba. The space bears come to the scene, and reveal that the little worm is actually a space worm owned by an intergalactic childish human girl named Tulip. As Muriel and the two teddy bears are swallowed by the beast, Courage must take the worm to outer space before Muriel and the bears are digested. This is the last episode to feature Lionel Wilson as the voice of Eustace. Billy Aronson *Night of the Scarecrow*: While Courage and his owners are visiting the Louvre, Muriel is convinced that the Mona Lisa looks just like her, and they are like sisters. After the guard is convinced that it looks nothing like Muriel, he locks the museum, expecting everyone to be out. Little does he know that Courage and his owners are trapped inside, and the paintings come to life. *Night of the Scarecrow*: After leaving a county fair, Courage and his owners get lost through a cornfield and crash into a scarecrow. They take him home where Muriel fixes him up and makes him a mouth so he can talk. This is the first episode to feature Arthur Anderson as the voice of Eustace. Craig Shemin *Watch the Birdies*: Muriel feels she is being watched by someone, and Courage discovers a magic kit on the porch, and after doing tricks with it, a magician named Mondo comes out and shows off his magic. He is soon discovered to be a hideous creature who traps Eustace in the TV and making Muriel his bride by turning her into the same creature. When Muriel gets abducted by a giant mother vulture, it tells her to look after its three babies while it flies off to find a new mate or she will be eaten. Courage must aid Muriel in keeping the babies safe. A fish missionary arrives at the farmhouse, believing that Courage and his owners are unfit to live on the land, and the fish court forces them to live in a fish bowl with gills. Benton Tarantella, the zombie director, returns to convince Courage and his owners to star in his latest sitcom *Angry Nasty People*. After a drought, Courage and his owners are unable to grow food. But when they read an ad of free food, they order it. However, the plant fruits and vegetables are carnivorous and attempt to eat them. After the North Pole faces heat and everything melts, the snowman creates a mechanical mitten that allows the user to produce snow at will.

3: The Courage Way | by the Center for Courage & Renewal and Shelly Francis | Home

Every session involves watching a clip from the movie Courageous to help group members engage in discussion. And daily readings from "The Resolution for Men" and "The Resolution for Women" will help you connect with God and His best plan for your family.

About The Book Leadership demands courage. You have to make good decisions while balancing inevitable tensions and knowing when to take risks. You need to keep your values in sight, regardless of the pressures around you. At its core, leadership is a daily, ongoing practice, a journey toward becoming your best self and inviting others to do the same. It has its roots in the work of Parker J. Shelly Francis identifies key ingredients needed to cultivate courage, the most fundamental being trust—in ourselves and in each other. Each chapter features true stories of how leaders have overcome challenges and strengthened their organizations through touchstones like: I am deeply grateful for this book as a guide and support for moral leadership as we face the darkening future. Of all the requisite virtues of conscious leaders, courage is one of the most essential—the courage to do what is needed to promote human flourishing and growth. This book is the finest treatment I know of this vital subject. Not shying away from this truth requires courage. What you will find in these pages is no less than the technology to tune into your true self—your real intuitions and outrage and intelligence—and a sense of how to show up in community with that revitalized understanding of your own power. A soulful approach for helping you harness your inner strength to become the kind of leader the world needs now—in every dimension of your life. With intimate leadership stories, it shows how integrating purpose and cultivating community can be a powerful catalyst for change. From that first provocative question to the last story of people learning to lead and live in deeper alignment with true self, The Courage Way is a surprising and counter-intuitive remedy for the heart-sore. Her insights into cultivating courage through daily practice provide a much-needed guide to authentic leadership aimed at prosperity and flourishing. Enter The Courage Way, which offers tools, stories, and ideas to help you cultivate your vision and your ability to lead with courage, kindness, humor, and dignity. It shows that what we create collectively arises from the wholeness and compassion we locate within. The Courage Way is a powerful tonic for our challenging times. Keep it close at hand so you can savor its life-giving music again and again. Happiness is unthinkable without courage, yet until now, little has been written about how to muster this great virtue. The book is a must-have resource—inspiring! I am inspired by the promise and potential of leaders and organizations as forces for good, and this has never been more important in the world. The Courage Way shares time-tested tools, reflections, and guiding principles that every leader can learn and practice.

