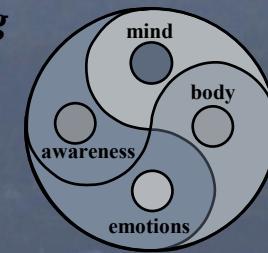


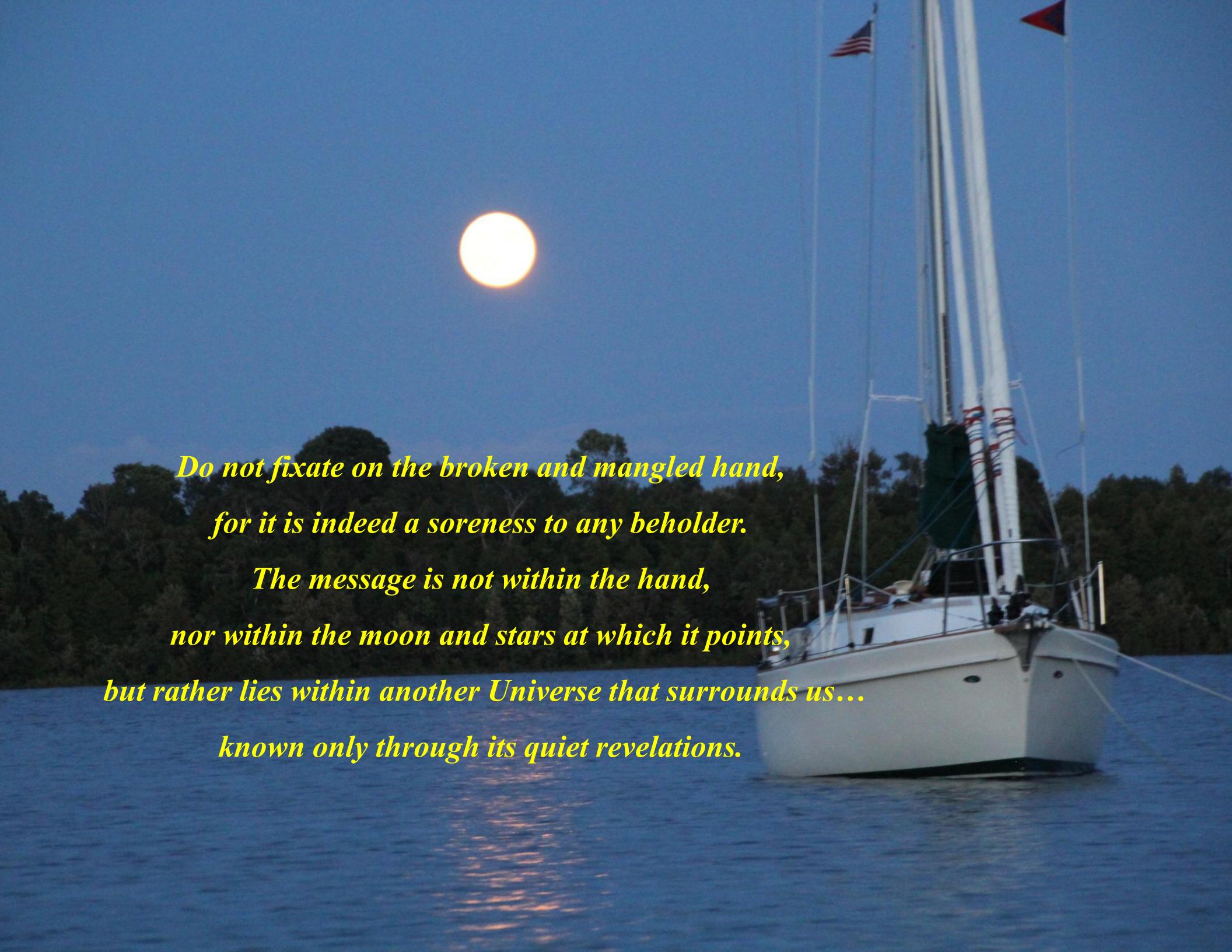
*Make your own team posters.
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This picture portfolio is an example of how a team can use these same quotes, but with pictures from their own sport's history. These quotes, or other quotes by Andrew O. Jackson, are freely available for your own team posters but with copyrights reserved by the author.



