Why Am I Here?

(The Reason For Our Existence) Selected Scriptures

What is my Purpose on Earth?

We were made for God:

- Proverbs 16:4 The LORD hath made all things for himself
- Isaiah 43:21 This people have I formed for myself; they shall shew forth my praise.
- Colossians 1:16 ... all things were created by him, and for him: You were created by Jesus and for Jesus.

I. We are created and redeemed that we might KNOW God

- 1John 5:20 "And we know that the Son of God is come, and hath given us an understanding, that we may know him that is true, and we are in him that is true, even in his Son Jesus Christ. This is the true God, and eternal life."
- Philippians 3:10 "That I may know him, and the power of his resurrection..."

II. We are created and redeemed that we might PLEASE God

• Revelation 4:11 "Thou art worthy, O Lord, to receive glory and honour and power: for thou hast created all things, and <u>for thy pleasure</u> [for Thy desire] they are and were created."

III. We are created and redeemed that we might GLORIFY God

• 1Cor. 10:31 "Whether therefore ye eat, or drink, or whatsoever ye do, do all to the glory of God"