

My Divine Identity and Purpose

1. Read this statement by Elder Dieter F. Uchtdorf of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles, looking for the Savior's desires for you:



I believe the Savior Jesus Christ would want you to see, feel, and know that He is your strength. That with His help, there are no limits to what you can accomplish. That your potential is limitless. He would want you to see yourself the way He sees you. And that is very different from the way the world sees you.

The Savior would declare, in no uncertain terms, that you are a daughter or son of the Almighty God. Your Heavenly Father is the most glorious being in the universe, full of love, joy, purity, holiness, light, grace, and truth. And one day He wants you to inherit all He has. (Dieter F. Uchtdorf, "Jesus Christ Is the Strength of Youth," *Liahona*, Nov. 2022, 9–10)

Read Doctrine and Covenants 14:7, looking for what Heavenly Father desires to give you.

2. Read this statement by Sister Michelle D. Craig, formerly of the Young Women General Presidency, looking for her counsel to anyone who questions their divine worth:



Perhaps the most important things for us to see clearly are who God is and who we really are—sons and daughters of heavenly parents, with a "divine nature and eternal destiny" [Young Women theme, ChurchofJesusChrist.org]. Ask God to reveal these truths to you, along with how He feels about you. (Michelle D. Craig, "Eyes to See," *Ensign* or *Liahona*, Nov. 2020, 15)

Read Doctrine and Covenants 18:10–13, looking for how Heavenly Father feels about you.

3. Read this statement by President Susan H. Porter, Primary General President, looking for why we each need to know how Heavenly Father feels about us:



When you know and understand how completely you are loved as a child of God, it changes everything. It changes the way you feel about yourself when you make mistakes. It changes how you feel when difficult things happen. It changes your view of God's commandments. It changes your view of others and of your capacity to make a difference. (Susan H. Porter, "God's Love: The Most Joyous to the Soul," *Liahona*, Nov. 2021, 33)

4. Read this statement by President Russell M. Nelson, looking for what He taught about our Heavenly Father's hopes for each of us:



Heavenly Father's plan for His children allows us to live where and how He lives and ultimately to become more and more like Him. His plan literally makes the richest blessings of all eternity available to us, including the potential for us to become "joint-heirs with Christ" [Romans 8:17]. (Russell M. Nelson, "Choices for Eternity" [worldwide devotional for young adults, May 15, 2022], broadcasts.ChurchofJesusChrist.org)