4: Courageous (film) - Wikipedia

Last month, at the invitation of a parent of a former student, I attended a Men's Night at the Thrive Worship Center (a non-denominational church) in Concord. It was the best time of male Christian fellowship I had experienced in recent memory.

October 22, at 1: What I did find is that it included common misrepresentations of Church teaching on issues like capital punishment and immigration. Prudential judgments on the part of the bishops and even the pope himself as to whether or not civil authorities can protect society from lethal crime without recourse to capital punishment do not belong to the body of authoritative Church teaching because is not, nor has ever even claimed to be, competent in that area. To even suggest, as Fr. Such claim fails Moral Theology For example, if a Catholic were to be at odds with the Holy Father on the application of capital punishment or on the decision to wage war, he would not for that reason be considered unworthy to present himself to receive Holy Communion. While the Church exhorts civil authorities to seek peace, not war, and to exercise discretion and mercy in imposing punishment on criminals, it may still be permissible to take up arms to repel an aggressor or to have recourse to capital punishment. There may be a legitimate diversity of opinion even among Catholics about waging war and applying the death penalty, but not however with regard to abortion and euthanasia. He is probably right that those Catholics and probably non Catholics who support capital punishment are more likely to be republican than democrat. This is relevant how? I mean those who oppose abortion are more likely to be republican than democrat too. And those who support capital punishment are more likely to be pro-life than those who oppose it. Patrick you and I both know that the death penalty is often used, with great effectiveness, as a wedge between pro-lifers. The problem with listening to priests and most bishops on this issue is that many, if not most have allowed themselves to be used as an echo chamber for the bogus claims of the anti-death penalty movement. Opposition to capital punishment is a legitimate Catholic viewpoint as is support for it, equally! Clerics, in their official capacity as such, be they priests, bishops, and even the pope himself have no business taking sides on an issue like this. It only serves to open themselves up to exploitation by one side and to alienate the other side. Other than stating the binding moral principles and engaging both sides within that framework, they can effectively mediate both sides and hold them to those principles. This active engagement would bear great fruit which would extend beyond the issue of capital punishment. To suggest, as it seems clear was the upshot of Fr. I know of no prominent anti-illegal immigration advocates, Joe Arpaio or even Tom Tancredo for that matter who in any way reflect disrespect or lack of dignity of these people. In fact, the illegals themselves are the worst victims of our unwillingness to protect our borders. Members of the much falsely maligned Minuteman organization often went to great lengths, placing their own safety at risk to save the lives of these people trying to cross the border illegally. Patrick, of course, you have been inside of far more parishes than I have. But I have heard many homilies like like this. I have also heard a lot of stuff like this come out of chancery offices too. Fitch did in that homily.

5: We were made to be courageous | 1 Timothy

Throughout the last several years, A "courageous" person possesses specific traits that indicate their tendency to perform courageous acts, more so than others. The courageous personality is.

I had bundled up in my dark green parka, slipped on my gloves, and took a walk in the frosted cold night. I ended up resting against a rock, staring up at the clear night sky while praying to God. What was I conversing with Him about? I usually am a bold person. But beneath the surface of my armor lies weak flesh. I felt bare before God as I was completely honest with myself and finally admitted it to Him. And my fear has caused doubt. I need You to help me be courageous and strong and full of faith. I had to be given it. On my own, I am just the opposite. Vermilya talked about fear in the Bible: Fear of the Lord is healthy, throughout the whole Bible means a holy reverence, awe is a reminder of who we are and who we are not is focused on who His is 2. We have to replace that fear with a courageous action to stop being fearful. But will we let fear rule our actions? Or will we choose to overcome? I want to be like that. I may be good at hiding my fears from others, or even convincing myself I am unafraid, but the truth is we all have fears. Fear is meant to be a hinderance, a bondage, something to cripple and disarm us. But God has set us free from fear. So why do we still struggle to overcome it? Why do I struggle with fear, still? Because I need courage. Courage to do the right thing. Courage to love and be loved. Courage to be transparent did this today! Courage to hope and believe and have faith. Vermilya asked us a question today: Listen to it and see what God speaks to you. We were made to be courageous. What fears do you have? How is God calling you to be courageous? What actions can you choose to take now to replace fear? Read and think about 1 John 4: But perfect love drives out fear, because fear has to do with punishment. The one who fears is not made perfect in love.

