

Introduction

Too often we just give up the idea of accomplishing something because it seems too big and overwhelming. Our Whiner surfaces and we think we just can't do it. I am convinced that we can handle any challenge in this life if we break it down into manageable-size bits. There is nothing that's impossible. We are virtually unlimited in what we can do when we belong to God. I learned these things the hard way; and I share them with others to help them over the rough spots of life. After reading this speech, I think you will be more fortified to take on what others think can't be done. Just break the big challenges down into manageable proportions using the inch-by-inch principle. This was my second Toastmaster Speech; but it has been revised since I presented it in September of 1994 to make it longer for another group. The assignment is to be in earnest about something and convince the audience. In this speech I am explicating a poem I wrote called Inch by Inch it's a Cinch. My evaluator said that she would always remember my gestures when I broke a huge tornado down into breaths. You can do that too. We can handle anything. Don't say I can't. Go for it!