

Sacred Space

Think About It

The paradox of our time in history is that...

*We have taller buildings, but shorter temper;
Wider freeways, but narrower viewpoints;
We spend more, but have less;
We buy more, but enjoy it less.*

*We have bigger houses and smaller families;
More conveniences, but less time;
We have more degrees, but less sense;
More knowledge, but less judgment;
More experts, but fewer solutions;
More medicine, but less wellness.*

*We have multiplied our possessions, but reduced
our values;
We talk too much, love too seldom, and hate too.
We've learned how to make a living, but not a life;
We've added years to life, not life to years.*

*We've been all the way to the moon and back,
But have trouble crossing the street to meet the new
neighbor.*

*We've conquered outer space, but not inner space;
We've split the atom, but not our prejudice.
We've higher incomes, but lower morals;
We've become long on quantity, but short on
quality.*

*These are the times of tall men, and short
character;
Steep profits and shallow relationships.
These are the times of world peace, but domestic
warfare;
More leisure, but less fun;
More kinds of food, but less nutrition.*

*These are days of two incomes, but more divorce;
Of fancier houses, but broken homes.
It is a time when there is much in the show
window,
And nothing in the stock-room.*

We are always ready to live...but never living
R W Emerson

Earlier there was more time & less Expectations,
Now there are more Expectations and less time.
Sunil