

# What A Wonder Full World I Wonder...Why Am I Here?

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It's been said the two most important days of your life are the day you were born and the day you finally figure out why. So the question is...why are you here?

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## MESSAGE NOTES AND HIGHLIGHTS

- "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me." | John 14:6
- Believing a lie has consequences.
- Truth is like a compass in life; when we know what's true, we know what direction to go.
- Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight | Proverbs 3:5-6
- Just believing something doesn't make it true; a belief is only true when it matches reality.
- You were made on purpose and for a purpose.
- Finding out what you're here for starts with knowing who you're here for.
- "Those who devote themselves to themselves will ultimately have nothing but themselves to show for themselves."
- It is in Christ that we find out who we are and what we are living for. | Ephesians 1:11
- You were made by God, for God.
- You were created to honor and glorify God with your life.
- In the same way, let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven. | Matthew 5:16
- We were created to bring God honor in everything we do—our behavior, our words, what we do with our time, money, and energy.
- Of all of the things I could do in this moment, what would be honoring to God?
- Your own glory is far too small a thing for you to give your life to.

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## DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. At various points in our lives, we pick up different ideas about our purpose or what we're living for. What's an example of something you used to think was your "purpose" in life?
2. "Those who devote themselves to themselves will ultimately have nothing but themselves to show for themselves." Do you think that's true? Have you seen this play out in your life or in those around you?
3. Ephesians 1:11 says, "It is in Christ that we find out who we are and what we are living for." How does that inform your view of yourself and your purpose?
4. A challenge this week is to ask yourself, "In this moment, what would be honoring to God?" If you think through some of your most challenging moments, how might this question change your decisions?