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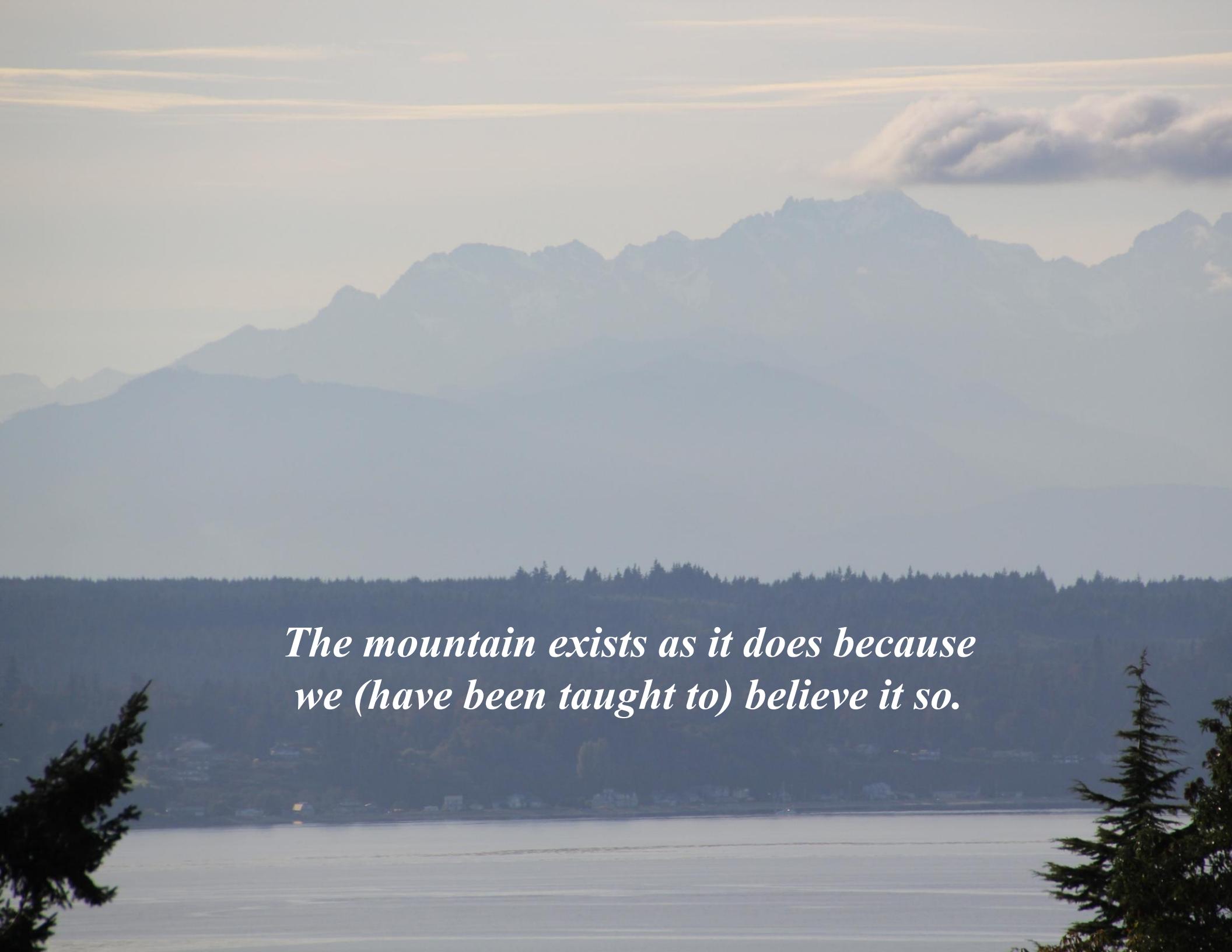


A sailboat with a white hull and a dark sail is anchored on a calm body of water. The sky is a deep, clear blue. A full moon is visible in the upper left quadrant. The sailboat has an American flag flying from its mast. The water reflects the light of the moon and the sky.

*Do not fixate on the broken and mangled hand,
for it is indeed a soreness to any beholder.

The message is not within the hand,
nor within the moon and stars at which it points,
but rather lies within another Universe that surrounds us...

known only through its quiet revelations.*

A wide-angle landscape photograph of a mountain range. In the foreground, the dark silhouettes of evergreen trees are visible on both the left and right sides. Beyond the trees, a large body of water stretches across the middle ground. In the background, a range of mountains is visible, their peaks partially obscured by a hazy, light-colored sky. The overall atmosphere is serene and contemplative.

*The mountain exists as it does because
we (have been taught to) believe it so.*



Success or failure in competition, or in life itself, is a cognitive-emotional state first determined within the battlefield of the mind.



