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Purpose Driven Life*

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God is the One who made all things, and all things are for his glory. He wanted to have many children share his glory.

Hebrews 2:10a (NCV)

See how very much our heavenly Father loves us, for he allows us to be called his children, and we really are!

1 John 3:1

It says, "His unchanging plan has always been to adopt us into his own family by bringing us to himself through Jesus Christ And this gave him great pleasure."

Ephesians 1:5 (NLT)

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The Bible says, "It was a happy day for him when he gave us our new lives, through the truth of his Word, and we became, as it where, the first children in his new family."

James 1:18 (LB)

For it was fitting for Him, for whom are all things, and through whom are all things, in bringing many sons to glory, to perfect the author of their salvation through sufferings.

Hebrews 2:10

See how great a love the Father has bestowed on us, that we would be called children of God; and such we are. For this reason the world does not know us, because it did not know Him.

1 John 3:1

He predestined us to adoption as sons through Jesus Christ to Himself, according to the kind intention of His will,

Ephesians 1:5

In the exercise of His will He brought us forth by the word of truth, so that we would be a kind of first fruits among His creatures.

James 1:18

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God *"has given us the privilege of being born again, so that we are now members of God's own family."*

1 Peter 1:3b (LB)

The Bible says, *"You are all children of God through faith in Christ Jesus."*

Galatians 3:26 (NLT)

"When I think of the wisdom and scope of his plan I fall down on my knees and pray to the Father of all the great family of God – some of them already in heaven and some down here on earth."

Ephesians 3:14-15 (LB)

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The Bible says, *"Since you are his child, everything he has belongs to you."*

Galatians 4:7b (NLT)

It tells us, *"My God will meet all your needs according to his glorious riches in Christ Jesus."*

Philippians 4:19 (NIV)

Paul said, *"I want you to realize what a rich and glorious inheritance he has given to his people."*

Ephesians 1:18b (NLT)

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who according to His great mercy has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead,

1 Peter 1:3

For you are all sons of God through faith in Christ Jesus.

Galatians 3:26

For this reason I bow my knees before the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth derives its name,

Ephesians 3:14-15

Therefore you are no longer a slave, but a son; and if a son, then an heir through God.

Galatians 4:7

And my God will supply all your needs according to His riches in glory in Christ Jesus.

Philippians 4:19

I pray that the eyes of your heart may be enlightened, so that you will know what is the hope of His calling, what are the riches of the glory of His inheritance in the saints,

Ephesians 1:18

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The Bible says, *“God has reserved a priceless inheritance for his children. It is kept in heaven for you, pure and undefiled, beyond the reach of change and decay.”*

1 Peter 1:4 (NLT)

Paul says, *“Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for men, since you know that you will receive an inheritance from the Lord as a reward.”*

Colossians 3:23-24a (NIV)

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He told us to *“go and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit.”*

Matthew 28:19 (NLT)

“Some of us are Jews, some are Gentiles, some are slaves, and some are free. But we have all been baptized into Christ’s body by one Spirit, and we have all received the same Spirit.”

1 Corinthians 12:13 (NLT)

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The Bible says, *“Jesus and the people he makes holy all belong to the same family. That is why he isn’t ashamed to call them his brothers and sisters.”*

Hebrews 2:11 (CEV)

to obtain an inheritance which is imperishable and undefiled and will not fade away, reserved in heaven for you,

1 Peter 1:4

Whatever you do, do your work heartily, as for the Lord rather than for men, knowing that from the Lord you will receive the reward of the inheritance. It is the Lord Christ whom you serve.

Colossians 3:23-24

Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit,

Matthew 28:19

For by one Spirit we were all baptized into one body, whether Jews or Greeks, whether slaves or free, and we were all made to drink of one Spirit.

1 Corinthians 12:13

For both He who sanctifies and those who are sanctified are all from one Father; for which reason He is not ashamed to call them brethren,

Hebrews 2:11

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The words of Jesus are unmistakable:
"[Jesus] pointed to his disciples and said, 'These are my mother and brothers. Anyone who does the will of my Father in heaven is my brother and sister and mother!'"

Matthew 12:49-50 (NLT)

Verse to Remember:

"His unchanging plan has always been to adopt us into his own family by bringing us to himself through Jesus Christ."

Ephesians 1:5a (NLT)

And stretching out His hand toward His disciples, He said, "Behold My mother and My brothers! For whoever does the will of My Father who is in heaven, he is My brother and sister and mother."

Matthew 12:49-50

He predestined us to adoption as sons through Jesus Christ to Himself, according to the kind intention of His will,

Ephesians 1:5