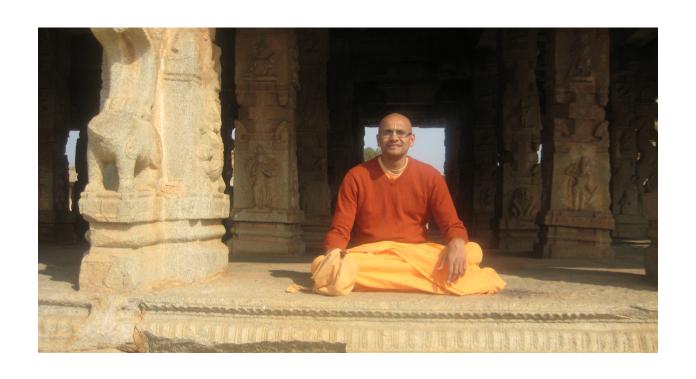
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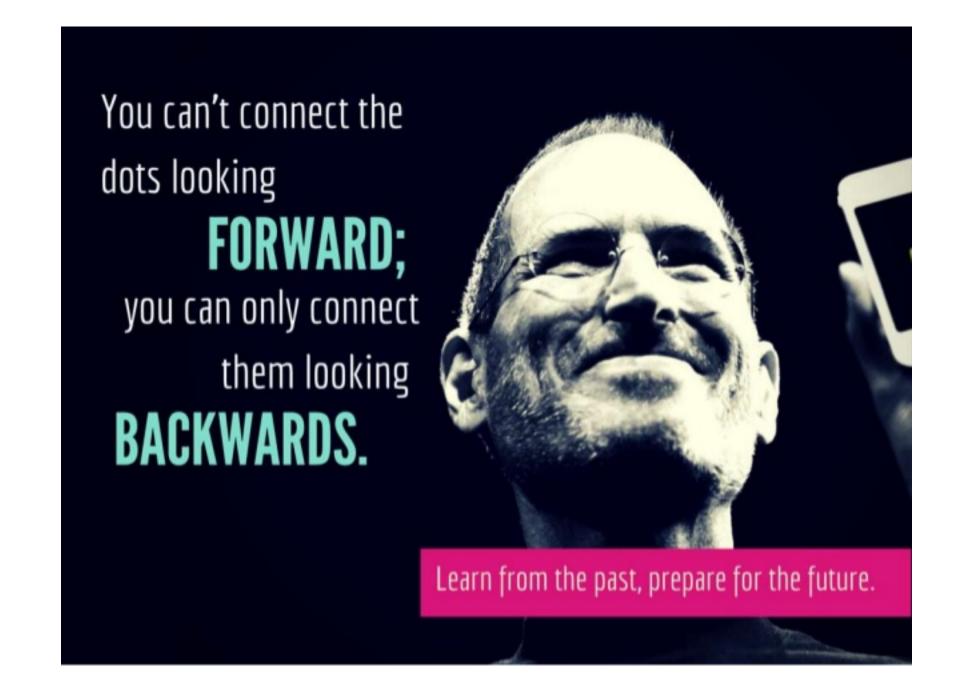
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# Monk (1999-2014)





# Developing Resilience



# The Mind

Smart Device

- Psychology Today
  - 25-50,000 thoughts per day



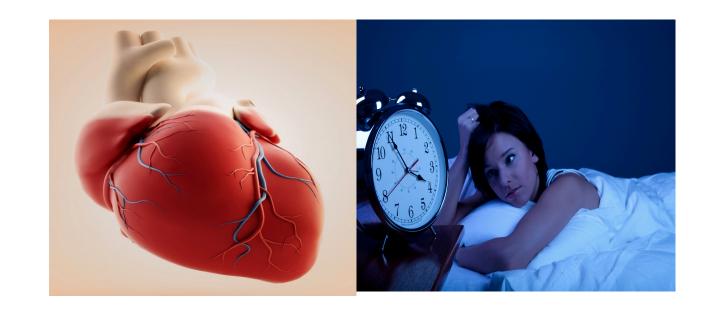
# Thoughts



#### Mind's Impact on Body

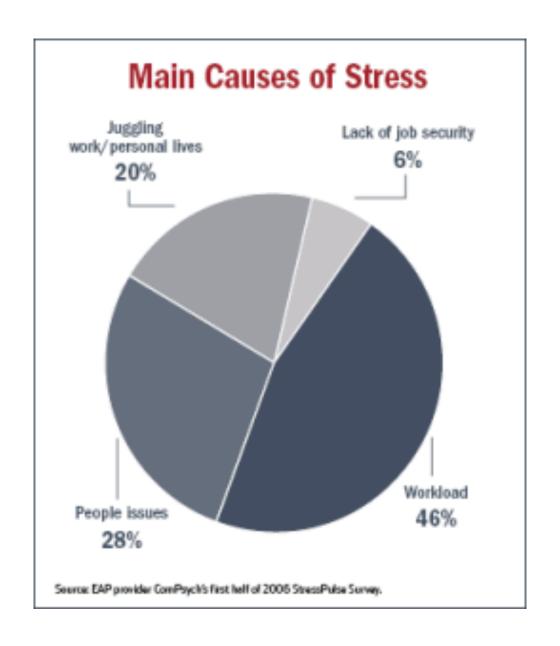
Positive stress – adrenaline boost; accomplish goals

- Stress & Anxiety
  - High blood pressure
  - Insomnia
  - Heart Attack
  - Stroke