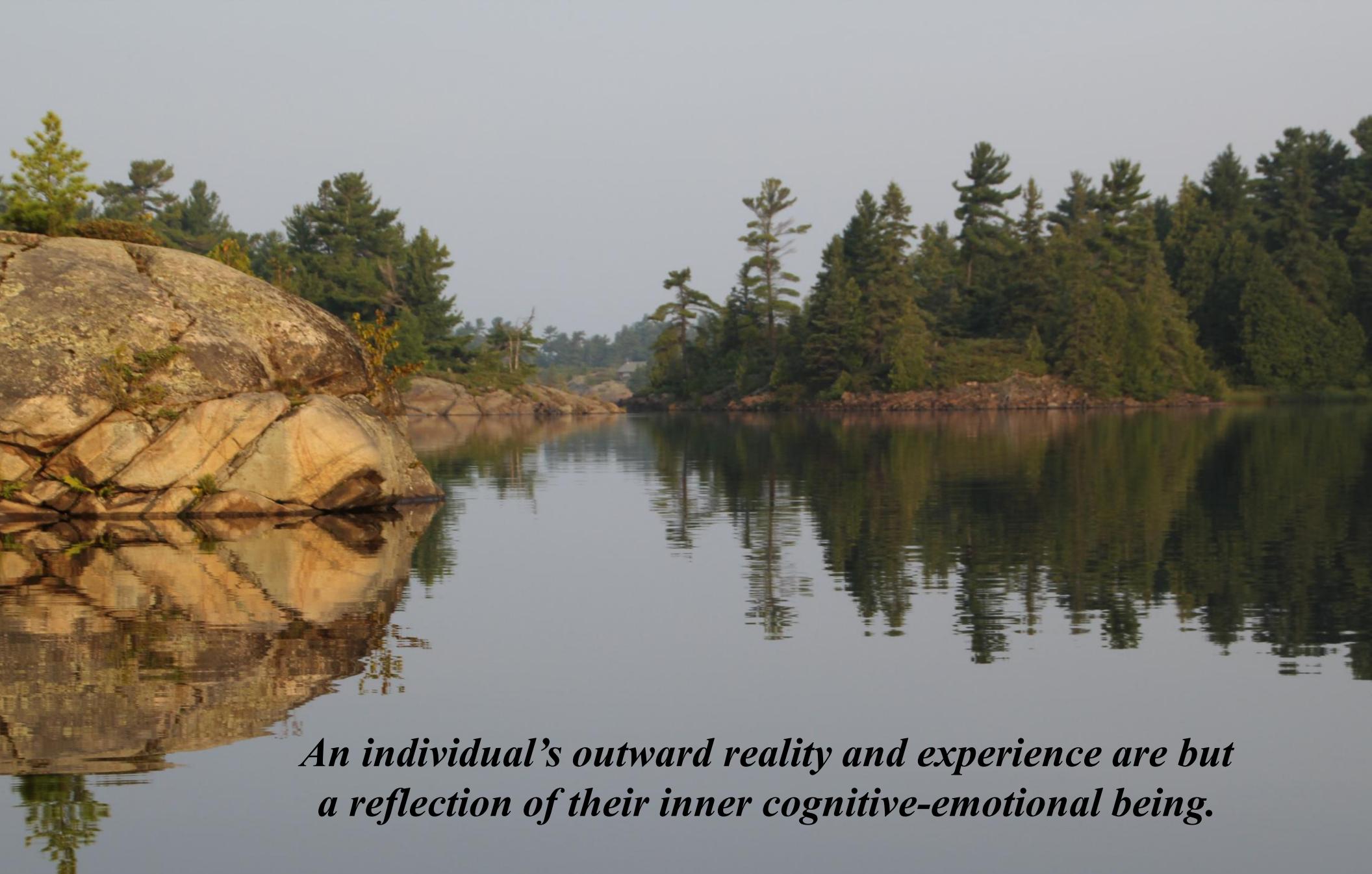
Champions, in sport or in life, prevail because their cognitive-emotional projection of reality becomes dominant and prohibits the competition from seeing the reality of their own success.



The outcome of a competition, or conflict in life itself, matches the cognitive-emotional state of being of the victor and the loser. The play of the game is just an opportunity to determine who has the greater capacity to remain in which state.



All things being equal, the team who builds and maintains their own cognitive-emotional knowing and good feeling of well-being and success will win because they are allowing the events, conditions, and circumstances of their intent.

