

Paper idea: **LIFE WORTH LIVING**
according to: topic of choice

Questions of leadership and the good life extend beyond the traditions and topics covered in our short time together. For your paper, write a research paper analyzing the vision(s) of a “life worth living/good life” that a tradition not addressed in the course advocates or implicitly endorses.

You may choose to research a religious tradition (ex. Sikhism), philosophy (ex. Nietzscheanism), school of thought or paradigm (ex. Social Constructivism), social movement (ex. #MeToo), or discipline/sub-discipline (ex. Moral Psychology). To claim your topic (no one can overlap) e-mail Dr. Wooten.

Like Paper #1, Your analysis should include a clear thesis, preview, and ought to pay particular attention to the intersection of leadership and the good life (broadly conceived). To assist your focus, consider analyzing the most relevant of the following:

- According to this tradition, what does it mean for life:
 - To go well? (What is important in terms of life’s circumstances?)
 - To be led well? (What do we need to do in order to lead a life worth living?)
 - To feel good? (and does it matter? Might the life worth living be miserable?)
 - What reasons and/or motivations does this tradition offer for its vision of a life worth living?
- What resources does this tradition offer for human beings to have a life worth living?
- According to this tradition, to whom are we responsible for living our lives a certain way?
- What does this tradition suggest that people do when they fail to live such a life?
- What is distinctive about how one might lead within this tradition?
- Is this vision available to all?
- What does this tradition say about what it means to be human and what it means to be human together?

Additional Notes: Include at least ten scholarly sources. Offer evidence for both implicit and explicit endorsement and advocacy for the vision you present. Format your paper utilizing the most recent APA style guide. Include a list of references, an abstract, and an APA title page.

I will evaluate the papers based upon the following criteria:

- Context and Purpose

- Content Development
- Form and Structure
- Sources and Evidence
- Control of Syntax and Mechanics

This paper should be 6+ pages (not including references, abstract, and title page).