

Better World Project

Everybody wants the world to be better. But doing something about it is a big job. And that job requires a lot of different people that are ready and willing to help. All kinds of things can happen. People get down on their luck; they stumble, they fall, and some end up in the wrong place at the wrong time. For many, *better* seems a long way off. But who wants to live in a world like that?

At Vanguard, we work hard each and every day to help our clients create a *better* tomorrow. We help them learn, we help them plan, we help them prosper. We're educated, we're talented, and we truly care. So if we can't apply our skills and our knowledge to help all the others around us... who can?

The members of our crew—all of us—regularly give our time, our energy, our skills, and even our own money to help the people in our community. From soup kitchens to elementary schools to retirement communities, we get involved in all kinds of projects. Not because we have to... but because we want to.

Because we need to.

Along the way we've learned a lot of things about *better*. *Better* happens only when people want it to. Everybody has something to contribute to *better*. And no matter how busy you are, the only person who can make things better is you.

Better is a simple proposition really. A smile is better than a frown, healthy is better than sick, strong is better than weak, and hope is better than fear. Hope is everything.

Why do Vanguard crewmembers work so hard and contribute so much to all our local communities? Because each small step we take, each person we touch, and each organization we make stronger turns our hopes into reality and helps us build that better world.

