



The MAXIMIZERS Principles | Character Declarations | Actions

MAKE THINGS HAPPEN: “I am responsible and making a difference.”

- ➔ **Action:** Avoid a victim mentality and proactively take responsibility to create new disciplines and habits that lead to developing right attitudes, right beliefs, and right commitments.

ACHIEVE PERSONAL SIGNIFICANCE: “I live with dignity and significance.”

- ➔ **Action:** Develop a healthy self-concept, recognize your uniqueness, and realize you can make a difference. Look for opportunities to grow.

X-OUT THE NEGATIVES: “I embrace problems as positive opportunities.”

- ➔ **Action:** Choose a positive attitude when facing fears, problems and challenges. Eliminate stress and self-destructive patterns of behavior. Align your behavior with the ‘Fruit of the Spirit.’

INTERNALIZE RIGHT PRINCIPLES: “I align my life with biblical values and principles.”

- ➔ **Action:** Build a ‘values system’ around ‘Biblically-Based Character Principles’ that influence your attitudes and also the commitments that you make.

MARCH TO A MISSION: “I am living out my mission and purpose.”

- ➔ **Action:** Live with a sense of destiny, excitement, and meaning. Use the framework of your own ‘Mission Statement’ to guide your decisions to fulfill the purpose and calling of God upon your life.

INTEGRATE ALL OF LIFE: “I keep all vital areas of life in balance.”

- ➔ **Action:** Protect your life from the negative influences of distress, anxiety, fear, depression, and burn-out by balancing your priorities and scheduling your goals in the seven Areas of Life.

ZERO IN ON CARING FOR PEOPLE: “I put others first and honestly serve them.”

- ➔ **Action:** Consciously choose to be present in conversations and actively listen to others. Confront people with grace and respect. Practice empathy when others are going through difficulties. Always work toward **UNITY**.

ENERGIZE INTERNALLY: “I continually seek direction from the Holy Spirit.”

- ➔ **Action:** Choose to live in the power of the Holy Spirit and align your life with Godly principles that promote the blessings of God upon your life.

REALIGN RIGOROUSLY: “I adapt and adjust to changing needs.”

- ➔ **Action:** Be open to making mid-course corrections and adjusting to constant change. Realign when necessary.

STAY THE COURSE: “I never quit and choose to stay focused on important issues.”

- ➔ **Action:** Choose to persevere and focus through challenging situations. Look for solutions and press through to the finish line. Be persistent and learn from mistakes. Commit to never give up; never, never, never give up!