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HOW'S YOUR SOUL?

#Satisfied #Healthy #Fulfilled = #MeaningfulSoul

How to have a #MeaningfulSoul – a #MeaningfulLife

*I am coming to visit you after I have been to Macedonia, for I am planning to travel through Macedonia. Perhaps I will stay awhile with you, possibly all winter, and then you can send me on my way to my next destination. This time I don't want to make just a short visit and then go right on. I want to come and stay awhile, if the Lord will let me. In the meantime, I will be staying here at Ephesus until the Festival of Pentecost. **There is a wide-open door for a great work (meaningful work, effective work, significant work) here, although many oppose me.***

1 Corinthians 16:5-9 (NLT)

To have #Meaningful Soul/Meaningful life requires a soul that is SURRENDERED.

*I am coming to visit you...I am planning to travel...Perhaps I will stay...,
IF THE LORD WILL LET ME.*

*For everything, absolutely everything, above and below, visible and invisible...everything got started in Him (Jesus) and finds its purpose (its meaning, its effectiveness, its reason for being) in Him (Jesus). **Colossians 1:16 MSG***

What does a surrendered Soul look like?

1. It no longer lives for the temporary, rather the **Eternal**.

*So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen, since what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal. **2 Corinthians 4:18 (NIV)***

2. It trusts, even when it cannot **see**.

*For we live by **believing** and not by **seeing**. **2 Corinthians 5:7 NLT***

*Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight. **Proverbs 3:5-6 (NIV)***

3. It lives for something bigger than **itself**.

*For to me, living means living for Christ, and dying is even better. But if I live, I can do more fruitful work for Christ... Knowing this, I am convinced that I will remain alive so I can continue to help all of you grow and experience the joy of your faith. **Philippians 1:21-25 (NLT)***

*Jesus said...I have come that they (those who believe) may have life, and have it to the full. **John 10:10 (NIV)***

Going deeper on you own. How's your soul? Take out a piece of paper and make a list of everything that is currently troubling your Soul. Now beside each item on the list write a simple "yes" or "no" if you think God can handle it or not. In Pastor Jay's message, he said a satisfied, healthy, fulfilled, and meaningful soul is a soul that is surrendered. Do you agree or disagree? Why or why not? Why is it hard to totally surrender our soul, and thus our life, to God? As Pastor Jay has asked so many times, who is leading you Soul (your life), who have you surrendered it to, and how's it working? If you have never fully placed your trust in Jesus Christ, do it today. Surrender to Him, for He truly is trustworthy.