

## **LESSONS FROM THE CLASSROOM 20 THINGS GOOD TEACHERS DO**

Introduction: One simple reason for writing this book

1 – Good teachers share one special quality

2 – Good teachers have two important goals

3 – Good teachers form a partnership with parents

4 – Good teachers welcome their students every day

5 – Good teachers teach manners and the Golden Rule

6 – Good teachers create a caring community in their classrooms

7 – Good teachers protect the atmosphere from toxic words

8 – Good teachers nourish the atmosphere with kind and affirming words

9 – Good teachers start every class with something positive

10 – Good teachers, along with their students, have a mission

11 – Good teachers use the power of visible reminders

12 – Good teachers help their students both own and honor the rules

13 – Good teachers set high standards and have high expectations

14 – Good teachers help their students discover the power of choice

15 – Good teachers tell good stories

16 – Good teachers use the power of quotations

17 – Good teachers laugh with their students

18 – Good teachers inspire their students to set goals

19 – Good teachers catch kids doing things right

20 – Good teachers get better every year

