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Metamorphosis Anew.

Dear Penfabricans,

Often, we talk of CHANGE. Change for the better. Most of us are yearning for a change. We think we like to change. Ever wonder how many of us are actual embarking on the slippery slope to change?

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The way to bring about a change is to have this burning desire to change. A sworn commitment to change. When excuses in circumstances are given for not changing, then there will be no change. We can always blame others or the situation, but if there isn't sufficient desire or commitment to change, then change remains elusive. However, when we summon up enough courage and are ready to take up the responsibility of bringing about a change, initiative and commitment will follow. Accordingly, change will start to emerge slowly but surely. Success in change will gradually come about. Few changes will easily and abruptly happen. Most changes are nurtured and coaxed painfully and slowly before we even see the first sign of any real change.

Most times, to be successful in bringing about change is to cut ourselves loose from the status quo; to dissociate ourselves from the prevalent circumstances. If not, we will only continue to blame others and justify the situation in our own way and we will continue to escape from change. Change becomes difficult, if not impossible. The easiest manner to detach ourselves from this entanglement is to change ourselves. When we finally find the desire and courage to change ourselves, we will then find success and support from others to change.

When the ugly pupa metamorphoses into a beautiful butterfly, it did it on its own with great determination and effort. Nobody is going to help us without we helping ourselves in the first instant.

Dear Penfabricans, talk alone does not bring about results. When we talk change, change must first come from ourselves. When we wish to see change, be very determined to transform ourselves into that somebody we wish to be. Exhibit our prowess to transform and transformation will soon be successful.

Have a lovely weekend. Put pen to paper to draw up our transformation plan with schedule as our blueprints to change so as to achieve our intended results.

Thank you

With kind regards, HSTeh.