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Dear Subscriber,

The great author Charles Dickens inspired this month's theme. Shortly after election day, I received a newsletter with the first paragraph from "A Tale of Two Cities". It was just the reality check I needed, and it's reprinted below as our quote of the month. It reminded me, yet again, about the power of perspective. We are never truly stuck, because we can always choose how we want to BE in any given situation.

Are we in the best of times or worst of times? It all depends on how you look at it. What I DO know is that for centuries before us, people were sure it was the end of the world and yet somehow, the human race survived.

As we enter the frenetic holiday season, please remember the power of perspective. Will it be "crazed" or "blessed" or something else? The choice is up to you!

In choice –

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Leadership Learnings

Two Items That Aren't On Your Meeting Agenda, But Should Be

Laura Vanderkam, *FastCompany*

Wondering why your team meetings are not as successful as you'd like? Perhaps you are missing a

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key piece in your agenda.

These two ideas will change the way everyone shows up in meetings and they work great for virtual teams too!

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Career Management Corner

How to Change Your 5 Common Career Resolutions So You'll Actually Be More Successful

Gwen Moran, *FastCompany*

Soon many of us will develop 2017 New Year's Resolutions. Do they ever really work? Try these new tips to make this coming year different.

New choices and new perspectives can make these actions much more powerful!

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Upcoming Events

All events are open to the public and listed in Central Time:

Enerpace offers programs with QTI in Leadership, Career Planning, and Business Management.

Visit the [QTI website](#) to register then click on "Events". And, learn more about QTI and ALL the upcoming workshops and events!

Here are just a few...

"How to Build a Business Plan" Workshop - Fri, 12/2 10 - 5pm
[Details](#)

"Fundamentals of Quality" Workshop - Sat, 12/3 from 10 - 5pm
[Details](#)

"How to Implement Change in Your Organization" Workshop - Fri, 12/9 at 10am to Sat, 12/10 at 5pm
[Details](#)

Business Building Blocks

Know What Your Customers Really Think In 7 Minutes or Less

Susan Solovic, *Networking Exchange Blog*



We often make this a lot more difficult than it needs to be! It's not scientific and it's not that hard.

Here's how to get the information you need to make your product or service the best that it can

be!

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Have questions about social media and building relationships to market yourself, your business, or both?

Enerpace works with [Social Jack](#) to stay on top of the rapid changes in social networking.

Check out "Social Jack TV" at no charge every Tuesday at 1pm CT.

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Enerpace News

1. As many of you know, we have a soft spot for entrepreneurs! Do you have the itch to start your own business? Check out these "20 Tips for Aspiring Entrepreneurs" and, of course, Enerpace offers a tip as well!

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2. We are continuing with our on-line marketing campaign with lots of tweaks and adjustments as we adjust to learnings based on how folks respond and react to our ads. It's exciting and a learning process!



Again, if you see one of our ads on social media, check out our landing pages, like it, comment on it, share it with others, tweet it, and so on. And, let us know what you think! We value your opinion! Thanks!

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Enerpace Expert

Take an Organized Approach to the Holidays

Sue Becker, [From Piles to Smiles](#)



The words, "the holidays are approaching" can either result in a reaction of excitement or dread.

Well, the holidays ARE upon us, and we get to choose how we want them to be this year. Sue provides some great ideas to change the way you "do" the holiday season!

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Cool Tools

How Mind Maps Removed Stress From My Working Day

Mark Ellis, *Lead Change Group*

Is the traditional To-Do List not working for you? Try Mind Maps to help keep your thoughts and your ideas organized.



They're also a great way to identify new

perspectives and new choices!

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Great Books

The Dream Manager

By Matthew Kelly



Our dreams and hopes play a major role in the choices we make, including the "why" behind our work.

We often recommend

this book that tells the story of how one GM greatly reduced employee turnover just by changing the way he looked at his job as a manager!

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Quotes You Can Use

"It was the best of times, it was the worst of times, it was the age of wisdom, it was the age of foolishness, it was the epoch of belief, it was the epoch of incredulity, it was the season of Light, it was the season of Darkness, it was the spring of hope, it was the winter of despair..., we had nothing before us, we were all going direct to Heaven, we were all going direct the other way..."

A Tale of Two Cities, Charles Dickens (1812 - 1870)
English Writer and Social Critic

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