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HOLIDAY SPARK!

It's that time of year again, the magical season that runs from Thanksgiving through New Year's Day. I'm not sure when everything got lumped into one term "the holidays", but when it happened I believe our collective stress levels increased.

Each one of us celebrates a different combination of holidays during the last six weeks of the year: Thanksgiving, Hanukkah, Christmas, Kwanzaa, New Year's Eve, New Year's Day, etc. Add in a few birthdays, anniversaries, and all of our regular responsibilities and it becomes a busy time of year.

How will you stay sane, get ready and enjoy the magic of the holidays? Find your holiday **SPARK!**

Take time for your **S**elf! Create a pocket of time in your day for a few minutes of self-care. Ten minutes of meditation or a daily walk. Inspirational reading or working on your favorite hobby. Take a few minutes to decompress and recharge your battery.

Create a **P**lan for the holidays! If you can stay ahead of the craziness, you will feel more in control. Find some time to update the family calendar with all of the holidays events. Decide which events are most important and if you must participate or attend all of them.

Allow yourself to be present. You can find a way to get it all done. We survive the holidays. Typically, we have a sense of accomplishment but not a sense of enjoyment. This year, allow yourself to be present at each holiday event, meal, and gathering. Express your gratitude for your friends and family; gratitude will lift your spirits and the spirits of others around you.

Relax, it will all get done! The gifts will be purchased and wrapped. The cookies and pies will get baked and enjoyed. The parties will be attended. Think back to past years. Did everything get done that needed to get done? Sometimes we create impossible plans and lists of tasks that don't really need to get done. So, relax, what needs to be done will get done.

And finally, be **K**ind to yourself and others. Embody the holiday spirit in all that you do and with everyone you encounter. Create a mindset of holiday spirit. Practice kindness with yourself. Smile at yourself in the mirror. Forgive yourself if you didn't bake the extra pie or pick up the extra gift. Practice random acts of kindness: buy a gift for giving tree, or donate a few hours at a local shelter. Kindness counts.

Find your holiday SPARK and enjoy the holidays!

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Deb Wilber can help you understand your journey so you can release your fears, feel more confident and realize your purpose.



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