

## I have always been impressed by these freedoms:

On January 6, 1941, President Franklin D. Roosevelt, proclaimed in his *State of the Union* that if democracy is to survive and flourish, people everywhere in the world are entitled to four human rights:

**freedom of speech and expression**  
**freedom of worship**  
**freedom from want**  
**freedom from fear**

## Life, Liberty and the Pursuit of Happiness\*

### For me, this means:

- **Freedom** integrated with responsibility to the **common good**
- **Equality and fairness** in relationships, including gender expectations
- **Compassion** expressing love of neighbor
- **Happiness** measured by peace and joy
- **Voluntary associations** built on creativity and pluralism
- **Empathy** for others who may need a helping hand

\*1) Good luck; good fortune; prosperity 2) a state of well-being and pleasurable satisfaction 3) bliss 4) felicity

### I like this acronym:

FEAR

False F

Evidence E

Appearing A

REAL R