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Happiness Is Always Over There

(How extraordinary people discover the most important thing)

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“The thief’s purpose is to steal and kill and destroy. **My purpose is to give them a rich and satisfying life.**” (John 10:10 NLT)

“Oh, that you would choose life, so that you and your descendants might live! *You can make this choice by loving the Lord your God, obeying him, and committing yourself firmly to him. **This is the key to your life.***” (Deuteronomy 30:20 NLT)

"The Glory of God is Man Fully Alive."
(St. Irenaeus)

Stuck @ Potential

Believing that happiness is always over there.

“Then he said to them, "Watch out! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; a man's life does not consist in the abundance of his possessions." (Luke 12:15 NIV)

Always asking the question, “Are we there yet?”

Waiting for things to settle down.

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Your 4 Most Important “To Do’s”

“What is written in the Law?” he replied. ‘How do you read it?’ He answered: ‘Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind’; and, ‘Love your neighbor as yourself.’ ‘You have answered correctly,’ Jesus replied. **‘Do this and you will live.’**” (Luke 10:26-28 NIV)

With all of my heart I will know God.

With all of my heart I will love God.

“Praise the LORD, O my soul; all my inmost being, praise his holy name. Praise the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits- who forgives all your sins and heals all your diseases, who redeems your life from the pit and crowns you with love and compassion, who satisfies your desires with good things **so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's.**” (Psalm 103:1-5 NIV)

With all of my heart I will love what God loves.

With all of my heart I will do what God is blessing.

How To Sustain A Love For Life

See everyday as a gift.

“Every good and perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of the heavenly lights, who does not change like shifting shadows.” (James 1:17 NIV)

See everyplace as God’s place.

See everything as useful.

See everyone as someone worth loving.

“For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.” (John 3:16 NIV)

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