



# Postcards from Professional Paradise

## Your Passport to Professional Paradise

### *Are We There Yet?*

I love the navigation system in my car. "Shirley" (*Shirley she will get us there*) is my friend on business trips and pleasure trips alike. She dutifully bosses me around telling me where to go (sounds like some coworkers or family members, doesn't she?).

I realized lately why I am so attracted to my GPS. Aside from the obvious convenience of turn by turn directions, I am crazy about the clock that tells me exactly what time I will arrive at my destination. When I change my route, get stuck in traffic or hit a traffic jam, "Shirley" knows exactly how this will affect the ultimate outcome of my journey. She is also able to change the directions based on detours I take.

What if I said that you could have a GPS for work...a system to help you with turn by turn directions and even knowing when you will be at your "destination"?

Guess what...you do! It's my version of a GPS - a *Global Paradise System*<sup>TM</sup>.

#### **Your Destination**

If you don't put the destination in your car GPS, you will not receive directions. I find that many folks haven't defined their destination at work and therefore, don't know which turns to take.

Generally speaking, your destination at work is the outcomes you want to achieve. In Professional Paradise, outcomes are those things that get you satisfied, energized and productive. When I ask folks what gets them satisfied and energized at work, the most popular response I hear is "making a difference and contributing."

### *What is your destination at work?*

Have you thought about the outcomes you seek and what gets you satisfied and productive? Need help? Just click [here](#) and you can access a free PDF exercise to help you determine what Professional Paradise means to you.

#### **Turn by Turn Directions**

The second part of your *Global Paradise System* is the turn by turn directions. In your car, the GPS has a computer with sophisticated geographical software to guide you at every turn. The system is only as good as the information was when the program was installed.

Your turn by turn directions at work are "programmed" into your head as beliefs and mindsets. These beliefs and mindsets drive the actions you take every day at work. They guide you on your journey whether you know it or not.

## Update your GPS

In the car, if the roads change, you have to update your system. The same thing holds true for your GPS. If you are holding on to old beliefs and mindsets - you will hit dead ends. Take some time now to examine your beliefs and mindsets to make sure they are current and don't include any closed roads. Click [here](#) to download a "Belief Brief" which will help you update your system.

Are you ready to plug in your GPS at work? Luckily, you don't have to wait for a great sale on the day after Thanksgiving to pick one up. This *Global Paradise System* is free and ready to be set up. Click on the links for the tools to install the GPS and enjoy the journey to Professional Paradise today! **Are we there yet?**

Signing off from Professional Paradise-



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