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TRAINING FOR LOCAL LEADERS

MODULE FIVE

PERSONAL MISSION STATEMENT

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The Salvation Army

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PERSONAL MISSION STATEMENT

SESSION 1: Biblical Purpose Statement

AIM:

This session is designed to help participants formulate their own biblical purpose statement, a foundation for forming a personal mission statement.

INTRODUCTION

If you were to make the statement: “This is what I am created to be and do” what would you be referring to.

We each have a unique and personal destiny.

Take what Mordecai said about Esther in Esther 4:14b

“And who knows but that you have come to royal position for such a time as this”.

In Ephesians 2:10 we are reminded that “we are created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do”. While we are called by God to live godly lives, God has also gifted us for a specific role as members of Christ’s body.

As we work through developing a personal mission statement, we need to answer four questions. As we answer those questions, we will pull together some of the work we have already done in understanding our own SHAPE.

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H_____

A_____

P_____

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The four questions we will answer are:

1. What has God taught you? Your_____.

2. How has God shaped you? Your_____.

3. What is God calling you to accomplish?

Your Personal and_____life.

4. How do you plan to accomplish your personal mission?

Your_____roles.

DEFINITIONS

Biblical Purpose – Describes our biblical_____for existence

Values – Describes our inherent_____and assumptions.

Vision – A word_____of a_____from God's perspective

Roles – The_____tasks we are called to and best
_____to accomplish.

Goals – Faith statements that provide_____for the vision

A personal Mission Statement helps us to focus our personal lives and ministry. It is a statement that brings together our biblical purpose, our life-ministry values and our personal vision. Like any mission statement, they keep us focused on the most important and vital things in our lives.

QUESTION 1

What has God taught you?

Your biblical purpose.

Review the verses on the sheet entitled "Scriptural Search- Biblical Purpose" and under the reference, record the insight into why we have been created as individuals.



Based on these insights respond to the following questions. Write your reflections in short statements.

Why did God create me?

What does God say provides our greatest joy?

What is my response to the work of Jesus on the cross for me?



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