



Words of Wisdom....

George Washington wrote more than just about any man in colonial America. In 1904 over 60,000 of his papers were transferred to the Library of Congress. According to Frank Grizzard, one of the editors of the Washington papers, “Tens of thousands of other papers are scattered around the world in nearly 300 American and more than seventy foreign places.” To say the least, this man could write! What follows are a few of his many quotations. What do they mean and what do they tell us about the man and what he values?

With your group:

1. Read the quote.
2. Define boldened words.

Discuss and paraphrase the quotation meaning.