



Let's Talk About It

NAME OF MESSAGE: Living for Your Life's Greater Purpose

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START IT

Life often has a funny way of throwing us off and back onto the path that God desires for us to be on... Go around your Group and share some life changing events that may have happened in your life that you didn't see coming.

REVIEW IT

This weekend Pastor Ken shared that we all have a life story and that there is a greater purpose to our lives and our life stories. However, there is a tension that we all live with... that we have limited knowledge and foresight as to what exactly the future looks like. For some of us, we may not have made certain decisions in our past if we would've known the consequence of that choice today. With our limited view of life and living, Pastor Ken briefly recapped our primary and greater purpose in life with 3 goals to guide our daily decision making: to glorify God and be close to Him, to love others, and to live out your life purpose and calling. He also shared that the way we are able to live out these 3 goals is by having humility that acknowledges God knows best and then living that out.

PERSONALIZE IT

- Pastor Ken shared that some of us may have made different choices in our past if we would have known the consequences of that choice today. What are some choices you may have made differently from your past knowing what you know today?
- The first goal of life that Pastor Ken shared is to glorify God and to grow closer to Him. God has a plan and a purpose for your life and that it all begins with a relationship with Him. Talk with your Group about where you feel you may need to grow in your relationship with God.
- The second goal in our decision making is centered on loving others. Spend time talking as a Group about how you currently are loving others. Share some ways you could be more intentional with this.

PRAY ABOUT IT

The three main purposes of our life is to glorify God and be close to Him, to love others, and to live out our life purpose and calling. At some point we all have come to a crossroads where we have to make a decision about who and what we are going to live for. Whether we are going to live for our own lives and story, doing what we want or choosing live our lives as part of a bigger story to impact others for the Lord. Living for the Lord requires an attitude of humility that acknowledges God knows best and living accordance to that. Spend some time praying as a Group and ask God for humility and guidance as to how each of you can take steps to grow in your relationship with Him, grow in your love for others, and to have the courage to be able to live out the purpose and calling He has for your life

DO IT

Pastor Ken shared the three main purposes of our life and encouraged each of us to take a step in actually living out those three things. Whether it be taking a step to grow in your relationship with God, finding a way to love people better through your actions, or just doing a better job at living from your purpose and what God has called you to... Take time this week to be intentional to take a step in one of those areas as you begin to live more of the life that God has called you to.

RESOURCES

Check out our Weekend Worship songs on the Cypress Church app.