What do you make? The question is rhetorical and has a double meaning… On the one hand it is simply asking; how much money do you make? Which everyone knows is the single most important question one should ask themselves when considering their career options right…?? Well, a second potential interpretation of that question may have deeper meaning. At least according to Taylor Mali. I encourage everyone to check out this link and find out – what teachers make… Love this one!

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