

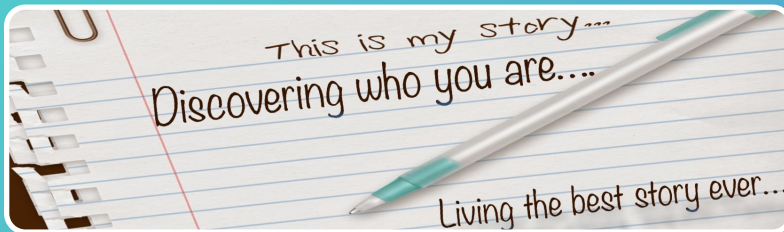
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EXTREME FAITH

The story
of our life
What's your
story?

Name:

Take me home!



DISCOVERING...

What is your story...

Okay so we look around and we see life happening all around us. Everyone we see has a life and well when we compare sometimes we start thinking that life is better than mine. My life is better than that. We judge and we consider what can make our life better. We all want the best possible life that we can have. We all want to see things happen for us that makes life better. But the question is this better than what? What are we judging our lives against? We can always find someone who has a life that appears better than ours, and the whole time they might be looking at our life thinking that we have the better life. So what is our story? What are we doing to write the story of our lives?

If we are going to write a life story that is worth telling then we have to know one very important thing. We have to know our IDENTITY. We have to know who we are and what makes us, us. To write a story of life we have to know who we are, and why we are here and what we are to do while we are here. Identity is a thing that we all have to process, and it can be confusing, because the whole world is trying to tell us who we are and what we are supposed to be. The world tells us how to dress, and

what to watch, and what to listen to. The world and the culture that drives the world well it wants to control us and direct us. All of us have been a victim to this. No one is completely free of being influenced. What we have to consider is what is influencing us and why do we allow it influence us. There is a great verse in the bible that I really dig, because it captures my life and has helped me write the best story for my life. 2 Corinthians 5:17 says this: **Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come.**

That is the story of my life for the most part and I am writing the new part of my life. Do you have an old life? Do you have a new life? Does a new life sound exciting? I hope so because there is so much out there for each of us and we have to move into the new part of our life and discover our interest and our passions. When we move into the new part of our life things change and the story of our life begins to write itself. I leave you with this thought and question. When was the last time you could not sleep because you were so excited about tomorrow? The story we are to write is supposed to be that exciting!... Let's

Living Extreme means...

We talk a lot about being extreme these days. X Games, Extreme Sports, we think that we are extreme when we hit the terrain park in the winter. Extreme is in and we called XGT The Extreme God team before the X Games were all that extreme. When you think about it what makes a life extreme? How do you live extreme? Let me ask you another question. How much time do you spend on yourself? How much time in your day is spent on well your needs and your wants? See Extreme living means well not living for your self but living for something that is bigger than you. If you don't live with purpose that is bigger than yourself you are more likely to serve only yourself. When we live only for yourself and our own needs, our life only really affects us. To live a life that is Extreme we have to affect more than just our life. So where do you serve? Where do you live for something that is bigger than yourself. Really think about it and track your hours, minutes and seconds. What are they spent on? How much time do you spend not on yourself, but on a cause or a purpose that is bigger than you? It's okay if you can't answer the question. It is a hard one. The hard questions are worth asking and worth answering. We are going to start an Extreme journey, together, and we are going to push each other to live Extreme with a purpose bigger than all of us.

Would you rather....?

...live a life that serves you or serves others?

...live free and be unique or live a slave and fit in?

DIG IN

2 Corinthians 5:17 says this: Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come.

Describe your life in three words....

Describe who you are in three words...

List your three greatest interests...

List your three greatest passions...

Without purpose that is bigger than yourself you are more likely to serve only yourself.

What is the new life that you can have through Jesus?

Why is it important to know who you are?

CHARACTER

Who are you, and what do you stand for? Do you really stand for it or do you just say that you stand for it. Extreme character does not sway from what it stands for. It Stands. Do you stand for what you believe in? Be Extreme in character and believe and don't be shaken...

Think About it...

(The Story of your life...)

What is the story of your life up to this point? How would you describe it to someone who does not know you? That is not always so easy. But it is worth thinking about. So here are some tips to put into practice.

TIPS:

Do you really think about how you spend your time each day?

What do you spend your time on? How does it add to the story of your life? Do you spend your time on your passions, or do you just spend your time?

How do you impact the people that are in your life?

Do you live your life for what you can get out of it or do you live your life to impact others? At the end of the day can you recount times in the day where you had a positive impact on someone else?

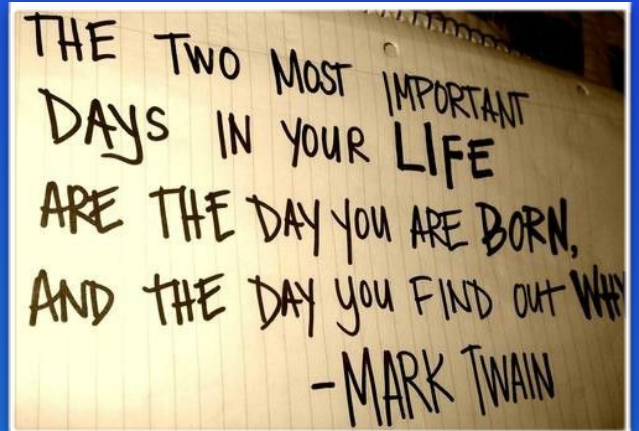
In your day do you positively impact yourself?

How did you grow today? Did you learn something about God from God? Did you depend on something bigger than yourself? We are in charge of seeking more and more of God, are you seeking Him?

Was your day so busy that you did not listen to a friend?

How busy are you, if you are so busy that you can only move from one thing to the next thing chances are your story is too busy. You need to slow down and live the life that you are in. A good way to measure this is how much do you listen to others, What are they saying and what can you do to help them?

It is your story for now, If you are ready to live a life that is more exciting than any story that you could ever imagine, Then dig in and learn how to live a life that is lived for a purpose bigger than yourself.



THE TWO MOST IMPORTANT
DAYS IN YOUR LIFE
ARE THE DAY YOU ARE BORN,
AND THE DAY YOU FIND OUT WHY
- MARK TWAIN

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and
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