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Every individual is worth knowing. I would have ignored this question over 5 years ago, it wouldn't have been relevant to my past situation. I was still trying to get here to reply to your question. Here are some reasons why... I've since moved past my colourful history of variety. I was like a rebel without a cause, most my life I had no one to answer to at all. I was basically, a free agent to come and go as I please, do whatever I wanted and when I wanted. I had nine other siblings being third youngest.

I was physically abused at age six that left me crippled for three and a half years. I lived in one hospital for eighteen months and the rest of that period in a home for crippled children. I never found out the reason for the abuse, but what I did know, I was a very quiet and shy kid before that and didn't really know what bad was. I also remember playing with some cousins in the lounge room when something strange happened,

I stood in the kitchen staring at the ceiling for a while like in a trance. My cousins asked me if I was okay but I didn't answer. They started yelling at me "you are scaring us" I was confused, they kept asking if I was okay, I replied "yes". What were you looking at they snapped, I don't know...I think an alien... What is that? "I don't know" I answered. These two incidences were the most vivid memories of my childhood. I can't remember much else, bits and pieces, not even a birthday.

By midlife, I think the rebel inside me took over. Alcohol, drugs, partying, bar fights and relationships ruled my world. There was a lot of drinking with friends, family and workmates. None of the siblings barring me, took drugs, I did this to fit in with mates and groups I associated with. I'd be found at clubs, pubs and parties only when I wasn't at work. I didn't know then, the affects of childhood trauma were showing.

I had that many bar fights I lost count, men were the target, most times started over winning games of pool for money. I'm not sure what provoked full on fist fights, their loss of money or pride? I didn't hate them, but I had to protect myself all the same, amazingly, I don't recall losing a fight either. My brothers and male cousins were also included. The women I knocked out were no competition. Police were also no exception to my rebellious nature either unfortunately, I think I was lucky to literally elude a criminal history during this reckless period.

What confused me most was my preference for female relationships. Prior to them I was in heterosexual partnerships but I walked away from them. I think I chose women over men due to my attitude, thanks to a painful childhood memory. In 2000, I was involved in a serious work accident, strange things started happening from that day forward. I was seeing things... one face in particular was highlighted in the hours of darkness, seconds prior to impact.

A truck and trailer smashed into my work vehicle pushing both our trucks 90m off the motorway into a paddock leaving maintenance parties scrambling. I saw something unfolding seconds before impact in the rear vision mirror like a frosted coating around everything I could see. I couldn't hear anything, and the atmosphere felt really heavy and hazy. It seemed like life was in slow motion.

When I saw the headlight's almost to the rear of the vehicle, I remembered saying "I'm going to die"... and then my vision completely filled with a very bright light. It felt like being in a air bubble, couldn't see anything but white. I heard an enormous crashing sound, I fell my body being tossed around inside this bubble. I felt nothing, I assumed both vehicles had come to rest. I saw myself laying across the truck cab, my back was lying on the middle seat console, my right leg was jammed behind the gear stick, the rest of my body was laying horizontal across the cab.

I saw my right leg being lifted up and placed gently beside my left leg. Nobody was there. My vision was very hazy, warm and in slow motion with a dim yellow light glowing in the cab. After being cut out from the wreckage, I woke up confused with a sheet over my head. When I pulled the sheet there was no light at all in the cab. It was pitch black in the paddock with only emergency workers and red lights everywhere. As I was lifted in the ambulance I could see debris scattered over the motorway and on the shoulder.

That workmates face I saw illuminated in the dark prior to leaving for that job was a elderly female worker who I found out later during recovery, was her job I did that night. The traffic supervisor swapped us due to her fear. A nurse told me she sat at my bedside all night while I was morphed out. Doctors didn't detect the fracture in my right leg through the MRI scan, they discovered it in a physical examination the next day. They ran a series of diagnostic tests as my results kept returning negative, blood tests and all.

It took three years to totally recover. I was the first driver in an accident of that nature to survive. Several similar industry accidents prior to mine ended in tragedy. I was told by the boss my vehicle helped save the group of roading workers laying asphalt metres from the accident site. Plus the female workers at age 60, who most believed, she may not have been so lucky had she been in my position. I'd say they were right. I don't regret nothing, I'm just glad everybody got to walk away... alive!

Since the accident it felt like something did die in me, I couldn't put my finger on it... my life changed dramatically, I had no interest for things I use to do before then. What had changed since then, got even more weird...on a spiritual note. I feel I've cheated death a couple of times where I almost fell from a bridge, literally tipped to fall as the railing dislodged from the concrete base. One worker almost fell off but managed to gain balance. We were both leaning on the rail as it went over.

