

### Sage Advice

What Makes a Gentleman

*What you do not want done to yourself; do not to others*

*Do not worry if people fail to recognize your merits; worry that you may not recognize theirs*

*I am fortunate indeed: whenever I make a mistake, there is someone to let me know*



Confucius, the great Chinese philosopher (551-479BC)

#### Editor's Note

It is becoming evident today that Confucius is enjoying more than a popular revival in China. The ancient sage is even endorsed by the Communist Party that once tried to crush him

When Ms. Yu Dan, a professor of culture and media at Beijing Normal University, published a bestseller on Confucius in late 2006, the authorities gave their tacit approval. It was a publishing sensation, selling upwards of 3 million copies.