6: Courageous () - Rotten Tomatoes

They were born in two different centuries but their courage spans the ages, the brave little girl and the last surviving Dambuster. Generations apart, year-old Ella Chadwick and Squadron Leader.

Robyn Johnson Sep 15, Here are 10 people who stood up for peace and human rights. And inspired countless others to do the same. For some of them, the decision to act was conscious defiance to the status quo. For others, they were simply in the right place at the wrong time, and found themselves acting on behalf of others lacking the courage to speak out. We should rightly remember these people. But we should also remember that they were or are ordinary human beings, who made a choice. And just like them, the rest of us have the opportunity to choose to engage in creating a better world. In short, we can be revolutionary every day.

Ehren Watada The first commissioned officer of the U. Watada entered into the army fully believing the official justifications for the invasion. However, after researching the history of Iraq and the events leading to the American invasion, he concluded that the war was based on false evidence presented to Congress—specifically the existence of the elusive weapons of mass destruction. Watada therefore believed his own involvement would be constituted as crimes against peace under command responsibility. He asked to be deployed to Afghanistan, where he felt there was a true moral imperative to defend the United States, but when the army refused his request or his resignation, Watada did not board the plane with his unit. Today Watada works at Fort Lewis with the continuous threat of a year prison term looming over him for the crime of speaking truth to power. Eventually onlookers pulled the student back into the crowd, where he disappeared. Yet despite his anonymous, brief appearance, the media coverage of his nonviolent act resounded throughout the global community. Most believe he was executed shortly after the rebellion and others claim that he lives in hiding in mainland China or Taiwan.

Aung San Suu Kyi A pioneer in mass non-violent protest ever since his expatriation in South Africa as a young man, Gandhi chose to defy the British salt laws by organizing a mile trek to a coastal town to illegally make salt from the sea. By the time he and his thousands of followers reached the sea, word had spread across the country and millions of impoverished and malcontented Indians took up the civil disobedience by disregarding the salt laws.

Rosa Parks reputed the common myth that her unwillingness to get up was due to aching feet. Her visit coincided massive public demonstrations against the junta, and she joined the fray. Emerging as the most compelling leader of the popular revolt, Aung San Suu Kyi helped found an opposition political party, the National League of Democracy. In she was voted in as Prime Minister in the first multi-party elections — a triumph that was nullified by the military government, which had already placed her under house arrest. When the junta offered her release in exchange for permanent exile, Aung San Suu Kyi refused. Instead, the courageous and principled leader continues to live under house arrest, despite the constant peril to her life and the decades-long separation from her family. Read her essay *Freedom From Fear*.

Martin Luther King, Jr. One of the finest orators and civil rights leaders of the 20th century, Martin Luther King, Jr. After helping to launch the Civil Rights Movement by heading the Montgomery Bus Boycott, King founded the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, a black religious organization that directed nonviolent protests against segregationist authorities throughout the s. The zenith of Dr. Watch the full speech here. For his part in advocating racial harmony and equality through nonviolent means, King became the youngest ever recipient of the Nobel Peace Prize in . Although an assassin lamentably cut his momentous career short in , Martin Luther King, Jr. However, according to a recent interview in the New York Times, Batebi had wandered into the crowd of dissidents, and after using the shirt to staunch the bullet wound of a fallen student, waved the bloodied garment to dissuade others from joining the rabble. The international recognition of advocacy groups did nothing to mitigate the eight years of unimaginable physical and psychological torture he suffered at the hands of prison guards. However, global attention to his case did save Batebi from the fate that his more unfortunate comrades suffered — an anonymous and brutal death. In , Batebi finally escaped from prison with the help of underground Kurdish revolutionaries and now lives in the United States, where he works for nonviolent political reform in his homeland. However, after the Treason Trial of , when dissidents, including Mandela, were arrested, tried, and eventually acquitted, for a communist conspiracy to overthrow

