

My Personal Mission Statement

I believe the purpose of human life is to ensure life itself continues, thrives in freedom, grows in love, matures in faith, and becomes one in spirit with the Creator of all life.

I believe my purpose in life is to:

Protect life and relieve suffering;
Share God's grace and nurture others;
Remain healthy to do God's work as long as I am able;
Learn those gifts God has given me;
Appreciate the gifts my ancestors have given me;
Understand and appreciate the differences that make us each unique;
Grow constantly in knowledge of cultures, arts, sciences, and faith;
Learn to live independently in freedom;
Help others learn to live independently in freedom;
Help those incapable of living independently to achieve their highest potential;
Share my gifts of knowledge, skills, and talents to enrich the lives of others;
Practice good stewardship of the resources God provides;
Give my personal best in all that I do;
Be a loving and caring husband and father;
Be a man of integrity, honesty, and faith; and,
See the sights, have fun, and smell the roses along the way.

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