Purpose Driven Planning



Wealth Advice for a Purposeful Life

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We'd like to personally welcome you to the right half of your brain.

Psychologists say that 94% of all your decisions are made here. Purpose driven, behavioral finance can link your brain with your heart and wallet to provide a dynamically positive impact to the people and causes most important to you.

So far, we've invested time together crafting a personal, working financial plan based on goals, data and relevant information. However, we don't know where these goals come from. We've lived primarily in the left brain, analytical half of who God made you to be. While this is important, God is so much more than that-and so are you. While He's really good with numbers, facts and figures, He's also expanding the universe and everything in it. Most importantly, He created YOU in His image. With a global population of over 7.5 trillion people, there's is no one like you-with the unique gifts, talents and purpose that God has given you to use.

We hope you'll discover a few things about yourself through the following exercise:

- A.) First, you were made to be a human being, not a human doing. What you do doesn't necessarily define who you are. Knowing who God made you to be however, will drive what you can passionately do.
- B.) Money is like the gasoline in your car. On your journey, it's important not to run out. With this exercise, you'll be focused on where and why you're headed in a certain direction and who it is enriching your journey.
- C.) Think of the windshield. It's much bigger, designed for the journey ahead. The rear-view mirror by contrast is much smaller only to glance back at the past. Focus on enriching your journey ahead.

So, let's get started on the financial road of discovering your deeper purpose and meaning in life. After you've completed this exercise, we'll tie it together with your financial plan and monetize the two together. This is the power and driver of <u>Purpose Driven Planning.</u>

In the following pages, you'll discover the four quadrants of Living, Learning, Giving and Earning. Preface each of them with the question "What does it mean to be really ______?" For example, "What does it mean to be really Living?" and so on. Note on the first page are ten answers in each quadrant captured from previous participants to help get you thinking. Feel free to use some if you want. Take your time, pray and ponder these things as you continue your way through the four quadrants. We've been told that the first two, three, four answers in each quadrant come relatively easy, but eight, nine and ten can be more challenging- which is where we want to be. The remaining pages are designed to expand your thinking and capture your thoughts. After completing the exercise, we recommend you lay it down for a few days. Then pick it up and modify it if needed. You may be surprised at what you discover. We'll follow up in a few weeks.

Until then, enjoy the journey!

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Purpose Driven Planning Top 6 Values



LIVING	LEARNING
1. Invest more in family relationships	1. Discover a new skill or hobby
2. Strengthen my personal faith walk	2. Learn a new language
3. Do something exhilarating	3. Learn from the wisdom of elders
4. Teach a class	4. Listen to the next generation
5. Demonstrate ongoing compassion	5. Learn a musical instrument
6. Develop new and lasting friendships	6. Take a series of classes
7. Develop/maintain family traditions	7. Understand a different culture
8. Commit to regular checkups	8. Become handy
9. Volunteer often	9. Learn and implement healthy food habits
10. Travel with a purpose	10. Use the power of positive thinking
GIVING	EARNING
GIVING 1. Be Selfless	EARNING 1. Hone your gifts, talent & skills
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Be Selfless Loosen your purse strings	1. Hone your gifts, talent & skills 2. Earn a college degree
 Be Selfless Loosen your purse strings Be available to someone 	 Hone your gifts, talent & skills Earn a college degree Earn a certification
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LIST BELOW 5-7 ACTIVITIES THAT REFLECT EACH SECTION. SEE NEXT PAGE WITH EXAMPLES TO GET YOU STARTED

WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE REALLY:	PURPOSE DRIVEN PLANNING
LIVING:	LEARNING:
GIVING:	EARNING:



WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE REALLY: LEARNING



What does it mean to be really: GIVING



WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE REALLY: EARNING



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