TL;DR

For People Leaders:

Make Feedback a Habit

- Establish regular feedback loops to create a culture of open, constructive conversations.
- Encourage managers to ask, How do you prefer to receive feedback? to tailor their approach.

Support Scalable Leadership Development

- Pair structured training with 1:1 coaching to personalize leadership growth.
- ✓ Use frameworks like EOS or structured check-ins to standardize expectations and feedback.

Balance Accountability with Empathy

- ✓ Teach managers to hold high standards while recognizing individual challenges.
- Shift the mindset from delivering tasks to developing people.

For Managers:

Set Clear Expectations Early

- Misalignment often leads to conflict define roles, goals, and accountability upfront.
- Use structured frameworks to set and reinforce performance expectations.

Let Go of Control

- Delegate work to enable team growth rather than micromanaging every detail.
- Reframe success from personal achievement to scaling impact through others.

Embrace Conflict as a Growth Tool:

- ✓ View conflict as a way to challenge thinking and build stronger teams, not something to avoid.
- ☑ Encourage open dialogue and trust-based disagreement.

BOON TAKEAWAYS

- Regular Feedback: Normalize ongoing conversations instead of waiting for formal reviews.
- 2. 1:1 Coaching + Training: The most effective manager development is a combination of structured learning and individualized coaching.
- **3. Expectation Setting:** Clarity from the start reduces misalignment and tough conversations later.
- **4. Delegation as Leadership:** True leadership is about empowering others, not just doing more.
- **5. Conflict Resolution Skills:** Helping managers navigate difficult conversations leads to better team outcomes.