the government, the rebellion took a more violent turn. After committing sabotage against several military and government installations, Mandela was arrested and this time found guilty. He spent nearly three decades in prison before mounting international pressure forced his release in , when he made a speech addressed directly to the nation. Watch the video of his release. Despite the years of hard labor and harsh conditions he had suffered, Mandela publicly took up the cause of armed struggle again if political negotiations to end apartheid were not initiated. Because of his courage, commitment and leadership, the country went on to hold its first multi-racial elections in and dismantle racial segregation. A devout Mahayana Buddhist monk, Thich Quang Duc spent most of his life in service and teaching, heading monasteries and rebuilding nearly 30 temples. Because of his esteemed position within the community, he was chosen to carry out the infamous mission of martyrdom on behalf of persecuted Vietnamese Buddhists. For his selfless act Thich Quang Duc was deemed a bodhisattva, an enlightened being who delays nirvana to help those in need, and his intact heart became a holy relic. What do you think of this revolutionary courage? Share your thoughts in the comments! Posted In Human Rights Trending now.

7: Courageous () - IMDb

GlobalPost President Philip Balboni said the news service received an email "full of rage" last week in which Foley's captors threatened to kill him. Balboni said the White House was aware of the.

But I went to see *Courageous*. Our date-night friends suggested it and we like hanging out with them. *Courageous* is too long by about 30 minutes and too preachy by whatever amount you can quantify preachiness. It started and ended with two intense, well-shot and -staged action sequences. In the lengthy middle, it had a couple of moments that were funny enough to have the whole audience laughing. These comedic set pieces were clearly there to balance out a very serious story line, and often occurred a bit ham-handedly right after the really sad, emotional parts. But there were too many weird subplots, too many easy resolutions of complex problems, and there was far too much emotional manipulation. Because despite the uplifting you-need-to-be-a-selfless dad message "which I can totally support" this was a sad, sad movie. Regardless of your gender, it was a total weeper. Look, something distinct happened in me when I became a dad "it was like a switch turned on" and suddenly I had a very real and intense aversion to small children experiencing discomfort or danger, whether real or implied. I go to movies to escape and enjoy myself and there is no happy resolution on earth that can offset my dislike of a film in which bad things happen to children and we are forced to experience its effect on their parents. I hated *Courageous* for that reason, because it killed off a child and force us to wallow in the resulting grief. There have to be ways to convince us not to be bad fathers without subjecting us to that. A former professional film critic, he suddenly was unable to watch violence or sexually explicit material on-screen: This was something very new. Suddenly, I felt it in my bones in a way I had never done. I think it was the simple fatherly act of holding my newborn son close every day, and experiencing how unbelievably fragile human life is. Watching its wanton violation, seeing the terrible abuse of the human body and the graphic murder of human beings, was literally intolerable to me. My change was suddenly experiencing an extreme amount of discomfort in watching something traumatic happen to a helpless child. Even the suggestion of it in a movie or TV show sets me on edge. Because it sickens me. It has too much going on, too much stilted dialogue, and for all its emphasis on the duty of fathers good! If you need a good cry, then by all means go see it. If you need a reason to run home and hug your children, then by all means go watch it. Dads, your kids need you to be present in their lives. You only have them for a short while, so if your daughter asks you to dance with her, you need to do it. If your son wants you to go run with him, you learn to love running. Find a way to spend time with your kids because they rely on you more than you know. Am I off-base on this?

8: Courage in the Slough of Despond | George Weigel | First Things

From that first provocative question to the last story of people learning to lead and live in deeper alignment with true self, The Courage Way is a surprising and counter-intuitive remedy for the heart-sore.

