

A scenic photograph of a gravel path leading to a lake, framed by trees with autumn foliage. The path is on the left, leading towards a body of water on the right. The trees are lush green with some yellow and orange leaves, suggesting early autumn. The sky is blue with some clouds. The text is overlaid on the image.

# Linnaea Mallette's WOWs Words of Wit and Wisdom 2017

Featuring photographic art  
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Thank you for reading my Words of Wisdom (WOWs) for 2017




I believe, through personal experience, that one of the secrets to accelerating your personal success is by reprogramming your subconscious mind. The awe of beautiful images opens your mind and lowers the resistance. The words of wisdom are then able to sink in much quicker and deeper . That is the beauty and power of these free WOW picture e-books.

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**Don't complain.  
Every time the lamb bleats he  
loses a mouthful of hay.**

A photograph of a dilapidated stone building. The walls are made of light-colored, weathered stone blocks. Two windows are visible, both boarded up with dark wood. The window on the left is arched at the top. The window on the right is rectangular. The building shows signs of significant wear and tear, with some areas of the stone missing or crumbling. The lighting is dramatic, with strong shadows and highlights, giving it a somber and aged appearance.

CHARACTER IS PRETTY MUCH LIKE WINDOW GLASS -  
WHEN IT IS CRACKED, IT IS CRACKED  
BOTH INSIDE AND OUT.




YOU LOSE A LOT OF ENERGY  
BEING GRUMPY.

-TED DANSON



*The Fool Wonders.  
The Wise Man Asks.*

*-Benjamin Disraeli*



“Insisting that things \*ought\* to go smoothly, that mishap \*must\* not occur, and that the important people in our lives \*should\* behave as we have told them so many times we \*need\* them to behave... is fundamentally irrational. Yet, as a species, we naturally tend to think in these distorted and self-defeating ways.”

~ Albert Ellis & Robert A. Harper



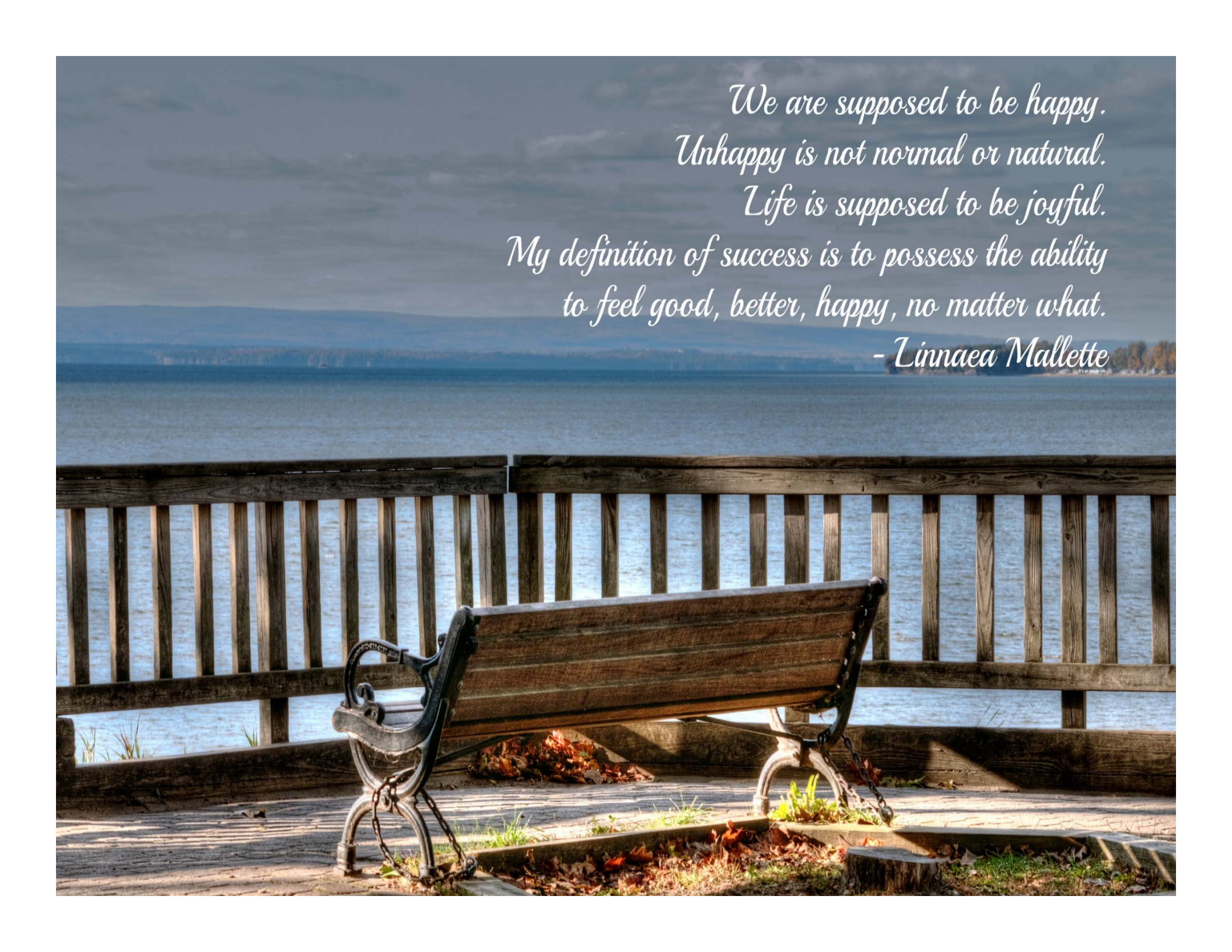
The Sea is deep because  
it never rejects the  
tiniest rivulet.





