

# THE PURPOSE OF LIFE!

(By Walter Tschoepe – the figtreegeneration.net)

**Just for clarification:** In my presentations I am using the 4 Hebrew letters Yod, Hey, Vav, Hey (YHVH - which I pronounce as Yahuwah, some people pronounce the four letters as YaHoVaH and others as Yahweh) instead of LORD, which is a title and not a name and I am using Yashua instead of Jesus, which is not a translation but a transliteration and really has no meaning, either in Hebrew nor in English! YHVH (Yahuwah) and Yahusha are the actual original names and the true nature and character of them. The Father has a Hebrew name, therefore the Son cannot have a Greek Name! I also prefer to use the Hebrew word Elohim instead of “Elohim” as this word is being used for every no-Elohim.

Let's go back to our presentation “the purpose of life”! We want to know the bottom line! What will really matter at the end of your life, what is the purpose of our being alive? Every individual should ask that question and seek an answer! Don't believe everything you hear, see or read! Do your own research because that is your personal responsibility!



You have a Heaven to gain and a Hell to shun.

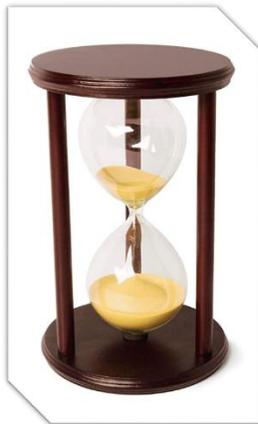
Listen to what Psalms 103:15-16 has to say about this life: “[As for] man, his days [are] as grass: as a flower of the field, so he flourisheth. 16 For the wind passeth over it, and it is gone; and the place thereof shall know it no more.”

KJV

**"You do not know what will happen tomorrow. For what is your life? It is even a vapor that appears for a little time and then vanishes away" (James 4:14).**

**In Hebrews 13:14 Paul says: “For we have no lasting city here, but we seek the one coming.” KJV**

People often say we are Pilgrims, just passing through, And if we think about it, this statement is probably true, We are here for a little while, but don't know for how long. We won't be coming back again, not after we are gone. By Ellen Bailey



**This life is short, But eternity Is long!**

Therefore, let's stop and think for a moment.  
**WHAT IS THIS LIFE FOR? HOW DID we GET IT and WHY? Are you an accident or are you a design?**

**The truth is That MAN was conceived in the Mind of the Creator! It was not an accident!**

**Man was created in the image of YHVH the GREAT I AM!**

**Therefore:** “Your birth was no mistake or mishap, and your life is no fluke of nature. Your parents may not have planned you, but YHVH did. He was not at all surprised by your birth. In fact, He expected it. Long before you were conceived by your parents, you were conceived in the mind of Elohim. He thought of you first. It is not fate, nor chance, nor luck, nor coincidence that you are breathing at this very moment. You are alive because Elohim wanted to create you!”

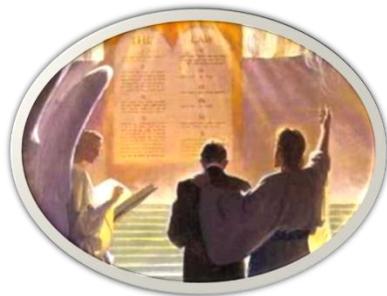
<https://www.faithgateway.com/you-are-not-an-accident/#.XCAbD1xKiUk>

Life is a gift, never take it for granted. Don't waste it, cherish every moment. There is a reason for you to live. **FIND OUT WHAT THAT REASON IS. IN THE MEANTIME BE THANKFUL AND ENJOY EVERY MOMENT YOU BREATHE!**

King David said in Psalm 139:14 **“I will praise thee; for I am fearfully and wonderfully made: marvelous are thy works; and that my soul knoweth right well.”** KJV

We are fearfully and wonderfully made By a wonderful and loving Creator! Whose Hebrew name is YHVH, The Great I AM! (Exodus 3:15)

For what purpose did He create us? Did He need us? The Bible says that He created us for His glory in His image that we may reflect His image. That means that you and I are created to glorify the Creator through our words and actions for which someday everyone will have to give an account.



That’s what it states in Hebrews 9:27: **“... as it is appointed unto men once to die, but after this the judgment.”**

Every individual is allotted a period of time, a gift from YHVH! What we do with that time is our gift to HIM!

This life has been given to you and me first to honor and to glorify the one that made us and that sustains us every moment. The other purpose is to prepare for eternity. There is an eternity. We can count on it. Look at what Yashua stated in John 5:28-29: **“Marvel not at this: for the hour is coming, in the which all that are in the graves shall hear his voice, 29 And shall come forth; they that have done good, unto the resurrection of life; and they that have done evil, unto the resurrection of damnation.”** KJV

We had no input to be born, to choose our parents, the country, to be rich or poor, but we can choose where to spend eternity, either in a life of bliss or a life of eternal damnation. However, very few people take this choice serious, even though this is the opportunity of a life-time!

