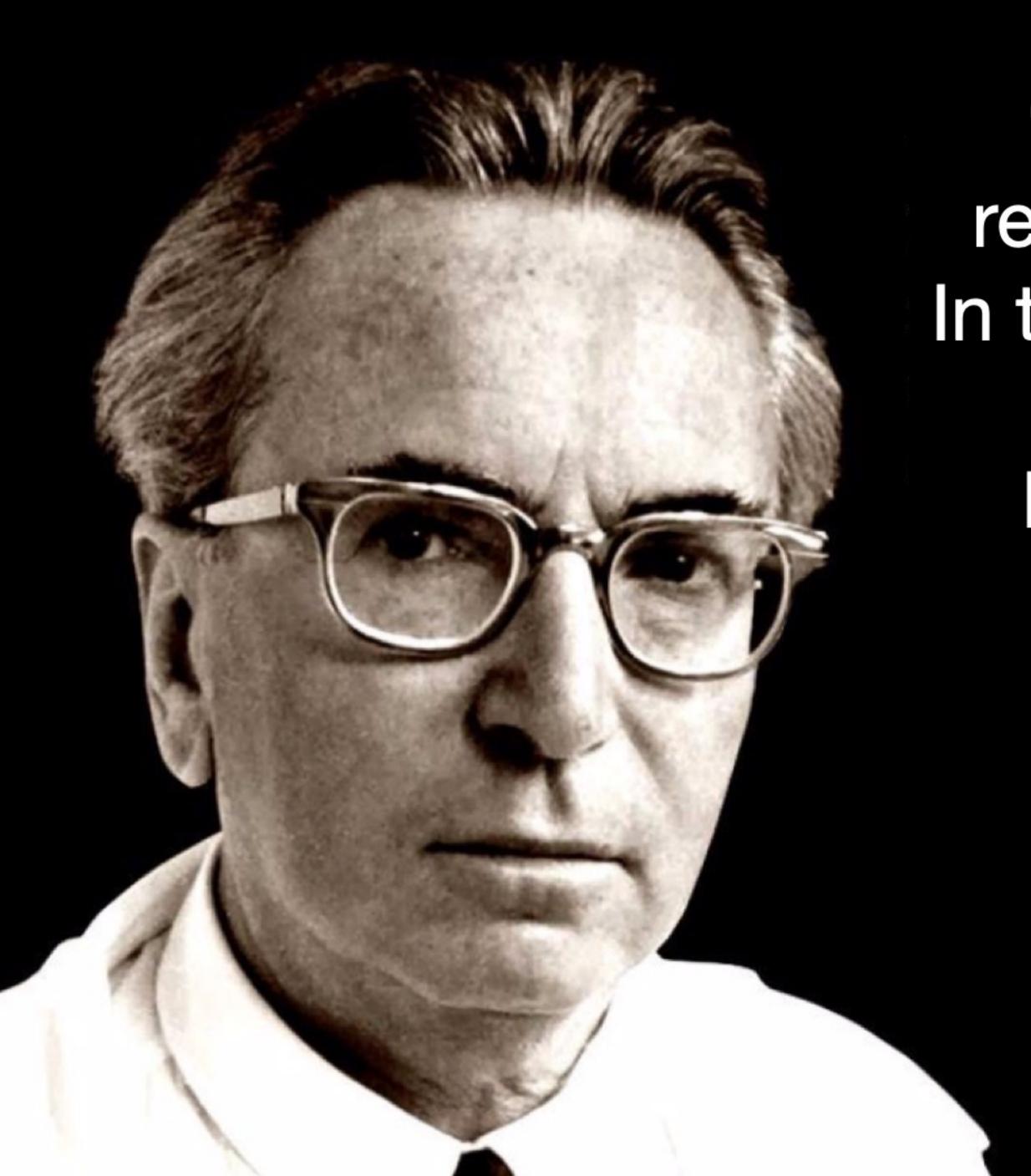


"Everything can be taken from a man but one thing: the last of human freedoms... to choose one's own way."

Viktor E. Frankl



"Between stimulus and response there is a space. In that space is our power to choose our response. In our response lies our growth and freedom."

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We don't get to choose what life throws our way, but we do get to choose how we respond to whatever life throws our way.

l alone am responsible for my thoughts. I alone am responsible for my emotions. I alone am responsible for the quality of my life.

For as I think within myself, so am I.

"...Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near."

How do I know if I need to change my thinking?

Peace, Joy, Love, Anticipation of Good, Courage, Passion, Purpose, Meaning, Resilience, Possibility, Grit, Patience, Kindness, Determination, Freedom, Big Life, Gratitude.

An Absence Of: Guilt, Shame, Rage, Fear.

RETHINK OUR THINKING

Repentance

RENEW OUR MINDSET

New Patterns

"For though we live in the world, we do not wage war as the world does.

The weapons we fight with are not the weapons of the world. On the contrary, they have divine power to demolish strongholds.

2 Corinthians 10:4 NIV

We demolish arguments and every pretension that sets itself up against the knowledge of God, and we take captive every thought to make it obedient to Christ."

2 Corinthians 10:5 NIV

REFRAME OUR PERSPECTIVE

New Interpretations & Meanings

REDIRECT YOUR FOCUS

New Experience

REDEFINE YOUR BELIEFS

New Truth

REWRITE OUR NARRATIVES

New Identity

RESET YOUR VOCABULARY

New State

"The tongue has the power of life and death..."

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ROUTINE AND RITUAL

God exists. God is good. He does only good. He works all things out for my good. He loves me. He's for me. He's with me. He's in control. He can do all things. And He can be trusted.

I am loved. I am special. I am fearfully and wonderfully made. I am chosen. I am adopted. I am a child of God. I am forgiven. I am an overcomer. I am not condemned. I am justified. I am redeemed. am complete.

l am righteous. I am anointed. I am the head and not the tail. I am blessed coming in and going out. I have purpose. I am able. I am worthy. I cannot be shaken and I will not be moved.

Life isn't happening to me, it's happening for me. Lan't control what I can't control. The only thing I can control are my thoughts, emotions, and actions. Setbacks are just setups. Failure isn't final, it's my teacher and trainer.

It makes me smarter and stronger. There's nothing I can't bounce back from. My past doesn't equal my future. No matter what happens, l can handle it. I don't complain. I believe everything happens for a reason.

Pain makes me stronger. I find meaning in adversity. I'm not afraid of what might happen. I choose peace. I choose joy. I choose love. Everyday and in every way I am getting stronger, better, healthier, wiser, bolder, and greater.

So today, I will lead and not follow. I will believe and not doubt. I will hope, not despair. I will be grateful and not grumble. I have joy, not discouragement. I have peace, not anxiety. I am focused, not distracted.

My energy is strong. My enthusiasm is inspiring. I am passionate. I am courageous, not afraid. I build up. I don't tear down. I will create. I will not destroy. I am always learning and growing. Life is good. Life is a gift.

Today is a special occasion and an opportunity. Today may be my last day, so I will live it to make it my best day. I will do what's hard and do it well. I will not backdown.

I will not quit. I have grit. I have potential. I have resilience. I have gifts. I have purpose. My life has meaning. My future is bright. The best is yet to come!

When it comes to people: every person has innate value. Every person deserves dignity and respect. Every person has the capacity to teach me something I need to know.

No one else has the power to control the quality of my life. I can't control nor am I responsible for what other people do or say.

I will celebrate people's rights more than I criticize their wrongs. I will remember that every person has a story that brought them to where they are, and to who they are.

Every person is someone God loves and Jesus died for. They have potential. They have worth. They are my neighbor.