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This is God's Word for my life in this Place
and at this Time. Today I am a new
creation in Christ, I am God's very own,
and I KNOW He has a purpose for my life.

“Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or drink; or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothes? Look at the birds of the air; they do not sow or reap or store away in barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not much more valuable than they? Can any one of you by worrying add a single hour to your life?”

And why do you worry about clothes? See how the flowers of the field grow. They do not labor or spin. Yet I tell you that not even Solomon in all his splendor was dressed like one of these. If that is how God clothes the grass of the field, which is here today and tomorrow is thrown into the fire, will he not much more clothe you—you of little faith?

So do not worry, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' For the pagans run after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them. But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own.

Matthew 25-34

3 PRIMARY WANTS IN LIFE

- We want to be COMFORTABLE
- We want to be WANTED
- We want to find MEANING

We are Deceived

We honestly don't see the discrepancy between what we think and say and how we actually live...

Conformity = Goodness

We are Distracted

Busyness is THE narcotic for empty life.

Activity = Purpose

We are Afraid

We long to live out of a great cause, mission, or adventure. We simply do not trust that God will supply our needs if we put our time, our reputation and our security (money) at risk.

Routine = Predictability = Security

We have FAILED, repeatedly

Our sincere and honest efforts to put FTF in the past have lasted only a short time and ended with frustration and disillusionment with value.

Expectations = Apathy

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