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Speech Topic | The Importance of Mistakes: How We Celebrate Them, Embrace Them, and Learn From Them:

Mistakes are often seen as bad, yet they are an important part of life and learning. Discover how and why mistakes are part of the learning process and benefit learning. Learn how to give your children the freedom to make mistakes and learn from them. Walk away with healthy attitudes towards mistakes and learn positive ways to deal with them. It is not the mistakes that are so important, it is what is done after a mistake that is significant. Learn how to respond to your own and your children's mistakes in ways that benefit you all. Eliminating the fear of making mistakes will make homeschooling and life less stressful

Biography: Theresa is a humor hunter, storyteller, teacher, and author. Her mission is to get people to quit looking for perfection and instead give themselves the freedom to make mistakes and use them to their advantage. She designed and taught college composition and English classes for 6 years, then designed and taught English to elementary through high school homeschoolers. She has homeschooled for the past 11 years. Theresa has a blog (TheresaBoedeker.com), produces a humorous podcast (*Life as it Comes*), and has authored over 50 articles that have appeared in print magazines. She wrote an 11 part series on Mistakes and is working on a book about mistakes. She wants people to know that it is not the mistakes that we make that matter, it is what we do after a mistake that matters.

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Publishing credits include: Focus on the Family, Christian Home and School, ParentLife, HomeLife, Computing Teacher, and Instructor.



A college English instructor, homeschooler, and English teacher to elementary through high school students, Theresa uses humor and practical life experience to communicate useable truths to audiences.

"I really appreciated the words of encouragement, humor, and wisdom that Theresa had to share."

– Annie Skelton