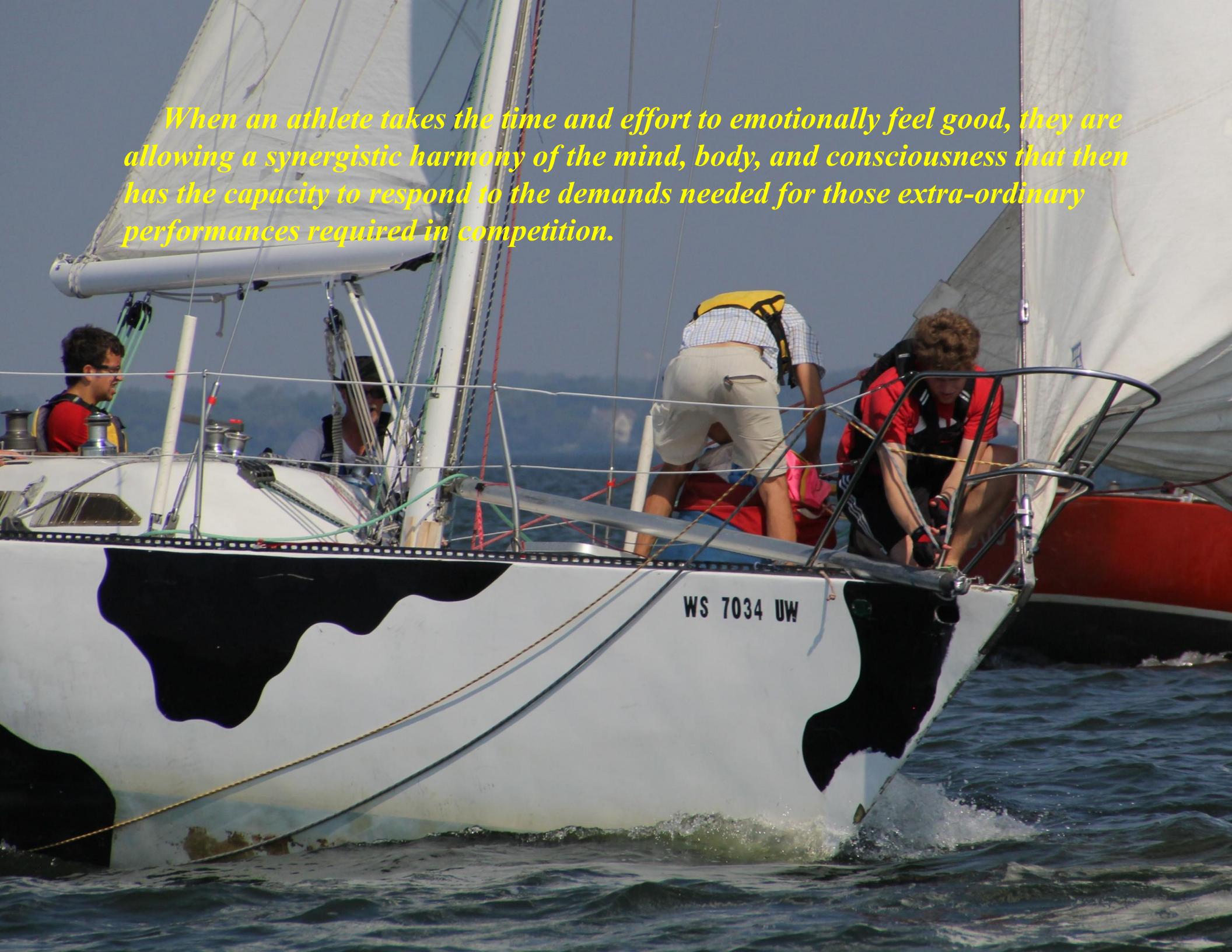


An individual's outward reality and experience are but a reflection of their inner cognitive-emotional being.



To re-create the cognitive-emotional state of being of one's past, best performance is one step closer to creating now, a new best performance.

When an athlete takes the time and effort to emotionally feel good, they are allowing a synergistic harmony of the mind, body, and consciousness that then has the capacity to respond to the demands needed for those extra-ordinary performances required in competition.



All things being equal, the athlete who builds and maintains their own cognitive-emotional knowing and good feeling of well-being and success will win because they are allowing the events, conditions, and circumstances of their intent, desire, and wanting.





*The Mind shapes reality;
Emotions indicate the desirability of that shape.*



When joy and good feelings permeate your life, practice, and competition... good things happen.

To have the physiological capacity for situational awareness, comprehension, and response, that is, to have the neurological and biochemical physiology demanded by a world-class performance, emotions, moods, attitudes, and feelings must be in a feeling-good state of being.

