

***Leadership
in a Dynamic Environment***

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“Few people are born leaders. Leadership is achieved by ability, alertness, experience, and keeping posted; by willingness to accept responsibility; a knack of getting along with people; an open mind, and a head that stays clear under stress.”

~Franklin Field



**The “Golden Rule” of Leadership:
Take care of your people, and your
people will take care of you.**



I have learned that success is to be measured not so much by the position that one has reached in life, as by the obstacles which one has overcome while trying to succeed.

~Booker T. Washington



**A positive attitude is a
combat multiplier!**

~Joe Ramirez

“Someone will always be looking at you as an example of how to behave and live. Don’t let that person down.”

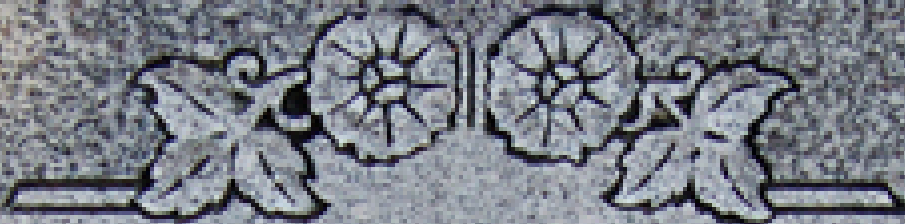
~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.



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“The graduates of this institution are not average citizens and so you can never be content to be merely good citizens. You must be great citizens. In everything you do, you must always make sure that you live up to the highest personal and professional standards of duty, service, and honor... the values of the best traditions of our country.

~Theodore Roosevelt

A decorative carving at the top of the headstone features two stylized flowers flanked by symmetrical leaf-like motifs.

ANDREW
1903 — 1989

'HE HAD A GOOD RUN"

Two bright yellow carnations are placed at the base of the headstone, one on the left and one on the right.



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“ "When all is said and done, have you done or said enough? Have you just gone along for the ride, or have you steered your destiny's hot rod? When you leave this world, will you be able to say you made it any better than it was when you arrived? All you need is all you've got: your wits, your instincts, your confidence, your willingness to try and fail, then try again. **Your epitaph is yours to earn, your legacy is yours to make. Go forth and live life to the fullest, make the world your playground, stare down adversity, steer your own destiny..." ~Anonymous**

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