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I couldn't regain my footing or balance and swear I was going with it... everybody backed away from me, I think they knew too. As my heart dropped I stretched my arms out like a cross and closed my eyes. As I tipped forward past the edge I was stopped by something that felt like a wall of cushioned air, it pressed against the entire front of me slowly pushing me backward until I could step away from the edge. I believe we were all shocked as that happened, workers just looked at me as I walked away. WTF!!..I heard them say, I walked away because I too, didn't know what to say, or think in that matter.

Other spiritual activities have occurred following that one like telepathic communication with a psychic medium. I did mean to say something to her in my mind because I felt she was reading me, but I wasn't anticipating it to literally happen. She was about 40m from me when I sensed it. She was my sister's friend. She stood up, everyone was called for lunch. My best friend told me she was asking her a question when she felt a heavy sensation around her. My BF is a sharp intuitive herself, she realised something was happening between me and the other lady.

The lady stood by me at the table with a frightening look, she said nothing stood up got in her car and left. A few minutes later her husband and kid pulled in only to realise she had gone. When my sister asked me where she was, I told her she's gone home. It left everyone baffled she'd just arrived before me I hadn't been there long. A few months later I was told she lost her husband and daughter who both died of a heart attack, she lost her gifted abilities, and turned to alcohol.

I started seeing beautiful lights coming out of nowhere even while people were in my company but they claimed to see nothing. These happened in broad light and I was getting annoyed I don't know if it was at people who couldn't see these things occur in front of them or about these things happening. So I took a friend with me to see a psychic so she could witness anything that was revealed. We walked in, just sat down while the lady pulled out her crystals.

I looked at my friend and she was fast asleep, the lady said she's not meant to hear anything let her sleep...bloody great! What next? I've received: revelations, vivid dreams, epiphanies, automatic writing, commercial innovations, visualisations, OBE's, astral travel, information downloads, not to mention most people I come across now. I seem to pickup on their intentions...emotions etc. automatically. Today, I am especially passionate to exploring and testing the spiritual fabric of the universe...if you will.

My faith and energy is invested here and it has been since my mother passed over five years ago. I am exploring my connection to it, among other things. When I go there, it is to bring solutions to benefit humanity, myself inclusive. What I have mentioned this far is merely part of a bigger picture that not only I realise, so do others. Apart from this much, I am a true spirited Aquarian, I care for humanity and want to help where I can. I'm loving, friendly, caring and compassionate.

I can be stern when speaking my truth and not afraid to say it like it is. I'm loyal, ethical and seriously committed to do what it takes to get a job done. I have inner abilities that I will use as I need them. I know there are other blessings I have yet to discover as well. I am not perfect but then I cannot have everything my way either, or step out of this human suit...which would be nice for a change. There are some people out there that may not like or hear me but then I cannot control that or please everyone.

Why am I worth knowing? Because 'we are all connected' energetically, which tells me 'we are all one'. It's a nice time for humanity to awaken their spiritual intellect or, at least to the fact, 'we are living a dual reality' not just one. Acknowledging and nurturing our spiritual bodies as well as our physical one is what both realities need in parallel. If you have intuition, then everybody has one too. Trust that this gift has a home and a purpose just like you.

The love of god resides in all of us. Where did god's healing abilities come from? Ancient wisdom tells us, it wasn't from planet earth. I'm not here to control or tell you, or anybody else what to do...I'm only here to communicate the message.

This question is not for me to answer, in doing so...I'd be answering for all of humanity.

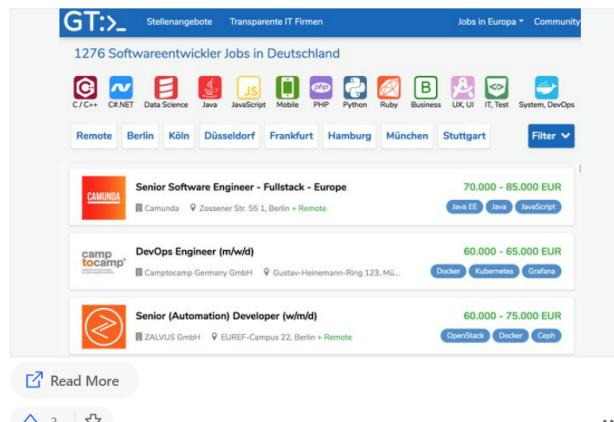
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I am worth knowing because in this whole universe there is not a single person like me. Its just me like me. Nobody has the same genetic makeup as I. I am unique in my own myself. And to this world, I matter. The world where everyone is suffering somehow, I make it a slight better place to live in.

