

From the Vicar's Desk



(A good 'repeat' for the New Year!)

Ignore Critics and Do It Anyway

People are often unreasonable, illogical,
And self-centered;
Forgive them anyway.

If you are **kind**, people may accuse you
Of selfish, ulterior motives;
Be kind anyway.

If you are **successful**, you will win some
False friends and some true enemies;
Succeed anyway.

If you are **honest** and frank;
People may cheat you;
Be honest and frank anyway.

What you spend years **building**,
someone could destroy overnight;
Build anyway.

If you find serenity and **happiness**,
they may be jealous;
Be happy anyway.

The **good** you do today,
people will often forget tomorrow;
Do good anyway.

Give the world the **best** you have,
and it may never be enough;
Give the world the best you've got anyway.

You see, in the final analysis,

it is between you and God.

It never was between you and them, anyway.

*'Nuff said!
Sincerely, fr.t.*