SPIRITUALITY AND RESILIENCE

Instructor: Kathy Marshall

Maintaining your peace of mind and engaging in meaningful class conversations during the ongoing pandemic is the special focus of this A Term class.

This small seminar size is ideal online for examining natural resilience and our inner landscape. Discussions are reflective, instructive, and thought provoking. We explore life experiences, examine relevant resilience and spiritual literature, and discover how we operate from the inside out in ordinary life. We learn live and share basic principles behind resilience.

The study is applicable in a wide variety of disciplines from helping professions, scientific endeavors, education, to business and more. These lessons are applicable in both personal and professional life. Impact of this learning is lasting and deep.

An array of audio visuals, readings, discussions, and activities are employed. Select global authors will be invited guest speakers. Grade is based on full class participation, a brief written reflection, and two short papers with informal presentations.

For additional class details contact instructor Kathy Marshall at marsh008@umn.edu

Wed. 4:00 - 6:30 p.m. CST on January 19, 26; February 2, 9, 16, 23; and March 2
Sat. 9:00 - 11:30 a.m. CST on January 22, 29; February 12, and March 5

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COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course will:
- Find links between resilience and spirituality.
- Apply resilience/health realization model to students' personal/professional lives.
- Review literature, theory, and research.

STUDENT TESTIMONIALS

"It is a mystery why more of my courses didn’t teach me any skills to live better and well. It’s more crucial and difficult than any other subject. I am eternally grateful for the Center and Kathy."

"She was WONDERFUL. Best academic teacher I’ve EVER had. So soothing and wonderful. An enlightening, tough, and challenging, meaningful course. She really was inspirational and provided a life-changing environment."

"This was the most worthwhile course during my time in school."