

## Les Brown

### "Sentimental Journey"

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Desiderata. Desiderata. Desiderata.  
Go placidly amid the noise and haste,  
and remember what peace there may be in silence.  
As far as possible without surrender,  
Be on good terms with all persons.  
Speak your truth quietly and clearly, and listen to  
others -  
Even the dull and ignorant, they too have their story.  
Avoid loud and aggressive persons - they are  
vexations to the spirit.  
If you compare yourself with others, you may become  
vain and bitter,  
For always there will be greater and lesser persons  
than yourself.

Enjoy your achievements as well as your plans.  
Keep interested in your own career -  
However humble, it is a real possession in the  
changing fortunes of time.  
Exercise caution in your business affairs,  
for the world is full of trickery.  
But let this not blind you to what virtue there is.  
Many persons strive for high ideals,  
and everywhere life is full of heroism.  
Be yourself.  
Especially do not feign affection, neither be cynical  
about love.  
For in the face of all aridity and disenchantment,  
It is as perennial as the grass.  
Take kindly the council of the years,  
Gracefully surrendering the things of youth.  
Nurture strength of spirit to shield you in sudden  
misfortune,  
But do not distress yourself with imaginings -  
Many fears are borne of fatigue and loneliness.  
Beyond a wholesome discipline, be gentle with  
yourself.

You are a child of the universe.  
No less than the trees and the stars, you have a right to  
be here.

And whether or not it is clear to you,  
No doubt the universe is unfolding as it should.

Therefore, be at peace with God, whatever you  
conceive him to be.  
And whatever your labors and aspirations,  
in the noisy confusion of life,  
Keep peace wi

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