
Commit to Knowing your God-centered purpose

Believing that God created me for His purposes and that the best use of my life is to fulfill those purposes, I commit the next 40 days to better understanding of God's five purposes for me.

* I will participate in a 40 days of Purpose small group.

* I will read each day's chapter from the Purpose Driven Life book.

* I will do my best to hear all 7 messages in this series, The Purpose Driven Life.

Acts 10:35 It makes no difference who you are or where you're from - if you want God and are ready to do as He says, the door is open.

Key: Page 1: existence.

Page 2: significance.

Page 3: intention.

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What On Earth Am I Here For?

The Purpose Driven Life - Part 1

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1. Why am I alive?

The first question of life, the question of e.

Jeremiah 20:18 "Why was I born? Was it only to have trouble and sorrow, to end my life in disgrace?"

- Some human-centered options?

Proverbs 16.4 The Lord has made everything for His own purpose.

Ephesians 1:4 Long before He laid down the earth's foundation, He had us in His mind and settled on us as the focus of His love to be made whole and holy by His love.

2. Does my life matter?

The second question of life, the question of s_____.

Isaiah 49:4 My work all seems so useless. I've spent my strength for nothing and for no purpose at all....

- • Some human-centered options?

- Some God-centered options?

■ *Isaiah 44:2 I am your Creator. You were in My care, even before you were born. You scheduled each day of my life before I began to breathe. Every day was recorded in your book.*

Psalms 33:11 His purposes last eternally.

- *2 Corinthians 5:1 When this tent we live in - our body here on earth - is torn down. God will have a house in Heaven for us to live in. A home He himself has made, which will last forever.*

Proverbs 9:6 Leave your impoverished confusion and live and walk up the street to a life with meaning.

3. What is my purpose?

The third question, the question of i_____.

Psalms 89:47 Why did you create us? For nothing?

- *Genesis 1:1 In the beginning, God created...* ■

Proverbs 9:10 Knowing God results in every other kind of understanding.

■ You find your purpose by getting to know God. ■

■ *Colossians 1:16-17 For everything, absolutely everything, above and below, visible and invisible...everything got started in Him and finds its purpose in Him.* ■

It is in Christ that we find out who we are and what we are living for...part of the overall purpose He is working out in everything and everyone.
