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"Leaders breathe life into hopes and dreams of others and enable them to see the exciting possibilities that the future holds."

— From *The Leadership Challenge, Third Edition*, by Jim Kouzes and Barry Posner

Welcome to The Leadership Challenge Newsletter!

This monthly publication will inspire and educate you as a facilitator of leadership development. [As always, please let us know how we are doing](#); we may even contact you about featuring your ideas and stories in future editions of this newsletter.

Thoughts on the Model

Looking to better understand "Challenge the Process"? The Leadership Challenge® Workshop Master Facilitator Steve Coats begins by telling us what it is not. [More](#)

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Rants and Raves

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What We're Reading

Valarie Willis, a Leadership Challenge® Workshop Master Facilitator and a senior consultant for Bluepoint Leadership Development, is reading [The Other Side of the Card](#), by Mike Morrison, Dean of University of Toyota. "The book takes a look at what it takes for you to be an authentic leader. It is not enough that your name, title, and phone number shows up on a business card. The real question is what is on the other side of the card—who are you? The blank side of the card is a metaphor for our untapped potential. In this book, Morrison, encourages you to find your leadership voice, develop your capacity to care, move from the 'me' to 'we' style of leadership, understand personal values are what you promise to yourself and others, and create meaningful change in your organization. He invites us to discover and leverage our true gifts and talents. We should not concern ourselves with what others do better. Instead, we should follow our passions and reframe issues, allowing us to see them in a new light which can give new insights. Each of us, as a leader, needs to take a look at how we are leading and if we are leading from a place of authenticity. This book is in an easy-to-read story format with summaries at the end of each chapter and poignant questions for the reader to ponder."

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