



There's More to Life Than Work

Imagine that I am going to pay you \$200,000 this year to not work. The stipulations are that you cannot use the money to buy land, homes, or vehicles. The money is to be used for living expenses, pleasure, travel, or learning. You can buy things that allow you to participate in an activity. (Snorkel gear, camping stuff.)

What would you do this year?

Who would you spend time with?

What kinds of activities would you like to do?

Where would you go?

What would your ideal day be like?

Ok, now I'm paying you \$1 million to not work, you can't invest or buy anything that costs over \$75,000 and you have to spend it in a year or you lose it.

Now what would you do?

Describe your year. Where are you going? Who with? What are you feeling?



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Now you have \$100 million in the bank. What would you do day to day?

What would be the best thing about waking up in the morning?

What's one place to travel?

What's one thing you want to do each day?

What's one thing to do each week?

What's one thing you've always wanted to learn?

What's one big thing on your bucket list?

Out of all your answers, some of these activities are going to be attainable for you right now. You may not have money to tour Europe at this time, but I'll bet that you have things on your list that you can implement for free or cheap if you had the time. Start scheduling some of these in, and get the others on a goal list. Find one step you can take, such as researching just how much that trip would cost. Keep taking steps towards the things you want to do.