



# **-TRALEE TOASTMASTERS-**

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### **FOOD FOR THOUGHT...**

We must sacrifice our life to our ideal, not subordinate our ideal to our life...  
(St. Maximilian Kolbe)

### **A SPRINKLE OF HUMOUR...**

A compromise is an agreement whereby both parties get what neither of them wanted.  
(Anonymous)  
If money doesn't grow on trees why do banks have branches?  
(Anonymous)  
Some men are wise, and others are otherwise. (Anonymous)

### **VPE QUOTE FOR THE WEEK...**

Unconditional love is an illogical notion, but such a great and powerful one. (A.J. Jacobs)

### **THE POETMASTER...**

Shall I compare thee to a summer's day?  
Thou art more lovely and more temperate.  
Rough winds do shake the darling buds of May,  
And summer's lease hath all too short a date.

Excerpt from the poem by *Shall I Compare Thee to a Summer's Day (Sonnet 18)*  
by William Shakespeare

### **WORD FOR THE WEEK...**

Exigent: Crucial; Insistent; Needful; Crucial; Pressing.



### **REEL WISDOM...**

Where does the power come from to see the race to its end? From within. (From the movie *Chariots of Fire*)  
What we believe changes what we perceive. (From the movie *Heaven is for Real*)  
It's not who you are underneath, it's what you do that defines you. (From the movie *Batman Begins*)

### **TIPS FOR WRITING AND SPEAKING...**

Always have confidence and faith in the gift of your speaking voice.

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