Both are very brave acts. Both are incredible feats. Both acts are heroic. I think every brave thing we do in life counts. As we do, we can begin to think of ourselves as bold people who are sometimes fearless instead of fear-filled people who try to be bold. Everyday acts of courage to practice and celebrate: It takes courage to admit when you are wrong. Apologizing takes you out of your comfort zone and enhances your relationships. Take off your mask. Allow yourself to become vulnerable. Share your flaws with others. See perfection in your imperfections. Who you are is a gift to the world. Allow yourself to shine. You are where you are in life because of the choices you make. One question I ask myself often is, "Is this the life I want to create? If you need to get out of debt, spend less. Write down everything you say you are going to do. Write down the promises you make to others. When you keep your promises, you build self-respect. Others respect you as well. Share your feelings when you witness an injustice. Practice sharing your opinion. Learn to say, "no. Let go of the past. Stop wallowing over what could have been. What happened is over unless you keep it alive by reliving it in your mind. When we know better, we do better. It takes courage to move on. Step into the unknown. Change the way you do things. Give yourself permission to be a beginner. Growth brings new opportunities. Listen to people who disagree with you. Listen to family members who think you are wrong. Listen to the elderly person in the coffee shop. Listen when you only want to speak and give advice. Listen and thank the other person for sharing. Help someone when you are the one needing help. Learn to be of service. Turn the other cheek. Be kind to each other. Love is a verb. Act like a loving person. You can love difficult people as well. Forgive them and wish them the best. Let them go with love. Tell the people in your life "thank you. Choose to be happy. Make a decision that you will think happy thoughts, speak kind words, and spend time doing things that bring you joy. Have a good attitude. See the glass half full. Look at the bright side. Learn from your mistakes. Reflect on what went wrong and what you could have done better. Look for your lesson. Choose to grow forward. Be gentle with yourself. Make a new plan. Refuse to give up. You do too much, work too much and miss the joy of everyday living. Take action daily toward your goals. Adjust your plans as you go along. Be open to something even better. Enjoy the small things. Enjoy the smell of clean clothes and the taste of a fresh slice of bread. Enjoy a brisk walk, a quiet morning, or a star filled night. Go the extra mile. Allow someone to go in front of you in traffic or at the grocery store. Do more than what is required of you at work and at home. Hold a door open. Leave a big tip and help someone believe the world is a generous place. When you are stuck, addicted or unhappy, seek professional help. Hire a coach, a therapist or join a support group. When you are overwhelmed at work, ask for assistance. Put family and friends before stuff. If you value your loved ones, make them a priority in your life. Work less and play more. Create traditions and rituals. Find hobbies and activities that everyone enjoys. Experiences bring more meaning than needless shopping. Be your own best friend. Show yourself compassion, understanding and respect. This is the most courageous act of all. Please share your thoughts below.

9: Live a Life of Courage

Courageous is a American independent Christian drama film directed by Alex Kendrick and written by Kendrick with his brother Stephen Kendrick. It is the fourth film by Sherwood Pictures, the creators of *Flywheel*, *Facing the Giants*, and *Fireproof*.

For *Courageous* the producers expanded their search for acting talent. Roughly half of the cast are volunteers from the church, but the other half were through invitation-only audition sessions. The lead roles in the film are played by Alex Kendrick and Ken Bevel, both of whom have appeared in past Sherwood productions. Kevin Downes, who has appeared in various other films, played the role of Shane Fuller. The film would likely have cost several times more if they had used professional assistance. The majority of the film was shot in Albany and the Dougherty County, Georgia area. Some scenes were shot in the Dougherty County Jail. Jim Bob Duggar and seven of his ten sons joined hundreds of other fathers and sons in filming the scene. The Duggar daughters acted as extras in a funeral scene at Sherwood Baptist Church that involved several police officers in uniform. In order to enhance the quality of the film, the production crew is using a new camera technology, "Red One", by the Red Digital Cinema Camera Company. *Courageous* is the first film by Sherwood Pictures to receive a PG rating. Marketing[edit] The contemporary Christian band Casting Crowns released a song titled "Courageous" to promote the film with a video featuring scenes from it. *Courageous* is the real success story of the weekend Critical reception[edit] The film received negative reviews from critics. Unfortunately, its delivery is weakened by some rookie acting and excessive dialogue. Holz of Focus on the Family Plugged In Online said *Courageous* has "A compelling story line with plenty of action and just the right amount of humor. The Film underscores the importance of fatherhood I am happily giving *Courageous* 4. Please help improve this section by adding citations to reliable sources. Unsourced material may be challenged and removed.

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