

MY NEXT STEP TODAY IS:

- I will memorize **Romans 12:5 (NIV)**
- I will accept Christ for the first time
- I will join the New Life church family
- I will sign up for New Membership Class
- I will sign up for baptism
- I will sign up for the next small group session

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Purposed by God: A Deep Dive Into Your Life's Purpose

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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, so he made the One who leads people to salvation perfect through suffering." **Hebrews 2:10 (NCV)**

"His unchanging plan has always been to adopt us into his own family by sending Jesus Christ to die for us. And he did this because he wanted to!" **Ephesians 1:5 (LB)**

"Treat everyone you meet with dignity. Love your spiritual family. Revere God. Respect the government."
1 Peter 2:17b (MSG)

MY SECOND PURPOSE IN LIFE IS TO _____ WITH OTHER BELIEVERS

"Christ has given us this commandment: The person who loves God must also love other believers."
1 John 4:21 (GW)

WE CONNECT TO _____ IN GOD'S FAMILY

"I hope to visit you soon. However, I'm writing this to you in case I'm delayed. I want you to know how people who are members of God's family must live. God's family is the church of the living God, the pillar and foundation of the truth."
1 Timothy 3:14-15 (GW)

CONNECTING ON FOUR LEVELS

LEVEL 1: _____ - CHOOSING TO BELONG

"Now you are no longer strangers to God and foreigners to heaven, but you are members of God's very own family, citizens of God's country, and you belong in God's household with every other Christian."

Ephesians 2:19 (LB)

MEMORY VERSE: *"So in Christ we, though many, form one body, and each member belongs to all the others."* **Romans 12:5 (NIV)**

(Membership Class starts 3/1/2022)

"For we were all baptized by one Spirit so as to form one body—whether Jews or Gentiles, slave or free—and we were all given the one Spirit to drink." **1 Corinthians 12:13 (NIV)**

"I should hope not! If we've left the country where sin is sovereign, how can we still live in our old house there? Or didn't you realize we packed up and left there for good? That is what happened in baptism. When we went under the water, we left the old country of sin behind; when we came up out of the water, we entered into the new country of grace—a new life in a new land! That's what baptism into the life of Jesus means." **Romans 6:2–3 (MSG)**

LEVEL 2: _____ - LEARNING TO SHARE

"And all the believers met together constantly and shared everything with each other." **Acts 2:44 (LB)**

- **OUR** _____

"As iron sharpens iron, so one person sharpens another."

Proverbs 27:17 (NIV)

- **OUR** _____

"Open your homes to each other." **1 Peter 4:9 (NCV)**

- **OUR** _____

"Share each other's troubles and problems."

Galatians 6:2 (NLT)

"And let us not neglect our meeting together, as some people do, but encourage one another, especially now that the day of his return is drawing near." **Hebrews 10:25 (NLT)**

LEVEL 3: _____ - DOING MY PART

"For we are partners working together for God, and you are God's field. You are also God's building." **1 Corinthians 3:9 (GNB)**

"Under his control all the different parts of the body fit together, and the whole body is held together by every joint with which it is provided. So when each separate part works as it should, the whole body grows and builds itself up through love."

Ephesians 4:16 (GNB)

LEVEL 4: _____ - LOVING BELIEVERS LIKE FAMILY

"They spent their time learning from the apostles, and they were like family to each other. They also broke bread and prayed together." **Acts 2:42 (CEV)**

"Be devoted to each other like a loving family. Excel in showing respect for each other." **Romans 12:10 (GW)**

"We understand what love is when we realize that Christ gave his life for us. That means we must give our lives for other believers."

1 John 3:16 (GW)

"You are all God's children by believing in Christ Jesus."

Galatians 3:26 (GW)

I WILL _____ OR _____

TO GOD'S FAMILY.