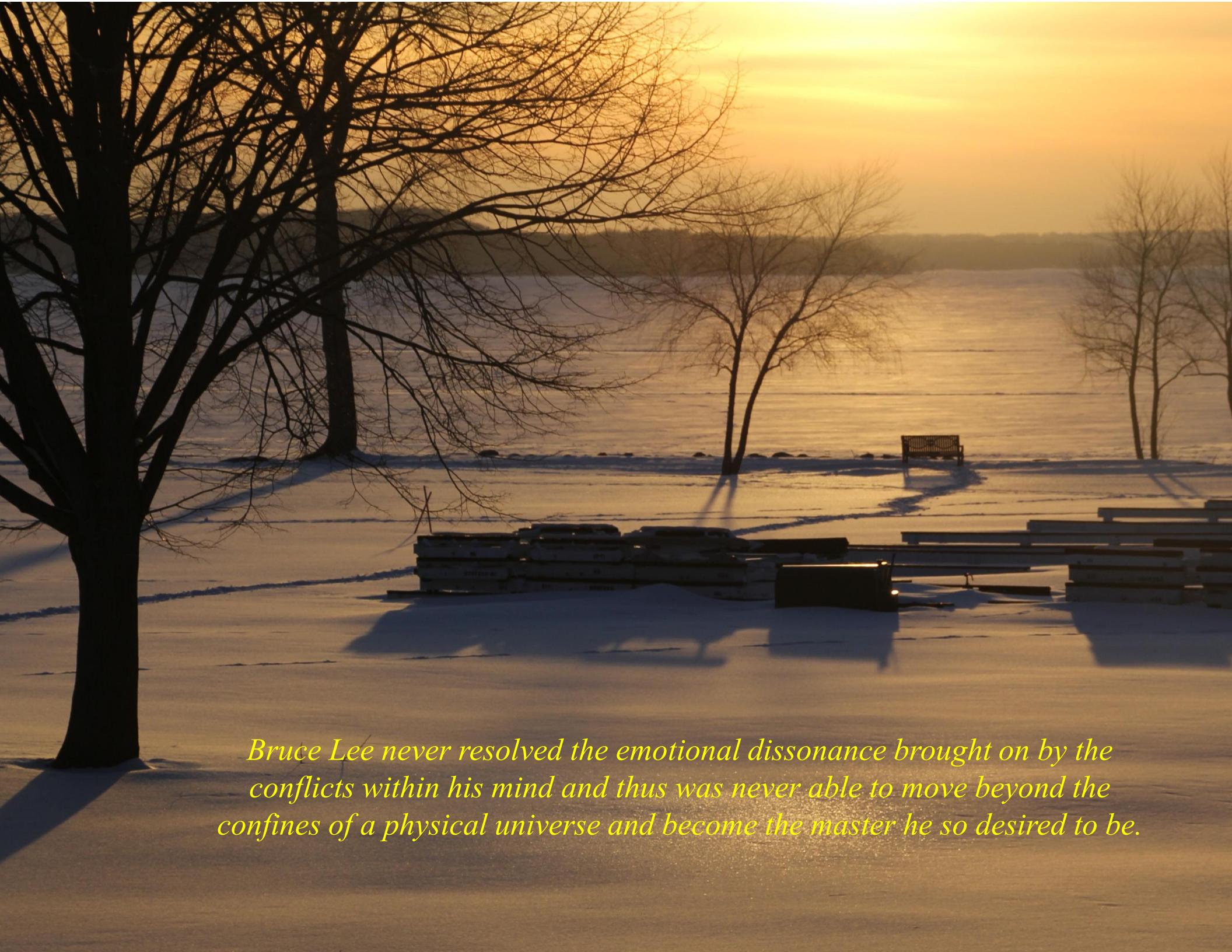


A photograph of two sailboats racing on a body of water. The boat on the left is red with a white sail featuring a green and purple design. The boat on the right is white with black spots and a sail with a blue and yellow design. Both boats have crews visible, and the background shows a distant shoreline under a clear sky.

*Good and effective decisions and their actualization
cannot be made in a vortex of negative emotions.*

