

“How do I keep my dream alive when it’s not paying the bills?”

Quotation by Mark Twain - “Five years from now, you will be more disappointed by the things _____ than by the ones that _____.” Explore, Dream, Discover

- You need to see your art as a _____ .
- Dan’s three-legged stool example: Which three things are necessary?
_____, _____, and _____
- Writer T.S. Eliot worked at _____. This freed him from the stress of paying bills, and his writing fame began to grow. He worked there for _____ years, and then became an editor for the rest of his career.
- Writer Anthony Trollope wrote _____ (#) words every morning before work at the _____, where he stayed for _____ years.
- Book referenced, “Big _____,” by _____. The main idea of this passage is:
_____.
- Book referenced, “The _____ of _____,” by _____ . He stated, “(Your art) is a _____ to the _____ and every being in it.”
- Why might Dan state that he feels 100% college acceptance is a poor goal?
_____.
- What types of skills are immune from outsourcing?
_____.
- Elizabeth Gilbert states that the arts are not really a _____. She goes on to say that, “Nobody needs _____ less than an artist.”
- What happened to the Christian singer and the artist who both got corporate jobs while continuing their creative pursuits?
_____.
- Dan says, “Getting a job may be the most _____ thing you do, and the _____ way to make your dream come true.”

- Here are the four ways that an artist/creator can make money, adapted from the book by Jeff Goins, “Real _____ Don’t _____.”
 - 1. Become a _____ artist and directly sell your art/writing/etc.
 - 2. Patronage model. A _____ benefactor supports the artist.
 - 3. Self-Patronage. Get a _____ and support yourself.
 - 4. The artist chooses _____ and creates a place of _____ and _____ in life.
- Are you listening for your music?
 (The movie referenced is “ _____ ” from 2007.)
 Who can hear the music? _____ .
- Dan’s suggestions to help you hear your music:
 - Start with _____ minutes of _____ in the morning.
 - Clear extraneous _____ during the day.
 (Reference books by Cal Newport, “ _____ ” and “ _____ ”.)
 - Adjust your _____ system to focus on what’s important. Can you hear even _____’s voice?
- God calls us in alignment with our natural _____ .
- How can you afford to _____ the life that you love?
- Create a plan of _____ complete with a _____ .
- Dan’s 5-Step Process for Change:
 - 1. Clarify your _____ .
 - 2. Seek the _____ and _____ of other people.
 - 3. Identify the _____ .
 - 4. After research, choose the _____ .
 - 5. _____ !
- Don’t wait for _____ to make success happen.
- Steve Jobs (from speech June 2005 to Stanford University):
 “You’ve got to find _____ you _____ ... do what you believe is _____ work.”

Additional resource - 10 motivational quotes: <https://www.48dayseagles.com/motivation>