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You were created with a God-given purpose. Are you living outside of that purpose? It is easy to allow the cares of the world to rob us of living life fully.

When Jesus walked the earth, He said, "I have come that they may have life, and have it in all its fullness." If you are unfulfilled in the life you are living, consider seeking out the LIFE that Jesus came to give. To learn more, visit

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FOR WHERE TWO OR THREE
GATHER IN MY NAME, THERE
AM I WITH THEM. — JESUS

MATTHEW 18:20



The declaration of the Church has always been that we are in need, and Jesus is the source of our life. This acknowledgment and declaration lead us to follow Jesus on His mission to care for the poor, serve the hopeless, and meet the world with the same mercy and grace we have received.

That's why the Church was born, as a gathering place of hope for the hurting, the rejected, and the lonely. It is not a place of perfection; it is a refuge for those in need.

The Church has been a beacon of safety during war and conflict. In 369 A.D., it built the first hospital, and the Church has been the largest

healthcare provider in history. The Church was the first to fight for women, and stand up for orphaned children.

The Church has shaped so much of the world's amazing art, architecture, literature, and music; and it's because of God's mercy that we can show up with the same creativity, grace, and forgiveness that Jesus showed us. The Church also united people of different ethnicities and cultures in celebration of God's goodness.

For two millennia, it was a hub of activity and friendship around shared purpose and vision. It is a place where people can find love, acceptance, and meaning.

The Church is not a building. It's a gathering of people brought together to experience God's love and purpose.

God designed the Church just for you — you belong here. Are you ready to experience a community of people doing life together? To find out how, visit:

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Over 2,000 years ago, 12 young men left everything to follow a promise, placing their entire future on a foundation of hope.

That foundation was Jesus, and their future was the Church. Never meant to be an institution or political entity, that ragtag group of young men would later grow into a worldwide expression of God's commitment to heal, save, and deliver.

Church is not a building; it's a people. It's where millions of people throughout the ages have come to find community, rest, peace, and redemption through Jesus. All are welcome.



**THE CHURCH IS THE
CHURCH ONLY WHEN IT
EXISTS FOR OTHERS.**

– DIETRICH BONHOEFFER

The Church isn't for the elite. It's not for the perfect. It's for all of us – a place to find friendship and purpose, where we can meet Jesus, and rally around each other.

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