If You are Standing Still,  
You are Falling Behind!  
Embracing Change in Standards-Based Mathematics Instruction:  
It Come Straight from the Heart!

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In our global society, the one thing that is constant is that tomorrow will change. Changes in our world, in technology, and in our classrooms are a way of life. Becoming a teaching professional is more than a good teacher. It means making a commitment to continuous growth and lifelong learning. Strategies for embracing change and stepping out of your comfort zone are discussed. Included is a discussion of the policies and standards in the AMATYC publication, Beyond Crossroads.