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Everything was made with the purpose of pointing our hearts and minds back to our Creator. That is the whole reason why we exist.

One of the most common questions among Christians is "How do we live the Christian life?" Being a **Christian** is not about keeping rules and regulations. Jesus said that knowing Him is the doorway to a special relationship with God.

A summary of living a Christian Life is found in Galatians 2:20: For I have been crucified with Christ, and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I now live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God who loved me and gave Himself for me.

There are three simple statements in this scripture:

- 1) <u>I have died</u>.... I have been *crucified with Christ, and I no longer live.* we died with Him. Jesus did not just die *for us* at the cross, He took us *with* Him, and we died there, too.
- 2) I am Indwelt ... But Christ lives in me. God himself lives inside us.
- 3) <u>I am Depending</u> *The life I now live in the body I live by faith in the Son of God.* We live to surrender and depend on Him for every single nook and cranny of life. It is called living by faith.

Good advice from Billy Graham with five statements on to live a Christian Life

- 1) Read your Bible daily. all we need is there.
- 2) Learn the secret of prayer. Every prayer that you pray will be answered.
- 3) Attend church regularly. Christians need one another
- 4) Learn to meet temptation. Temptation is not sin. It is yielding that is sin.
- 5) Live above your circumstances. Do not let circumstances get you down.

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