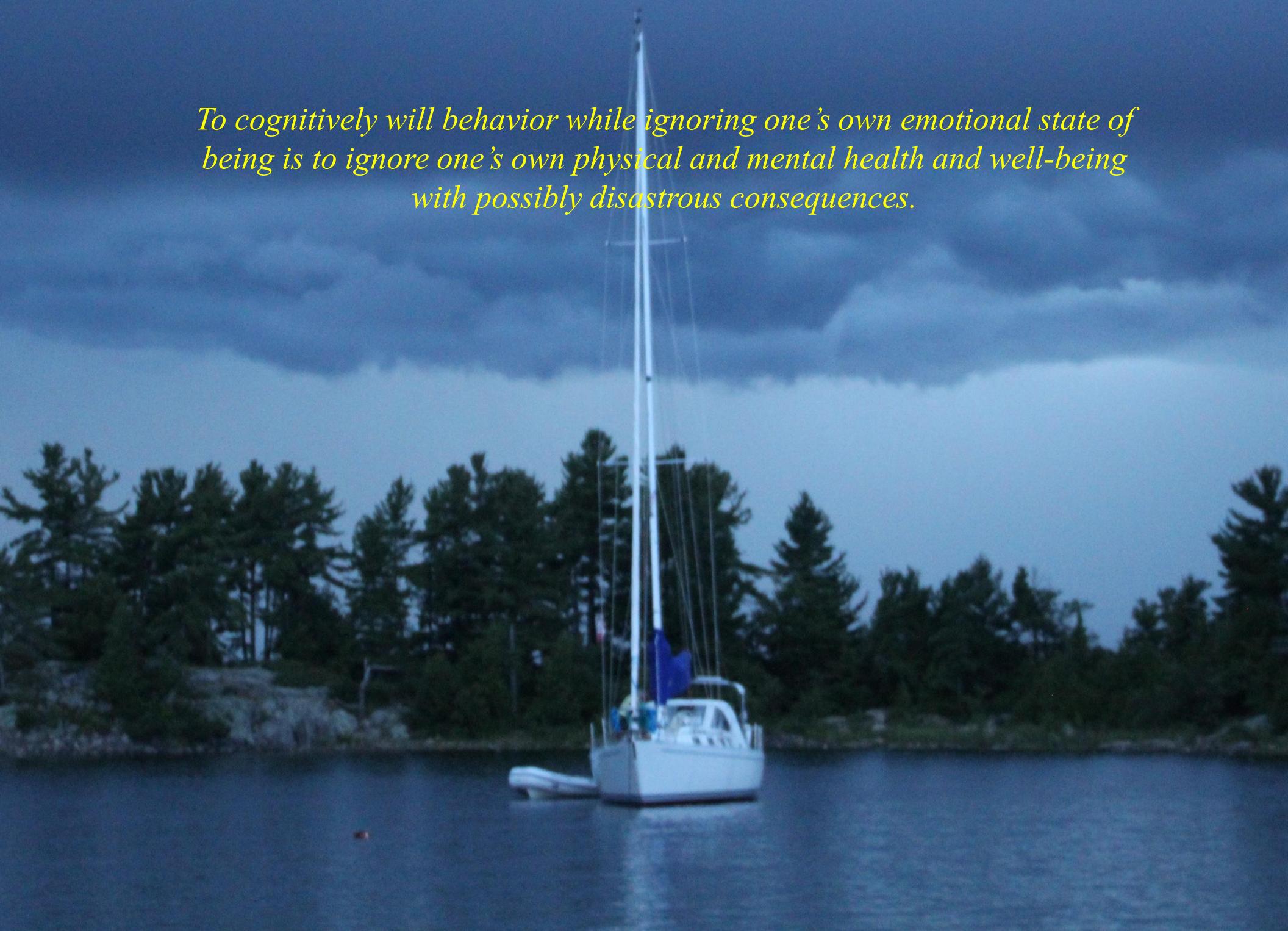


Disassociating, ignoring, or camouflaging any unaddressed emotionally negative feelings will be revealed within a substandard performance and, even more dramatically, within an injury.



Bruce Lee never resolved the emotional dissonance brought on by the conflicts within his mind and thus was never able to move beyond the confines of a physical universe and become the master he so desired to be.

To cognitively will behavior while ignoring one's own emotional state of being is to ignore one's own physical and mental health and well-being with possibly disastrous consequences.



A sailboat with a white sail featuring the letters 'J', '80', 'USA', and '81' is sailing on a body of water. In the background, the dome of the Wisconsin State Capitol building is visible against a clear sky.

Good feeling emotions, moods, attitudes, and feelings have an evolved positive correlation with health, well-being, and effective decision-making prowess (and their actualization).

