

I am Carolyn Dunow and this is my credo

I Respect the individual values, gifts and talents each person brings to light. I have come to understand that each person shares an opportunity to enhance life; the best opportunities are sometimes the ones that are the most disruptive to peace and stability.

I Honor each person by listening to and trying to understand various points of view. Conflict is simply a means to be open to new possibilities, re-assess personal values and gain wisdom. I engage in direct, non-threatening conflict management but at times find it best to agree to disagree.

I am of Service to all who seek my assistance. I openly share everything I know because at one point I learned it from someone else. Fear based competition lacks abundance; it is my hope that others may exceed my level of expertise to support the advancement of future generations.

I hold Compassion for others, for I view the world differently and make mistakes too. Perfection, regret as well as holding grudges are terribly non-productive, learn but do move on. There are no black and white rules to follow, only your heart.

I Support the autonomy of others and expect that my autonomy be honored. It is the greatest thing to know we all are unique, divine expressions of God. Perhaps, it is the greatest loss to miss *your* mark, which can result from trying to live up to the expectations of others.

I take Opportunities

to step outside of the ordinary and try new things every chance I get.

