"The Law Library is a Teaching & Learning Center"

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Long gone are the days when the library was thought of as mainly a repository of old books where wealthy people went to pass the time. For a majority of developed

nations, the library became the nursery of ideas that aided in their development.

To me, the library is a sacred place where human beings aspire to make the most out of themselves. Law libraries in particular, developed into the centers of their communities where lawmakers and law professionals interact and polish their advocacy skills.

Today, the law library has evolved to become the intellectual laboratory where legal investigation is conducted; where information gets dissected and disseminated, where thoughts and actions get discussed and turned into rules for us to live by.

The times have changed and the platforms or vehicles we use to learn from, may look differently, they vary from books that are still preferred by many, to electronic readers, smart phones and portable computers but, the process is very much the same.

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The law library helps us understand from basic principles to complex legal doctrines. It does not matter what level in your understanding you possess. There is nobody there to judge you or admire you for taking the time to step inside its doors or data search of knowledge.

The law library provides a safe haven, a sanctuary, where you can go and ask for guidance in filtering the enormous amounts of information that drown us. It has gone from being the place where you would seek the most information to the place where you would seek the best source of information. This growing trend is a result of all the distortion that abounds in today's world. Special interest groups spreading falsehoods about each other, pseudo legal information sites trying to sell their wares, impostors who spread confusion by sounding off as if they are experts.

A good law library can make or break a person's life. It can be used to pursue much more than what conventional human beings aspire to. The law library can be a place where one is challenged but in the process, one is changed. A person learns to question properly. A person learns to answer prudently. It is a place where the diamond in the rough sheds its sharp edges and becomes smooth, becomes bright, becomes wise.

When someone chooses to sit quietly and read the items that a good law library houses within, that person transforms. Something magical emerges that lets the spirit wonder. It becomes an incubator for change in the ways that one sees fairness, justice, equality and more. When that change takes place, the environment around that soul changes as well.

A good law library is a place where one finds the seeds to plant along the way of the rest of one's life. The law library is a place that has no boundaries, for the teaching and learning that develops, transcends & changes the face of the world around it.

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