The Leadership Principle and the Power of Mentoring and Succession

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SUMMARY²

John 14:12 (NKJV) – "Most assuredly, I say to you, he who believes in Me, the works that I do he will do also; and greater works than these he will do, because I go to My Father.

- 1. Good leaders employ others; great leaders deploy themselves and others.
- 2. The greatest act of leadership is mentoring.
- 3. If what you learn, achieve, accumulate, or accomplish, dies with you, then you are a generational failure.
- 4. The greatest obligation of true leadership is to transfer your deposit to the next generation.
- 5. Leadership success is measured by the success of your successor.
- 6. If you don't produce a successor, you are a failure.
- 7. If your vision dies with you, you've failed.
- 8. Legacy is about living beyond your grave.
- 9. Legacy is about producing people who are greater than you.
- 10. Leadership is not an individual sprint; it's a marathon relay race.
- 11. The key to the relay's success is not winning your leg; it's successfully passing the baton.
- 12. At the end of a relay no one person wins; everyone wins.
- 13. The minute you hit the age of 40, it's time to start passing.
- 14. The ultimate goal of true leadership is not to maintain followers; it's to produce leaders.
- 15. True leadership measures its success by the diminishing dependency factor of its followers.
- 16. The ultimate measure of true leadership is the ability to leave. (Matthew 17:17)
- 17. True leadership makes itself increasingly unnecessary.
- 18. You are successful leaders when your followers can lead others.
- 19. The first act of a true leader is to identify your replacement and begin mentoring them.

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