REALISM - UNREALISM

Sometimes we wonder, "What can I realistically expect?" True realism depends on CONDITIONS. Is it realistic to expect the bread will bake? Well, WITH heat, or WITHOUT heat? Similarly...

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A pessimistic person—one who chronically thinks that life is terrible, and who expects the worst—will have an unhappy, unfulfilled life. *That* is realistic.

True understanding will come to a person who pursues it earnestly, with an open mind.

A couple who love each other generously will enjoy a wonderful relationship.

An unselfish, genuinely caring person will attract a bird of a similar feather, and be fulfilled in love.

A person who works diligently and conscientiously, and treats co-workers and customers with kindness, will do well at work.

A person will master a skill if they believe they can, and work diligently at it.

A pessimistic person who doubts life's best possibilities as they arise will create beautiful, lasting relationships and a wonderful life. Not a chance!

True understanding will come to one who doesn't want to know, but prefers to live in denial instead.

A relationship of two selfish people—or which includes even *one* selfish person—can satisfy the heart.

A selfish person can be fulfilled by finding a bird of a similar feather—or *any* feather.

A person who does careless or mediocre work, rebels against authority, and has negative attitudes will do well.

A person will master any skill even if they believe they can't, and even if they don't work at it.