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- What does this quotation mean to you?
- How does this quotation relate to courage?
- How can you tell when your conscience is speaking to you? Why should you trust it?
- Why is it sometimes hard to take a stand for what is right? Why is it so important? What does it say about your character?
- Tell about a time when it was hard for you to do the right thing. How did you feel about yourself?

Let your conscience be your guide.

Carlo Collodi (Carlo Lorenzini), 1826–1890
Italian writer, journalist, and author of
Adventures of Pinocchio

- How can your conscience guide you?

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Courage is not only mastering fear; it is the ability to face difficulty or risk with integrity and honor.

politic:
unlikely to offend or cause trouble

conscience:
an internal sense of right and wrong