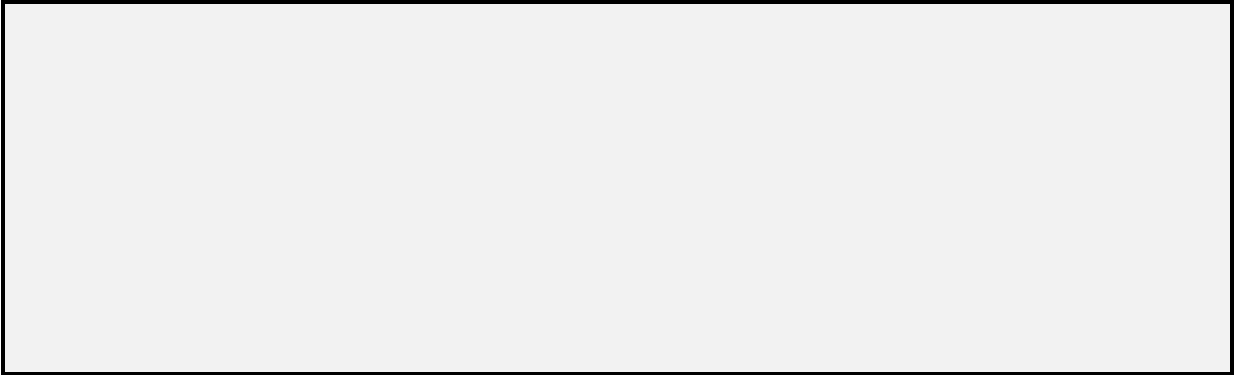


Personal Purpose Statement

1. Make a list of twenty personality characteristics that you like about yourself. Come on. God doesn't make any junk. You have many.

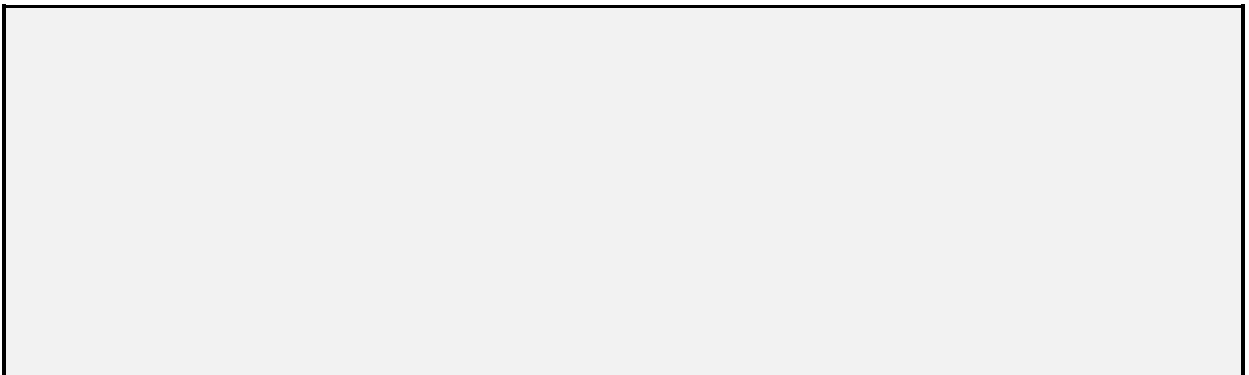
(Example: a sense of humor, determination, love for your family, desire to serve, etc.)



2. List your five favorites.



3. Refer to your five favorite personality characteristics, list ten ways that you enjoy expressing these, and from this list, place (X) near your five favorites.



4. Write a brief statement (twenty-five words or less) of your vision of an ideal world. Write this vision in the present tense and how you want it to be, rather than how you want it not to be.



5. Pull this all together into a complete sentence in the following format.

My life's purpose is to use *(insert your five favorites from #2)*.

By *(Insert your five favorites from #3)*.

So that *(Insert your vision of an ideal world)*.

Example:

The purpose of my life is to use *(my determination, love for God and my family, my sense of humor, and my desire to serve)* by *(writing, speaking, learning, community service)* so that *those I come in contact with may benefit from my experience, strength, and hope in Jesus Christ.*

