



Living the Dash

4 PRINCIPLES TO LIVE THE LIFE GOD MADE FOR US

PRINCIPLE #1

Jesus LIVED PASSIONATELY

"I came so they can have real and eternal life, more and better life than they ever dreamed of." - John 10:10 (MSG)

"And this is the testimony: God has given us eternal life, and this life is in his Son. He who has the Son has life; he who does not have the Son of God does not have life." - 1 John 5:11-12

PRINCIPLE #2

Jesus LOVED COMPLETELY

"Jesus knew that the time had come for Him to leave this world and go to the Father. Having loved His own who were in the world, He now showed them the full extent of His love." - John 13:1 (NIV)

"Jesus replied: 'Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.' This is the first and greatest commandment. And the second is like it: 'Love your neighbor as yourself.'" - Matthew 22:37-39 (NIV)

"Love never fails...." 1 Cor. 13:8 (NIV)

PRINCIPLE #3

Jesus LEARNED HUMBLY

"Your attitude should be the same as that of Christ Jesus: Who, being in very nature God, did not consider equality with God something to be grasped, but made Himself nothing, taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness. And being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself and became obedient to death-- even death on a cross!" - Philippians 2:5-8 (NIV)

2 Things that build character:

- GOD'S WORD
- PROBLEMS

"In everything you do, put God first, and He will direct you and crown your efforts with success." Proverbs 3:6 (LB)

PRINCIPLE #4

Jesus LEFT BOLDLY

"As the time approached for Him to be taken up to heaven, Jesus resolutely set out for Jerusalem." - Luke 9:51 (NIV)

"His master replied, 'Well done, good and faithful servant! You have been faithful with a few things; I will put you in charge of many things. Come and share your master's happiness!'" - Matthew 25:23 (NIV)

Reflect or Respond:

What would you do if you had only one month to live?

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