



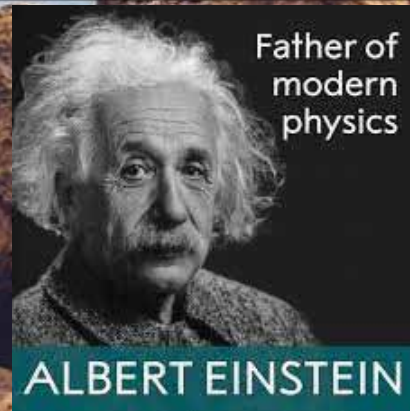
Software development works like moving a block of stone closer to the destination each day. You must do something that help you move it faster. Preparation is the key.



A bug is easier to be fixed when small, very hard to be fixed when large

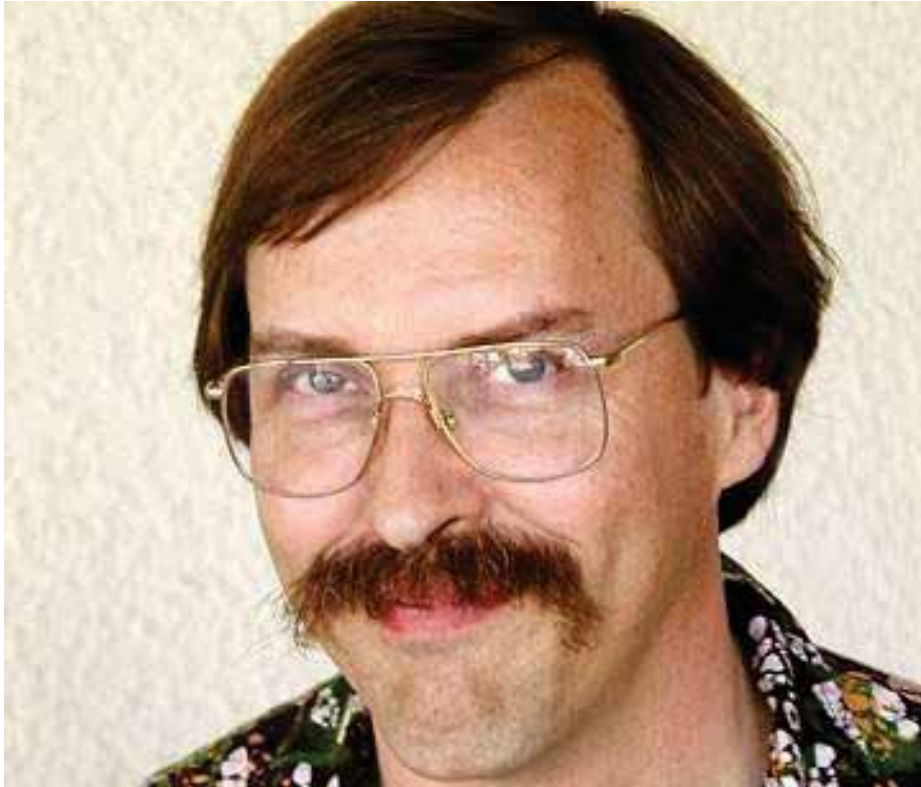
Rule #1 **DON'T REMEMBER**

Paper is to write things down
that we need to remember.
Our brains are used to think.



Why bother to remember things that we can look up in papers

Perl author
Larry Wall



Python author
Guido van Rossum



"I'm not necessarily very good at dealing with people by nature. I'm kind of geeky and sort of on the **autistic spectrum**, as they say," said Guido.

We can use the knowledge of mental illness to understand why Perl is very happy to be used while Python development is reckless and unpredictable