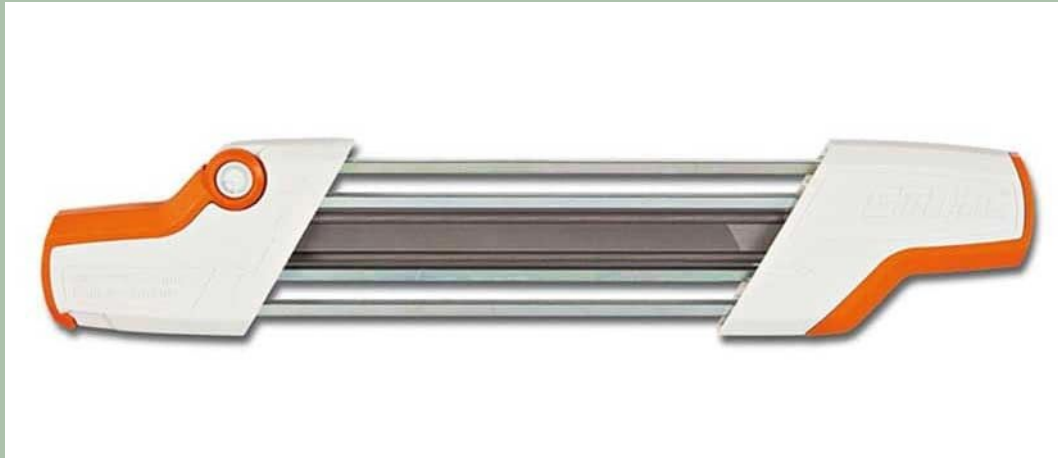


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What is the chief end of man?

Man's chief end is to glorify God, and enjoy him forever

Westminster Catechisms - 1647

Man's chief end is to glorify God

Romans 11:36

1 Corinthians 6:20

1 Corinthians 10:31

Psalms 86:9,12

Man's chief end is to glorify God

Don't you know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit who is in you, whom you have from God? You are not your own, for you were bought at a price. So glorify God with your body.

1 Corinthians 6:19-20

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So whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do everything for the glory of God.

1 Corinthians 10:31

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All the nations you have made will come and bow down before you, Lord, and will honor your name. For you are great and perform wonders; you alone are God. Teach me your way, Lord, and I will live by your truth. Give me an undivided mind to fear your name. I will praise you with all my heart, Lord my God, and will honor your name forever.

Psalm 86:9-12

Our need for God

As for me, if I am lifted up from the earth I will draw all people to myself”

John 12:32

Draw - Greek helkoo

Draw by an inward power, lead, impel

Our need for God

As a deer longs for flowing streams, so I long for you,
God. I thirst for God, the living God

Psalm 42:1-2

For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for
good works, which God prepared ahead of time of us to
do.

Ephesians 2:10

What is my purpose?

how do I find purpose in my life?

That's the big one, isn't it? And honestly, most people chase purpose like it's a destination—some magical moment where everything clicks. But it's more like a compass reading that gets clearer the more honest you are about what you actually care about.

Are there purposes that aren't centered around me?

Now that's a question with some depth to it. Most people never get past "what do I want?"—you're asking about something bigger.

Here's the question that matters most right now: when you imagine being guided by that compass, what kind of person do you see yourself becoming?

What is my purpose?



What is my purpose?

I have learned to be content in whatever circumstances
I find myself
I know how to make do with little, and I know how to
make do with a lot.
I am able to do all things through him who strengthens
me. My God will supply all your needs according to His
riches in glory in Christ Jesus.
Now to our God and Father be glory forever and ever.

Philippians 4:11-20

What is my purpose?



What are my needs?



All our needs are met in God.

Give us this day our daily bread
Matthew 6:11

Even when I go through the darkest valley, I fear no
danger, for you are with me.
Psalms 23:4

See what great love the Father has given us that we
should be called God's children
1 John 3:1

Patterns

How do I live to glorify God?

Train yourself in Godliness. For the training of the body has limited benefit but Godliness is beneficial in every way, since it holds promise for the present life and also for the life to come.
1 Timothy 4:7-9

Posture

...and to enjoy him forever.

Psalms 16:5-11

Psalms 144:15

Isaiah 12:2

Luke 2:10

Philippians 4:4

Revelations 21:3-4

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...and to enjoy him forever.

Indeed, God is my salvation; I will trust him and not be afraid, for the Lord, the Lord himself is my strength and my song.
Isaiah 12:2

Rejoice in the Lord always, I say it again: Rejoice!
Philippians 4:4

Only goodness and faithful love will pursue me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.
Psalm 23:6

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...and to enjoy him forever.

God's dwelling is with humanity, and he will live with them. They will be his peoples, and God himself will be with them and will be their God. He will wipe away every tear from their eyes. Death will be no more; grief, crying, and pain will be no more, because the previous things have passed away.

Revelations 21:3-4

Am I still building in line with the cornerstone?

Do I have the answer someone is looking for?

Do I need to set my purpose in Christ?