Walk #1: Discovering Purpose

A Walking Definition: To WALK in the WAY of His Law means that our words, actions, thoughts and style in every aspect of life are a credit to God's name and in-line with His character.

Philippians 3:12-16

Not that I have already obtained all this, or have already been made perfect, but I press on to take hold of that for which Christ Jesus took hold of me. Brothers, I do not consider myself yet to have taken hold of it. But one thing I do: Forgetting what is behind and straining toward what is ahead, I press on toward the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus. All of us who are mature should take such a view of things. And if on some point you think differently, that too God will make clear to you. Only let us live up to what we have already attained.

Purpose:
1. Gives life meaning.
2. Simplifies life.
3. Focusses life.
4. Motivates us.

A good Life Purpose Statement:
* Thinks about the centre of life
* Reflects on the character of life
* Discerns the direction of life
* Contemplates the contribution of life
* Chooses the community of life

When we discover and live out our purpose...

God smiles, Heaven applauds, the devil quakes, the world is made a better place, we shine with the glory of God and God gets the credit!

How?

1. Remind yourself that you belong to God and that He created you.
2. Ask Him what you need to be about (read, pray, reflect -> WAIT)
3. Begin to write it out.
4. Tweak it and Test it
5. Live it

My Own Mission Statement:

TRUST: Turn to God, Rely on His guidance, Understand His love, Step out and Trust again.