

What is your primary purpose in life? Simply stated, as the title petitions us, are we significantly motivated to serve the needs of others? Or, perhaps instead, we're haunted by a fear driven prideful thought of not achieving adequate personal recognition. Then, as we ponder further fear driven temptations, perhaps we may also be consumed too much by a false belief that providing for our own essential needs and desires is more urgent than pursuing a "God ordained Purpose driven Vision" to serve the spiritual and material needs of others? (Acts 20:24)

How do you visualize the primary Purpose for your life? How do you think our Lord visualized that purpose when you were conceived? Do you recognize specific natural talents, learned skills and spiritual gifts lining up with the primary "Purpose" our Lord placed within you?

As presented in some of my other articles, we usually have two motives for almost everything we do. We can label them (1) primary and (2) secondary motives. If our primary motives involve serving, we can and should pray for our Lord's wisdom and counsel to coordinate with His miraculous resources to significantly enhance our agenda. However, if our plans happen to involve only a self serving agenda we, perhaps, may be depending only on our resources and intellect to achieve our goals. This may work for a while, but a time will come when it will not.

"Fear" is humanity's ultimate sin; it's also Satan's tool of destruction. Before the fall, humanity did not experience fear! Agape love, (*A purpose driven verb, not an emotion*) prevailed without fear in their "Garden of Eden World." After the fall, presented metaphorically as eating from "*the tree of knowledge of good and evil*" agape Love was replaced with fear. The first sin mentioned in our Bible defined FEAR: "*Adam ran and hid.*" That's when humanity became self destructive and completed Satan's revenge toward God.

So, why am I repeating again that which has been stated several times before in other short articles? It's so we'll never fear placing our serving motives ahead of our needs motives. Remember Deuteronomy 15:4; Malachi 3:10 and Luke 6:38. These have always worked for me!!! We will never out give our Lord's ability to replenish our resources.

Notice, after the fall, we're all born "selfish." Love and generosity must be taught. Inborn fear and selfishness is natural to humanity at birth now, after the fall!

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