It states in 1. Corinthians 2:9 **“Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which Elohim hath prepared for them that love him.”** KJV

Ponder about the words of Yashua in Matthew 16:26 **“For what is a man profited, if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul? Or what shall a man give in exchange for his soul?”** KJV What good is it at the end?

Most people spend more time at cinemas, theaters, art galleries and theme parks than seeking the kingdom of Heaven. They can spend hours at any of these places of entertainment but studying His Word, they are not interested. They love to listen to worldly music and to dance the night away much more often than singing hymns to our Savior. They pay more to watch a football, basketball or baseball game than helping the needy.

Most people care more about money, honors, fame, glory, recognition, entertainment, physical gratification and a myriad of other things than about their spiritual well-being and eternity. Many turn to yoga, gurus, “feel-good” seminars legitimately looking for ways to fill the empty void in their lives. Others turn to alcohol, drugs, or prostitutes in their search for ways to either deaden the pain or find a source of intimacy that is missing. Yet none of the above will provide the sense of peace or fulfillment for which we are all searching.

This life is intended to prepare for eternity! We are here to learn to treat others as we want to be treated — for eternity! We fulfill our responsibilities and grow in the godly, righteous character that will allow us to be like our Heavenly Father— forever!

We are in training now for an incredible inheritance beyond our comprehension. The things we suffer now prepare us for that purpose. Tests and trials are all part of that training process to help us be ready to live for eternity as we were just reading!



*We need to be reminded often, so that we will not forget that according to 2. Corinthians 5:10 one day “We must all appear before the judgment seat of Messiah; that every one may receive the things [done] in [his] body, according to that he hath done, whether [it be] good or bad.” KJV*

### **THIS IS SERIOUS! Don't take it lightly!**

Knowing that there will be a judgment day, when we must appear, what should be the bottom line of our life, right now, today? What should we be mostly interested in? Again Scripture gives the answer in Amos 4:12, it states **“PREPARE” to meet thy Elohim.**”

Preparation takes time, effort and determination even in this life before taking an examination as an example, how much more to stand in judgment before a Holy ELOHIM! We must be purified by the blood of Yashua and sin be shunned!

Man has a sin problem. **Sin has separated man from YHVH, which took place in Eden about 6,000 years ago.**



What constitutes sin? 1 John 3:4 tells us: **“Whoever committeth sin transgresseth also the law: for sin is the transgression of the law (Torah).”** The Scripture Translation **SIN IS REBELLION!**

The Bible states in Isaiah 59:2: **“Your iniquities have separated between you and your Elohim, and your sins have hid [his] face from you, that he will not hear.”**  
KJV

How can lost man be reconciled? Only as he humbles himself before YHVH by acknowledging his sins, repenting of them and accepting the Hebrew Messiah Ha Mashiach, who gave **Himself for our redemption. He gave His live for the sins that were committed in the past and are repented of and forsaken!** (Romans 3:25)

**1 John 1:9 states: “If we confess our sins, He is trustworthy and righteous to forgive us the sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.”** The Scriptures What an opportunity and mercy.

There is hope! Proverbs 28:13: **“He that covereth his sins shall not prosper: but whoso confesseth and forsaketh them shall have mercy.”** KJV

Notice that it states confessing and forsaking the sins! That means stopping sinning. Can that be done? Is that possible? In Philippians 4:8 it states **“I have strength to do all, through Messiah who empowers me.”** The Scriptures

In Revelation 21:7 it says: **“He that overcometh shall inherit all things.”** KJV 

**OVERCOME WHAT?** 

When the Pharisees brought a women that apparently was caught in adultery to Yashua, what advice did He give her after the accuser all left? 

**“GO AND SIN NO MORE!”**

**Would Yashua ask something of that woman, which was impossible to do?**

Only as I accept the Hebrew Messiah Yashua by Faith as my Savior and as HIS image is BEING restored in my soul, as I am being sanctified by obedience to HIS Torah, can I be in harmony with the Father.

By the way, we are saved by faith, but true faith is only the one that is supported by actions. They are one of the same coin, one side says faith and the other side actions. James said **“Faith without actions is dead!”**

John 17:17 states: **“Sanctify them through thy truth: thy word is truth.”** Man is being sanctified, made holy, set apart by obedience to His Word, the Torah! For Psalms 119:142 states **“...thy Torah is the truth!”**

It is high time for every believer in Yahusha to take Yahuwah’s Torah as their instruction manual serious! For the time will come when Yashua will say to many professed believers as recorded in Matthew 7:23: **“I never knew you: depart from me, ye that work iniquity. (Ye that are without Torah)”** KJV

What impact will words like **“I never knew you”** have on people that expected to hear the words **“well done?”** Yashua is using expressions like **“there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth!”** Matthew 8:12 KJV

**Shouldn’t such warning wake people up now, while there is time to change?**

Here are some other translation of Matthew 8:12:

(BBE) **“There will be weeping and cries of pain.”**

(CEV) **“They will cry and grit their teeth in pain.”**

(GW) **“People will cry and be in extreme pain there.”**

In short, these people will suffer a terrible fate. They will end up in a place of outer darkness, a place of anguish, pain and misery! These warnings are being given by a merciful Creator so people will repent and make things right before it is too late.

