

Building Your Heaven Bound Legacy™

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Choose 10 words from the below bank of words that best characterize your personal life. You are picking 10 action words that best describe you and how you operate ideally. (Write in candidates are acceptable!)

Advance	Clean	Dream	Force	Learn
Advise	Command	Empower	Free	Leave
Allow	Complete	Encourage	Gaze	Let
Analyze	Confound	Examine	Give	Like
Arrange	Confront	Exist	Have	Listen
Ask	Connect	Expect	Heal	Live
Beg	Console	Explain	Hear	Love
Believe	Create	Express	Help	Make
Breathe	Cut	Facilitate	Hire	Protect
Bring	Dance	Feel	Hope	Run
Build	Dare	Find	Inspire	Serve
Buy	Decide	Finish	Instruct	Speak
Carry	Deliver	Fix	Invite	
Challenge	Direct	Fly	Kneel	
Change	Discover	Follow	Lead	
Choose	Draw	Forbid	Lean	

Write ins:

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Then, from the 10 action words you chose, **choose the top 3 words** that describe the future you envision.

1st Word:

2nd Word:

3rd Word:

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Choose 5 words from the next bank of words that best describe your top spiritual gifts, unique talents and primary desire(s) to serve others. (Write in candidates are acceptable!)

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|---------------|--------------------------------|------------|----------------|
| Administering | Evangelism | Missions | Supporting |
| Aiding | Excellence | Music | Teaching |
| Art | Exhortation
(Encouragement) | Organizing | Transportation |
| Building | Feeding | Planning | Traveling |
| Business | Giving | Politics | Working |
| Cleaning | Harvest | Prayer | Worship |
| Comforting | Healing | Preaching | Writing |
| Computers | Health | Prophecy | |
| Cooking | Hospitality | Reading | |
| Counsel | Intercession | Revival | |
| Dancing | Leading | Running | |
| Deliverance | Love | Salvation | |
| Dental | Massage | Serving | |
| Economics | Medicine | Sowing | |
| Education | Mercy | Singing | |
| Entertain | | Sports | |

Write ins:

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Narrow your top 5 service or gifting words by condensing **to no more than 2 top** service or gifting words. These should be the two that you are most passionate about for your life.

1st Word:

2nd Word:

5 Choose up to 3 primary target groups from the next bank of words that will represent your life's primary work and/or ministry focus. (Write in candidates are acceptable!)

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| Abused | Divorced | Medical/Science | Singles |
| Africa | Earth | Men | Single Parents |
| African Americans | Elderly | Mentally Ill | Social Services |
| All peoples | Economic Systems | Mission Field | South America |
| America | Education Systems | Musicians | Terminally Ill |
| Artists | Entrepreneurs | Needy | Under Privileged |
| Asia | Eternity | Neglected | Violent |
| Asians | Europe | Oppressed | Offenders/Prisoners |
| Athletes | Family Systems | Orphans | Veterans/Soldiers |
| Blind | Heaven | Political System | Weak |
| Broken | Hispanics | Poor | Wealthy |
| Business World | Hungry | Possessed | Women |
| Children | Hurting | Pre-believers | Widows |
| Church | Illiterate | Religious System | |
| Cities | Legal Systems | Saved | |
| Civil Systems | Lost | Searching | |
| Deaf | Married | Sick | |

Write ins:

6 The clarity of your target helps you define the clarity in your life. **Narrow it to 1** from the 3 primary target groups that you chose. Choose the one that best captures your heart and mission.

One Word:

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We will now have you write your legacy summary. Below is a ministry example. It helps you and others understand how your life happens and who it affects most. It declares “this is my life mission statement.”

Example:

FREE – RECONCILE – INSPIRE

Prayer & Revival

All Peoples

YOUR Legacy Summary:

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We will now have you write your life legacy mission statement. As you read your legacy summary, realize that this is your “true north.” This is where your life compass needs to point for you to live out of the abundance the Lord has prepared for you. Are you facing the correct direction currently? Your life mission statement might change through the varying seasons in your life, however, it is your current true north. Remember one thing: it **MUST** fully capture your heart and soul. If it doesn’t, then you might need to go through a season of prayer and re-do this process with a mentor, coach, spiritual leader or advisor who you can confide in.

Example:

“My mission in life is to free, reconcile & inspire all peoples of the Earth through prayer and revival.”

YOUR Life Legacy Mission Statement:

Building Your Heaven Bound Legacy Story

Imagine yourself at a date **at least 2** years from today. Pick an exact date and write it above. You are now free to use your time however you want. You have no limitations. What are you doing? Create a vision for what's next for you personally in life. What do you believe God desires for you during this next season of life? Consider the most powerful use of your time, your spiritual gifting, what gives you the most energy and satisfaction, what you're most passionate about, and what would be most fun. Ask yourself what would make you the proudest and what would make the biggest difference in the world for the glory of God. Do you know what the ONE LIFE FOCUS or ACTIVITY is that would keep you absolutely captivated and inspired for the rest of your life as you seek to live out a God honoring legacy?

Name:

Your Future Date:

Write a story in the limited space below that tells your story. You can write it in bullet fashion, take notes, or form paragraphs, but you **can't go outside of the space** allotted in the box below!

Additional Dream Catapult Resources

Dream Pursuit Ground Rules

5 Keys to Putting Your Career & Life Mission Together:

1. **Faith** – Have you taken your biggest dream in life before God in prayer recently?
2. **Passion** – Where and how do you spend most of your time now?
3. **Competency** – You need to understand what your unique abilities, spiritual gifts and talents are so you can best align them with the pursuit of your dreams. (See resources at the end of this tool)
4. **Value** – What can you do to create unique value for others in the world?
5. **Connections** – Do you know anyone who has already achieved your dream? Find people that have already pursued similar dreams that you are seeking. Spend time with them and learn from them. You don't need to re-invent the wheel, and we certainly don't want you to repeat or replay any mistakes en route to getting there.

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7 Decisions That Determine Success:

1. "The Responsible Decision": **The Buck Stops Here:** I am responsible for my success.
2. "The Guided Decision": **I Will Seek Wisdom:** I will listen to the counsel of wise men/women.
3. "The Active Decision": **I Am A Person of Action:** I will always choose to act.
4. "The Certain Decision": **I Have A Decided Heart:** I will move now and not look back.
5. "The Joyful Decision": **I Will Choose To Be Happy:** I am the possessor of a grateful spirit.
6. "The Compassionate Decision": **I Will Greet This Day With a Forgiving Spirit:** I will forgive those who criticize me unjustly.
7. "The Persistent Decision": **I Will Persist Without Exception:** I will focus on progress and results.

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Legacy Outline – by Andy Andrews

Most people never get a standing ovation.

By helping others and adding value to other people we, in a sense, are giving them a “standing ovation.” The ripple effect of your actions will impact others in ways that you may never know.

How do we create a legacy?

- Know that everyone leaves a legacy, but not every legacy is a good one
- You start right now
- You need to absorb material that adds value
- Start living your life intentionally
- Catch people doing something right

Build on what you are so that:

- Those who come behind you learn from your example
- Others can learn from what you know
- Others know why you make the choices you make
- Others know how you make the choices you make

Write down principles that have been important to you to pass on after you're gone.