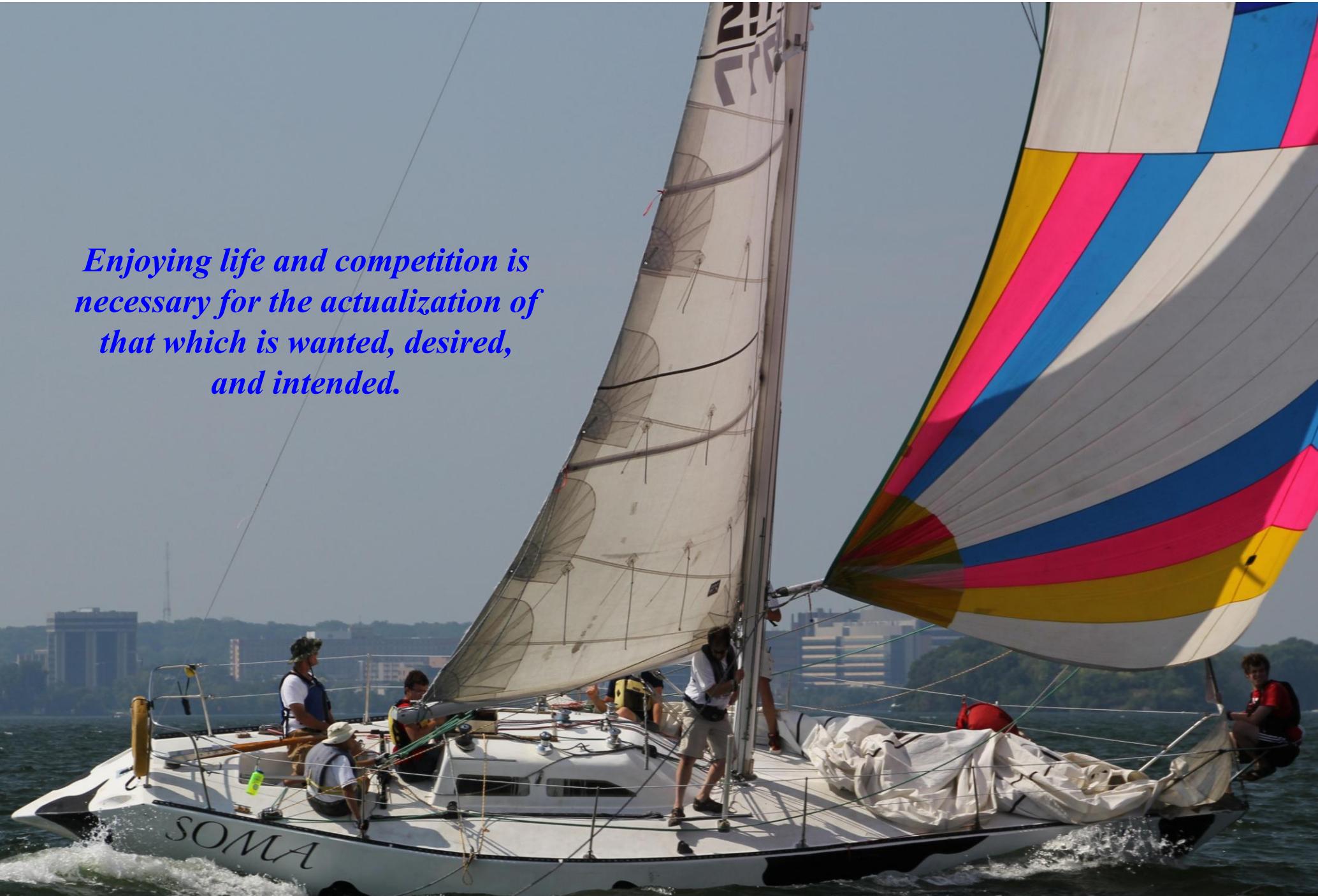


Negative, bad feeling emotions, moods, attitudes, and feelings have an evolved correlation with the lack of health, well-being and effective and successful decision-making prowess and their actualization.

