

## Things I've Learned

I've learned that no matter what happens, and no matter how bad it seems today, life goes on, and it will be better tomorrow.

I've learned that you can tell a lot about a person by the way he or she handles three things: a rainy day, the elderly, and lost luggage.

I've learned that, regardless of your relationship with your parents, you'll miss them when they're gone from your life.

I've learned that making a "living" is not the same thing as making a "life."

I've learned that life sometimes gives you a second chance.

I've learned that you shouldn't go through life with a catcher's mitt on both hands. You need to be able to throw something back.

I've learned that if you pursue happiness, it will elude you, but if you focus on your family, your friends, the needs of others, your work, and doing the very best you can, happiness will find you.

I've learned that whenever I decide something with an open heart, I usually make the right decision.

I've learned that even when I have pains, I don't have to be one.

I've learned that, every day, you should reach out and touch someone.

Lastly, I've learned that I still have a lot to learn.