



VISION COMPASS

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Foundation for vision (Getting it right)

John 5:13 NKJV


But the one who was healed did not know who it was, for Jesus had withdrawn, a multitude being in that place.





INTRODUCTION

The pattern of Jesus for achieving success in life becomes a model for our lives, which we must emulate before embarking on any plans, goals, and visions for the new year.



CHECKLIST



1. Are you satisfied with your life now?




2. Did you have a plan in the beginning of the year and was it achieved?



3. What area of your life do you feel less satisfied?



4. Do you have a specific destination you aim to reach in the coming year?



**JESUS'
PATTERN
FOR VISION**

A. INTIMATE COMMUNION WITH THE FATHER

- 1. Relationship pattern (A walk with the father)**
John 5:20 NKJV [19]
- 2. Receive instruction pattern (He followed and obeyed)**
John 12:49-50 NKJV [49]
- 3. Strategy pattern (Develop plans)**
Mark 6:7-10
- 4. Execution pattern (Obedience)**
Philippians 2:8 NKJV [8]
- 5. Evaluation pattern (What do men say I am?)**
Matthew 16:13-18





HARD QUESTIONS

1. How would rate your passion for God?

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

2. How pure are your heart, thoughts and life?

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

3. At what level would you rate the intimacy you and God have together?

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

1 = Very Poor 10 = Excellent

B. PRAY WITH PASSION

1. God is able to accomplish his vision

(Ephesians 3:20, 1Corinthians1:9)

2. God will draw near

Psalms 145:18 NKJV

3. God will remove hindrances



COMPONENTS OF VISION



PURPOSE

Purpose is the reason behind the existence of a person or thing.

Why am I on earth?

Purpose answers the question
"WHY?"

- *John 1:22-23 NKJV [22]*
- *John 8:25 NKJV [25]*



VISION

Vision is what a person want to become which is derived from your purpose in life.

Vision answers to the question **"WHAT?"**



MISSION

Mission is the action plan that must be taken or done by a person to achieve the status, purpose and vision.

Mission statement answers to the question of "**HOW**"

It can be itemized or listed; it is usually derived from vision statement.

- *Luke 4:18-19 NKJV [18]*



GOAL

Goals are specific action steps that an individual must take in a short, medium and long term to achieve the mission.

Goals are guided by the rule of **SMART** which is not needed in mission statement.





PRACTICAL QUESTIONS

- Purpose answers to the question of "WHY"
- Vision answers to the question of "WHAT"
- Mission answers to the question of "HOW"
- Goals are **specific activities** to fulfill the vision and mission

Things to know about vision

- Vision is a clear picture of the future a person paints for himself (vision is the art or power of imagination)
Joseph [Genesis 37:7 NKJV [7]
- Vision is an internalized clear mental image of a preferred future based on God's inspiration and revelation.
Genesis 15:5-6 NKJV
- Vision is the capacity to believe what others cannot see and begin to prepare for it.
Genesis 6:14 NKJV [14]
Joseph





Things to know about vision

- Vision is a function of the heart, it is invisible and the invisible controls the visible
Romans 4:17 NKJV [17]
- Vision can be specific (personal vision) or collective/corporate
 - a. Specific**
 - Noah [Specific assignment to build an ark – Genesis 6:13-22]
 - Jonah [To preach to Nineveh – Jonah]
 - Paul [Made apostles to the gentles – Ephesian 3:8
Romans 11:13]
 - b. General/Collective: Acts 13:2 NKJV [2]**

D. CHARACTERISTICS OF A VISIONARY PERSON

- Intentionality
- Courageous
- Networker
- Learner
- Insightful
- Faithful
- Planner
- Proactive
- Risk taker
- Change agent
- Christ like



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