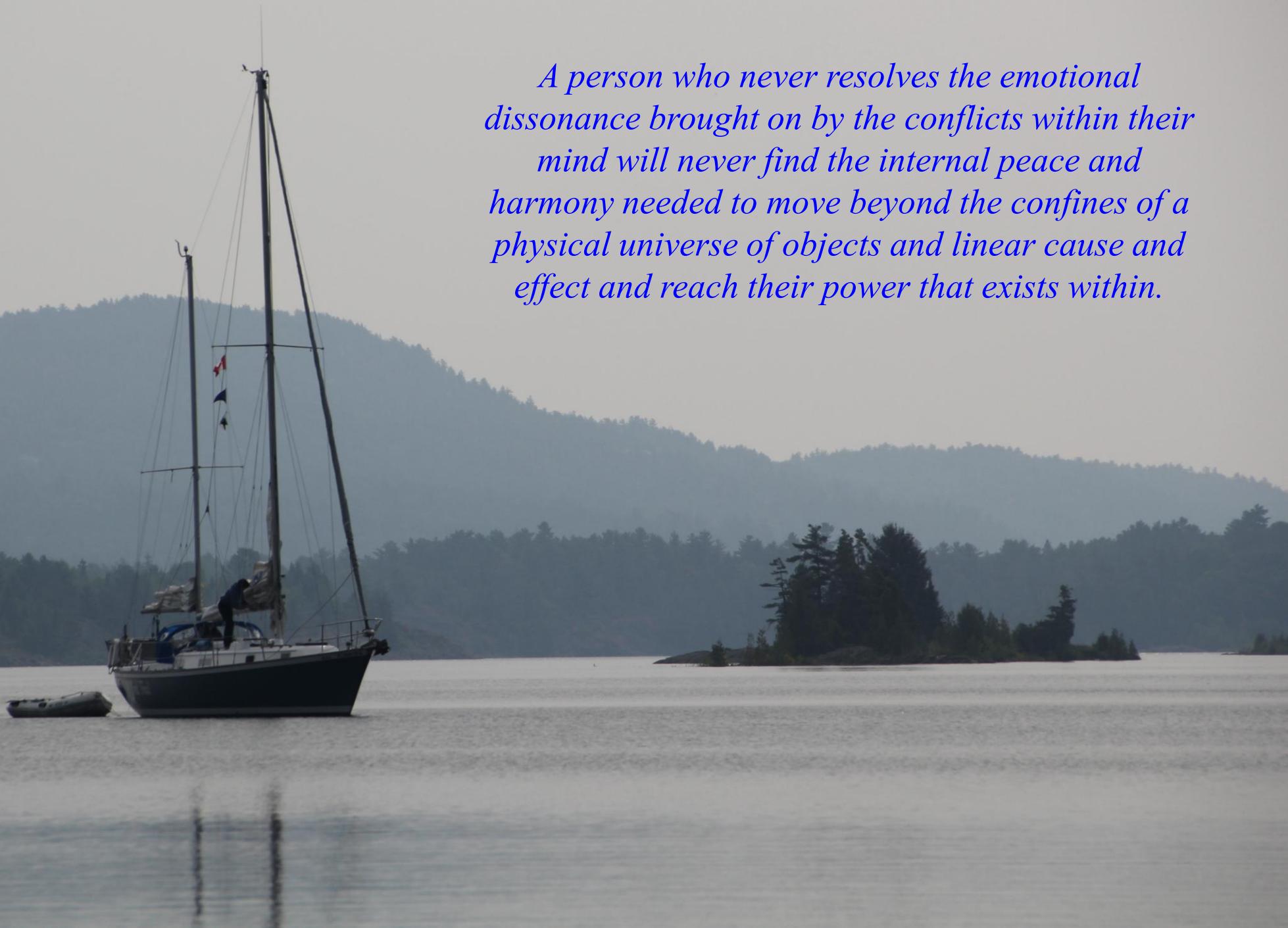


Emotions, attitudes, moods, and feelings are leading indicators of the desirability (or un-desirability) of a coming rendezvous of people, places, and events.

Enjoying life and competition is necessary for the actualization of that which is wanted, desired, and intended.



A person who never resolves the emotional dissonance brought on by the conflicts within their mind will never find the internal peace and harmony needed to move beyond the confines of a physical universe of objects and linear cause and effect and reach their power that exists within.





*Intent, free from conflict, bias,
and discord allows a harmonious
rendezvous of people, places, and events.*

*As in sailing as in life, the opportunity is there to enjoy;
it is our responsibility to make it so (our success depends on it).*



We no longer live in a cognitive world or an emotional world, but a cognitive-emotional world of re-processing cognitive activities guided by emotional awareness.



Because joy has an evolved correlation with health, well-being, and success we have evolved to be joyous beings.



Emotional Wisdom

A nation of peace, harmony, and justice cannot exist in a masculine psychology and literary linguistics of emotionally driven behavior and control, conflict, and suppression. Cognition, not emotion, precipitates the good and bad feeling neurological, biochemical, and physiological changes and states of being in the brain and body that drives behavior. Emotions are the perception of these changes and states of physiology. Our feminine emotional being has evolved not to be controlled, regulated, or managed by our masculine mind, but to empathetically guide cognitive behavior towards good feeling, healthy, and successful decision-making prowess and abilities.

Ancient Greek philosophers and today's academic dissertations of emotional suffering, slavery, and vulnerability exist only when cognitively dwelling upon the lack or absence of that which is wanted, desired, or intended. When these emotionally negative cognitive activities are re-processed, re-structured, and re-developed into emotionally positive cognitions, a being of emotional suffering, slavery, and vulnerability is transformed, transmuted, and renovated into a being of joy, freedom, and power with the imaginative, artistic, and creative mind necessary to fashion and manifest their wanted, desired, and intended world, reality, truth, and favored fortune.