Christian Coaching Book by Gary Collins David VanDenburgh's review April 19, 2007

Very little work done in the area of positive psychology.

Our society tends to focus upon the dysfunctional parts of family, etc.

Lots of people get little ministry attention because they are well.

We tend to ignore them because they are not sick.

80-20 principle.

Maybe we are spending 80% of dysfunctional people... We need to reverse it and spend 80% of time with healthy people.

In systems, very easy for it to be controlled by the most dysfunctional people.

They tend to be catered to and easily offended.

We can't do this great program in the church; because they might be offended.

We let the most dysfunctional people in the church dictate to the movement of the church's progress.

Our society tends to promote attention for those who are less capable.

Founder of family systems....Edwin Friedman (see *From Generation to Generation*)

Also see Friedman's Fables