



Lion Maker

A Call to Personal Growth, Maturity, Wholeness & Impact

Colossians 1:28, 29 – The Message: *“That is the substance of our Message. We preach Christ, warning people not to add to the Message. We teach in a spirit of profound common sense so that we can bring each person to maturity. To be mature is to be basic. Christ! No more, no less. That’s what I’m working so hard at day after day, year after year, doing my best with the energy God so generously gives me.”*

II Timothy 2:1, 2 – The Message: *So, my son, throw yourself into this work for Christ. Pass on what you heard from me—the whole congregation saying Amen! —to reliable leaders who are competent to teach others.*

II Samuel 23:39 – “... thirty-seven in all.”

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LION MAKER – BE & GO!
Jesus calls us to BOTH – BE a Lion and GO make Lions

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Bible Verses: Luke 2:52; Matthew 28:18-20

Music: Because He Lives | Celtic Worship <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RFlr8-gH55E>

Video: Les Miserables_I give you back to God <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wF3FX43F-7Y>

Resources: Book: CHASE THE LION – *If Your Dream Doesn’t Scare You, It’s Too Small* by Mark Batterson

LION MAKER – BE A DISCIPLE

1. _____ **Checklist:**
 1. Enough sleep.
 2. Regular exercise.
 3. Reduce sugar.
 4. Eliminate unnecessary meds.
 5. Healthy diet.
2. _____ **Checklist:**
 1. Stress reduction.
 2. Practice forgiveness.
 3. Daily focus on gratitude.
 4. Learn therapeutic deep breathing.
 5. Seek counseling for intrusive thoughts or emotions.
3. _____ **Checklist:**
 1. Finding emotionally safe friends.
 2. Setting priorities for career.
 3. Strengthening communication skills in family & workplace.
 4. Developing a plan for responsible financial management.
 5. Choosing involvement in community.
4. _____ **Checklist:**
 1. Clarify your values.
 2. Discover your purpose.
 3. Evaluate your connection to God – developing an intimate walk with God.
 4. Set specific guidelines to help you grow.
 5. Define the legacy you would like to leave.

LION MAKER – GO MAKE DISCIPLES

1. _____ → Engage in a process of walking with another man, not a program.
2. _____ → Participate in group and individual work, not just individual.
3. _____ → Serve another, not have power of others.
4. _____ → Develop hearts, not minds.
5. _____ → Trust God, not Gifts.

ACTION: Journal This!

1. What is your intentional and deliberate plan for growth?
2. Who is your WHO? Who are you praying for, committed to help, focused on as someone you want to see grow and mature?
3. How do you need HELP in your own growth?

Bible Verses – The Message

<p>Luke 2:52 - 52 And Jesus matured, growing up in both body and spirit, blessed by both God and people.</p>	<p>Matthew 28:18-20 - 18 Jesus, undeterred, went right ahead and gave his charge: "God authorized and commanded me to commission you: 19 Go out and train everyone you meet, far and near, in this way of life, marking them by baptism in the threefold name: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. 20 Then instruct them in the practice of all I have commanded you. I'll be with you as you do this, day after day after day, right up to the end of the age."</p>
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Lion Maker Declaration

<p>I will quit living as if the purpose of life is to arrive safely at death. Be the Lion!</p> <p>I will set God-sized goals. I will pursue God-given passions. I will go after a dream that is destined to fail without divine intervention. Be the Lion!</p> <p>I will stop pointing out problems. I will become part of the solution. I will stop repeating the past. I will start creating my future. Be the Lion!</p> <p>I will face my fears. I will fight for my dreams. I will grab opportunity by the mane and not let go! Be the Lion!</p> <p>I will live like today is the first day and last day of my life. I will burn sinful bridges. I will blaze new trails. I will pursue the next Adventure! Be the Lion!</p>	<p>I will live for the applause of nail-scarred hands. I will not let what's wrong with me Keep me from whispering what's right with God. Be the Lion!</p> <p>I will dare to fail. I will dare to be different. I will quit holding out. I will quit holding back. I will quit running away.</p> <p>I will use my gifts and brokenness to impact others. I will seek to be a brother and father to other men. I will live in community. I will fight!</p> <p>I Will Be the Lion! I will seek to be like Jesus!</p>
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BECAUSE HE LIVES by Celtic Worship

<p>Because He lives, I can face tomorrow Because He lives, all fear is gone Because I know, He holds the future And life is worth the living Just because He lives God sent His Son, they called Him Jesus He came to love, heal and forgive He lived and died to buy my pardon An empty grave is there to prove My Savior lives Because He lives, I can face tomorrow Because He lives, all fear is gone Because I know, He holds the future And life is worth the living</p>	<p>Just because He lives And then one day, I'll cross that river I'll fight life's final war with pain And then as death gives way to vict'ry I'll see the lights of glory And I'll know He lives Because He lives, I can face tomorrow Because He lives, all fear is gone Because I know, He holds the future And life is worth the living Just because He lives Because He lives, I can face tomorrow Because He lives, all fear is gone Because I know, He holds the future</p>	<p>And life is worth the living Just because He lives Because He lives, I can face tomorrow Because He lives, all fear is gone Because I know, He holds the future And life is worth the living Just because He lives Because He lives, I can face tomorrow Because He lives, all fear is gone Because I know, He holds the future And life is worth the living Just because He lives Because I know, He holds the future And life is worth the living Just because He lives</p>
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