

Ethical Affluence

The 3000-year-old secret for creating trust, loyalty, and prosperity

PRESENTATION WORKSHEET

What happens when we all aspire to the highest standard of ethical conduct?

Why? Because your _____ standards and your standards of _____ are one and the same.

What are ethics? The discipline of _____ and _____
_____ to what we _____ to do.

What are a few examples from the workplace of what we might consider victimless crimes?

The first enemy of ethics is _____.

When you dilute your _____, you dilute your _____.

The first secret of being an ethical person is: Don't _____ **your** _____.

King Solomon says: *Whoever digs a _____ will fall into it, and one who sets a _____ rolling will have it _____ on him.*

Ethics cannot be legislated. It is a _____.

Ethics governs the vast _____ **between what is** _____ **and** _____.

According to research, an ethical culture promotes _____, _____, and _____.

The awareness of fairness and trustworthiness boosts our levels of serotonin, oxytocin, and dopamine, all associated with _____.

When others witness _____ from us, they become more inclined to believe that everyone around them is _____, and that they also need to _____.

The more ethical we act, the more we help create a _____ of conscientious, collaborative, and ethical companions.



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EXERCISE #1

Think of a time when you did the right thing *just because it was the right thing*. When did you refuse to dilute your worth? Maybe it was something very small. Maybe it was something no one else even knew about. Briefly write your memory here:

Acting ethically can be the greatest source of our own _____.

It's hard to do the right thing. But it's more _____ not to.

Calculate the potential _____ of what seems to be the safer option to discover why doing what's right is the _____ choice.

The second enemy of ethics is _____.

King Solomon says: *One who watches the wind will never _____; one who looks to the clouds will never _____.*

Experience teaches that what you don't do can _____.

The second secret for being ethical is: Fight _____ with _____.

EXERCISE #2

Think of something that you're afraid to do. What is your fear trying to stop you from doing, or trying to get you to do? Saying it out loud helps make it feel more doable and gives you strength to resist the voice of fear. Share with the members of your group something you know you ought to do, and declare your resolution to do it.



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We respond to the experiences of others because of _____ in our brains.

The third enemy of ethics is _____.

The more successful we are in _____ ourselves, the more we discover that those around us don't need us to _____ them.

King Solomon says: *As water reflects one _____ to another, so too the _____ of one person to another.*

When we don't like what I see in those around us, we should _____ on whether we need to address similar shortcomings in ourselves.

When we see qualities in others that we admire, we should _____ how we might better fashion ourselves in their image.

What happens when you smile at someone else? Don't they almost always _____? How does that make us feel? What should it make us want to do?

Companies ranked highest for ethics increase in value as much as _____ faster than companies that aren't. _____ are more engaged, more loyal, more passionate, and more production.

Tikkun Olam translates as _____.

The best way to _____ the world is by _____ ourselves.

Three simple steps we can take toward creating a culture of harmony are:

The third secret for being an ethical person is _____.

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EXERCISE #3

Take a moment to ask yourself the following questions:

Am I as honest as I should be? As conscientious? As truthful?

Am I as good a spouse, a parent, or a child as I should be? As good a boss or as good an employee? Am I contributing all I can and should to my family, my community, and my workplace?

Now think of one concrete action you can take that will be felt by someone with whom you come in contact on a daily basis.

Paul O'Neill saved Alcoa by making his number one priority _____.

According to the Trust Edge Leadership Institute, what employees want most from a job is _____.

If you want your people to have your back, make sure they know _____.

Every time you come to an ethical crossroads, listen for the _____.

When is the right time to start acting ethically? In the words of Hillel:

_____, _____?



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