#### American Institute of Stress

- 46% Workload
- 28% -- People issues
- Job stress costing over \$300 billion



### Keys for Work-Life Balance

• Exercise/Yoga

Personal Hobby

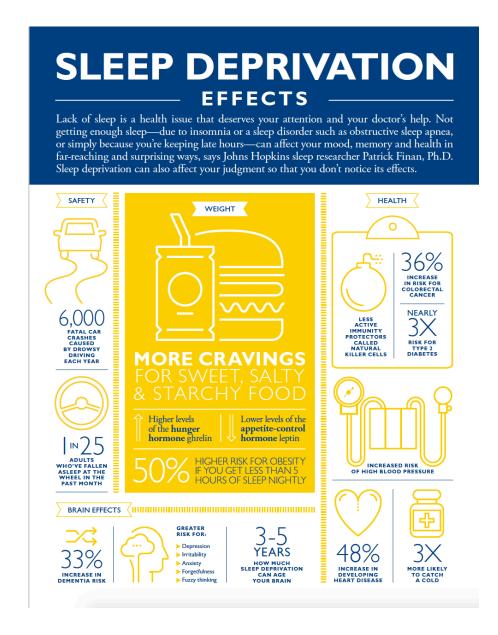
Positive relationships

Sleep



# John Hopkins Medicine – Patrick Finan, Ph.D.

"Lack of sleep ...can effect your mood, memory...health... and your judgment..."



48% increase in developing heart disease

50% higher risk for obesity

36% increase in risk for colorectal cancer

Nearly 3X the risk for type 2 diabetes

33% increase in dementia risk

#### Healthy Diet for Stress Reduction

 World Health Organization – "Red Meat was classified as Group 2, probably carcinogenic to human beings. Processed meat was classified as carcinogenic to humans (Group 1)."

 National Cancer Institute – "People whose diets are rich in plant foods such as fruits and vegetables have a lower risk of getting cancers...diabetes, heart disease, and hypertension."

#### **NYC.GOV**



"All these extra calories can bring on obesity, type 2 diabetes, and heart disease."

# Mindfulness and Meditation...

"...makes
you more
productive."

**Forbes** 

"...can
enhance
creativity,
memory..."
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New Hork
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"...decreases anxiety, depression and stress."

Psychology Today

"...boosts
emotional
intelligence."



# Positive Workplace Connections

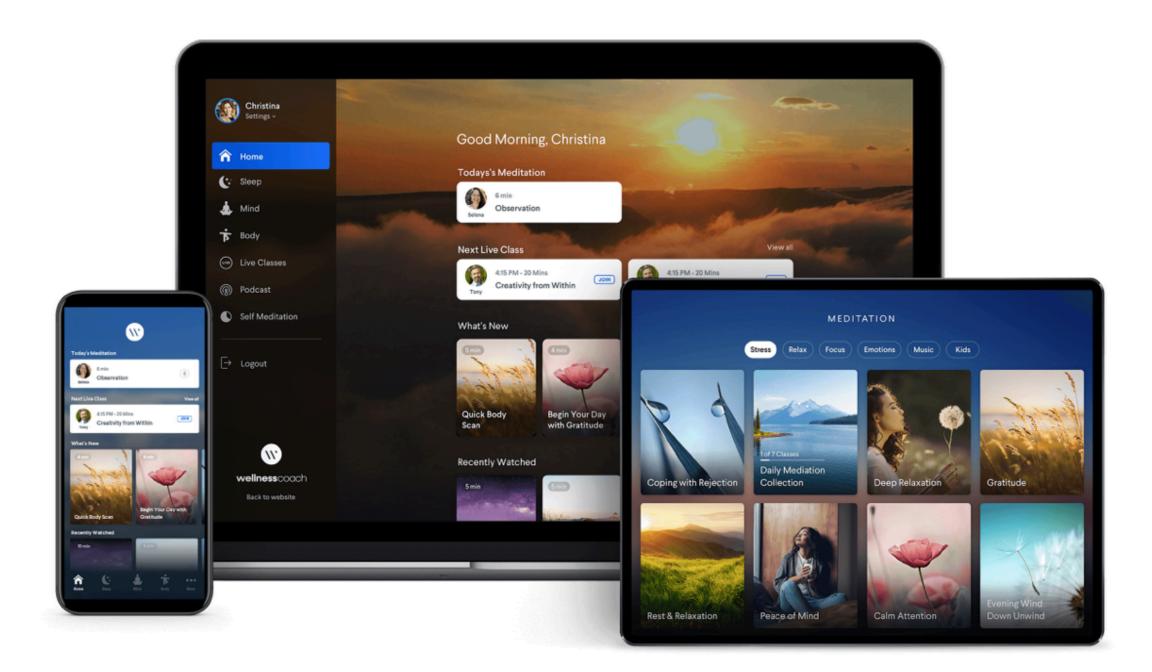
- Appreciate and celebrate the success of others
- Harvard Business Review December 1, 2015
  - "...positive social connections at work produce highly desirable results."
  - people get sick less often
  - experience less depression
  - learn faster and remember longer
  - display more mental acuity
  - perform better on the job

## NOT ONLY FOR MONKS!





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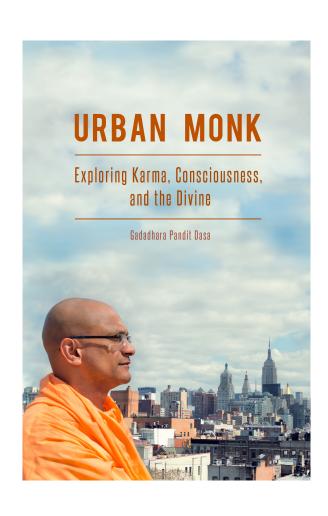




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