In Ezekiel 18:30-32 YHVH said to Israel **“Therefore I will judge you, O house of Israel, every one according to his ways, saith YHVH Elohim. Repent, and turn [yourselves] from all your transgressions; so iniquity shall not be your ruin. 31 Cast away from you all your transgressions, whereby ye have transgressed; and make you a new heart and a new spirit: for why will ye die, O house of Israel? 32 For I have no pleasure in the death of him that dieth, saith YHVH Elohim: wherefore turn [yourselves], and live ye.”** KJV

These words apply not just to the Nation of Israel, but to every person living! Today is the day of salvation, don't procrastinate!



Those who reject salvation through Yashua will realize at that time what they have truly lost, and the realization that there is **no** “second chance” will cause them to feel the full weight of the pain that goes with that knowledge.

**There are no excuses.** The Creator has plainly laid out all the options for us!

**CHOOSE LIFE!**

**When we "follow Yashua," (*Not the Greek Jesus*), we follow the living Torah. The New Testament equates Yashua with the Torah and the Tree of Life, mentioned in Proverbs 3:13-19, stating that He was behind the creation of the heavens and earth!**

Many people do come to a realization that Yashua came from the Tribe of Judah, **He was not a Christian, neither did He start**

**Christianity.** He lived and promoted Torah, He kept the weekly Sabbath and even the yearly appointed festivals, which He Himself had established! Shouldn't His followers today start doing the same? If it was good for Yashua, it is certainly good enough for me!

Do not join any religion or any of the more than 41,000 Christian denominations with their man-made teachings and doctrines, for this can mean your condemnation. When you accept the true Hebrew Messiah Yashua as your Savior and follow His instructions, you are part of His people.

For He stated in Matthew 18:20 **“where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them.”** KJV

**Do not make flesh your arm, if you don't want to be cursed!**  
Jeremiah 17:5



When Paul wrote the words in 2Ti 3:16-17 “All Scripture is breathed by Elohim and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for setting straight, for instruction in righteousness, 17 that the man of Elohim might be fitted, equipped for every good work,” (the Scriptures) he was referring to what we call the Old Testament as there was no New Testament. **He referred to the 5 books of Moses (the Torah), the prophets, the Psalms etc.**

Obedience to His instructions, the Torah with the Statutes and Judgments is the highest Form OF worship!

We do not obey to be saved, but because we are saved by the blood of the Lamb! Obedience is the only true test of discipleship!

Here are the Saviors words in John 14:15 **“if ye love me, keep my commandments.”** KJV **“For this is the love of Yahusha, that we keep His commandments and His commandments are not grievous.”** 1 John 5:3 KJV

*Look at 1 John 2:3-6 “And hereby we do know that we know him, if we keep his commandments. 4 He that saith, I know him, and keepeth not his commandments, is a liar, and the truth is not in him. 5 But whoso keepeth his word, in him verily is the love of Elohim perfected: hereby know we that we are in him. 6 He that saith he abideth in him ought himself also so to walk, even as he walked.” KJV*

**“The mercy of YHVH is from everlasting to everlasting upon them that fear him, and his righteousness unto children’s children; to such as keep his covenant, and to those that remember his commandments to do them.” Psalms 103: 17-18 KJV**

*Let’s also remember the words of the prophet Samuel to King Saul in 1. Samuel 15:22-23: “Behold, to obey [is] better than sacrifice, [and] to hearken than the fat of rams. For rebellion [is as] the sin of witchcraft, and stubbornness [is as] iniquity and idolatry.” KJV*

## **Remember: Obedience is not Legalism!**

Did you ever give it thought that if obedience is legalism that our Savior Yashua was the biggest legalist of all time? **He kept every commandment, never sinned once.** He said, **“I always do those things that please him.”** (John 8:29) **“He was obedient to death”** (Phil. 2:8). He was the only one that ever kept the Torah, that He Himself gave to the children Israel on Mount Horeb, perfectly, obedient in every detail.

He expects the same of His followers, for He stated in John 15:14 **“Ye are my friends, if ye do whatsoever I command you.”**



Life is a gift from the Great I AM, the Elohim of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob to us. You get to open it every day. Don't waste one moment with non-essentials. Live it to the Creator's glory and **seek first His kingdom and righteousness than all the other**

**things will be added unto you.** This is His promise! (*Matthew 6:33*)

Make it the goal, the law, the purpose of your life to seek first the kingdom of YHVH and His righteousness and to honor and to serve Him alone! You will never be sorry!

For YHVH Himself stated in 1.Samuel 2:30 **“them that honor me I will honor “**

**“Now this is life that is eternal, that they might know You, that You are the Elohim of Truth, and he alone whom You have sent, the Mashiyach Yahusha.”** John 17:3 Aramaic English New Testament

