

# Life Stages

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	Learning	Building	Focusing	Investing
Critical question	<i>Who am I?</i>	<i>Where is my place?</i>	<i>Why am I here?</i>	<i>How do I finish well &amp; leave a legacy?</i>
Characteristics	High activity Broad learning Hopeful/anxious Searching/verifying Accomplishing Gathering Self-Oriented Survival	Intense schedule Narrow learning Tyranny of the urgent Driven by expectations Achieving, making it Improving Work-oriented Success	Changing schedule Targeted learning Uncertain/weary Second thoughts Contributing > Influencing Mastering Purpose-oriented Significance	Focused/looser schedule Selected learning Anxious Accepting my role Influencing > Contributing Converging Others-oriented Security
Dangers	Bad life decisions Not knowing self Pressure to “figure it out”	No life structures Doing overrides Being Incongruency stress	Dabbling Plateauing	Stop learning & growing Lack of purpose <i>(rolelessness)</i> Not finishing well
<p>.....<b>Developing Potential</b>.....<b>Developing Purpose</b>.....</p> <p>Desires:.....Awaken.....Deepen.....Fulfilled.....</p> <p><b>Gains outnumber losses</b>.....(jobs, spouse, kids, health, possessions) .....<b>Losses outnumber gains</b></p>				
Key to Succeeding	Exposure/experience Understanding self Faithfulness Mentors Feedback/adjustment Respond-learn-grow	Developing life structures Applying self Stewardship Mentors/Peers Feedback/adjustment Respond-learn-grow	Clarifying purpose Focusing self Stewardship Mentors/Peers Feedback/adjustment Respond-learn-grow	Making final years count Investing self - Legacy Generosity Peers/Mentorees Feedback/adjustment Respond-learn-grow