

"To laugh often and love much;

- .. to win the respect of intelligent people and the affection of children;
- .. to earn the appreciation of honest critics;
- .. to appreciate beauty,
- .. to find the best in others;
- .. to leave the world a little better; whether by a healthy child, a garden patch or a redeemed social condition;
- .. to have played and laughed with enthusiasm and sung with exultation;
- .. to know even one life has breathed easier because you have lived.

This is to have succeeded."

--- Ralph Waldo Emerson