*There is nothing in a caterpillar that tells you  
it's going to be a butterfly.*

*R. Buckminster Fuller*



*We are supposed to be happy.  
Unhappy is not normal or natural.  
Life is supposed to be joyful.  
My definition of success is to possess the ability  
to feel good, better, happy, no matter what.*

*- Linnaea Mallette*



If we were to wipe out insects alone on this planet, the rest of life and humanity with it would mostly disappear from the land. Within a few months.

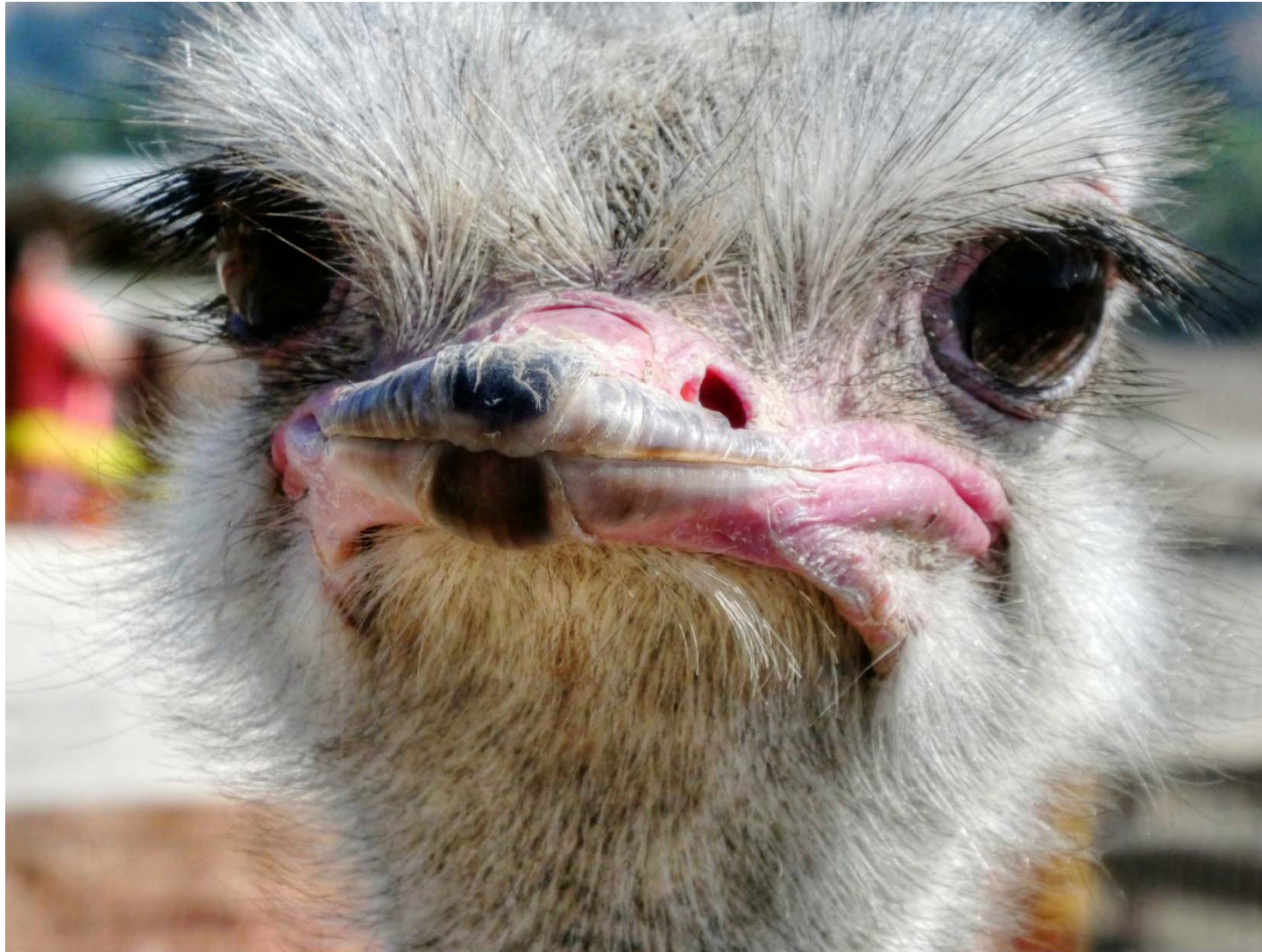
E. O. Wilson

Read more at <https://www.brainyquote.com/quotes/quote/454791>



Sure I wave the American flag. Do you know a better flag to wave? Sure I love my country with all her faults. I'm not ashamed of that, never have been, never will be.

~John Wayne



**Go Ahead. Make My Day**

-Clint Eastwood as Dirty Harry

# wise gulls

LET'S NOT WAIT FOR  
OUR SHIP TO COME IN...


YEA...LETS FLY OUT  
AND MEET IT!





**GROWING APART DOESN'T CHANGE THE FACT  
THAT FOR A LONG TIME WE GREW SIDE BY SIDE;  
OUR ROOTS WILL ALWAYS BE TANGLED.  
I'M GLAD FOR THAT.**

- Ally Condie

A vibrant field of flowers. In the foreground, a large yellow daisy with a dark brown center is prominent. To its left, there are orange gerberas. In the background, there are more yellow daisies and purple lupines. The scene is bright and colorful, with green foliage visible between the flowers.

Flowers don't worry about  
how they're going to bloom.  
They just open up and turn  
toward the light and that  
makes them beautiful.

~Jim Carrey







Quotes and Words of Wisdom, (WOWs I call them) are essentially thought-provoking and usually good-feeling phrases shared by people from all walks of life, living or deceased.\* For me, quotes are vitamins for my soul. I discovered the power of quotes in 1981, when someone at work sold March of Dimes coupon books that had coupons on one side and a beautiful picture with a pithy quote on the other side. I NEVER used the coupons. I devoured the quotes. They were SO instrumental in shifting my way of showing up in the world. Let them do the same for you.

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