Life Purpose Questionnaire

1. Does the work I’m presently doing express what I truly want to be doing?  □ Yes  □ No
   
   If no, how can I begin to take steps toward discovering and doing work that would be more personally fulfilling?
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2. Am I satisfied with the education I’ve obtained?  □ Yes  □ No
   Would I like to go back to school and increase my education and training?
   □ Yes  □ No
   
   If yes, how can I begin to move in that direction?
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3. Do I have creative outlets?  □ Yes  □ No
   The areas of my life where I feel I can be creative are:
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   If no, what creative activities could I develop?
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4. Have I developed my spiritual life to my satisfaction?  □ Yes  □ No
   If no, how would I begin to explore spirituality further?
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5. What would I like to do with my life if I could do what I truly wanted? (Assume, for the purpose of this question, that money and the responsibilities of your current job and family are not a limitation).

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6. What would I like to accomplish with my life?
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What would I like to accomplish ten years from now in order to feel that my life has been productive and meaningful?
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7. What are my most important values? (Circle ones below or add)

- Happy family life
- Material success
- Intimacy
- Career achievement
- Friendship
- Creative expression
- Good health
- Personal growth
- Peace of mind
- Spiritual awareness
- Serving others
- Dedication to a social cause

Other:
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What values give my life the greatest meaning?

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8. Is there anything that I deeply value and yet feel I haven’t fully experienced or realized in my life?  □ Yes  □ No
What changes do I need to make – or what risks do I need to take – to more fully realize my most important values?
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9. Do I have any special talents or skills that I haven’t fully developed or expressed?  □ Yes  □ No
What changes do I need to make – or what risks do I need to take – in order to develop and express my special talents and skills?
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10. In the light of the above questions, I feel that my most important life purpose would include (list):
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11. What obstacles exist to pursuing and realizing my life purposes?
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12. What am I willing to commit to doing in the next month, year and three years to eliminate the obstacles in Question 11 and move toward realizing my special purposes?

One month:
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One year:
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Three years:
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