Sometimes we ourselves don't know how many people around us look upto us for help. They don't say it aloud that hey! I'm getting courage by you or that i inspire you. But there surely are those people who are somehow getting something from you.

And this makes me worth knowing and special. :)

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One of the values of getting to know anyone of us is that we each can generate emotions in each other. Obviously we gravitate towards the people who generate the most positive feelings in us, but anyone can potentially generate good feelings to a degree. Another value of getting to know others, is that each one can provide some interesting and useful ideas regarding how to better live our lives and be happier. And again, we gravitate to those we find who seem to be able to do this the most.

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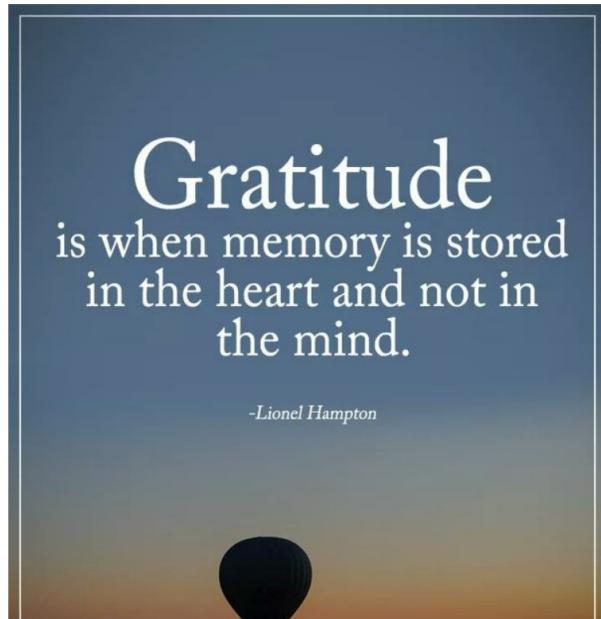
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That is an interesting question. Maybe I am, maybe I am not, it all depends on what you need in relationship of any kind. A friend needs to fulfill the needs of the other with love and caring, that goes both ways. If there is meanness and abuse involved then I would say no. Life is too short to deal with abuse of any kind.

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Wow. Talk about a loaded question. The answer can be taken as making yourself worth knowing or as having a big fat ego.

I was a very shy child, but once I got to college I realized that I was smart and had contributions to make to society. That brought me out of my shell. Along with this my mother taught me to always be honest, kind, and helpful. When I became a teacher, I set my mind at being a great teacher. I realized I had achieved that goal when a student nominated me for Who's Who Among American Women.

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I have a well developed, if perhaps somewhat serious, sense of humor and find that I have put wh

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And in it, he asked for her autograph, on a picture at that, which was supposed to be girlish and thoughtful.

Steinbeck's nephew apparently fell madly in love with the actress.



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I'm a person full of my life experiences and personal perspectives. I am but one voice in a ocean of over six billion voices and yet I am unique. I am as unique and different as each individual snowflake is different from the other snow flakes.

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I am generally a nice person and I will share my chocolate bar with you. I will listen with interest to what you have to say. I like to learn.

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My parents say they're proud of me and tell me I need to try harder in the same breath.

My sisters achieve more than me and tell me they're jealous of me in a single second.

My friends are so smart and call themselves stupid...

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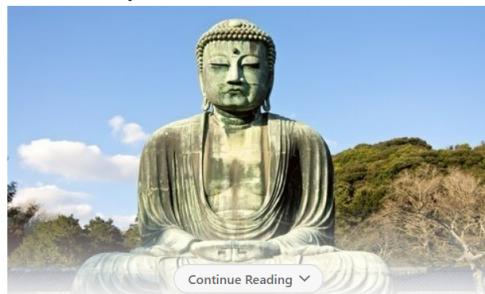
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I feel the same way. It's not that I am depressed or sad, I just know I have no special skills or talents. I can't write poetry, paint, Dance. I have no sense of rhythm. I'm awkward and clumsy.

I'm average looking at best. People from high school don't remember me, even those I considered good friends. So why do I feel this way? maybe the answer is that there is nothing special about me.



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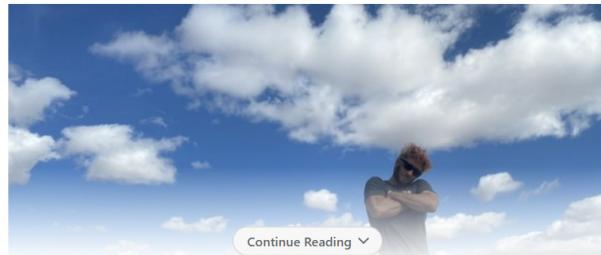


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Actually, you are being your self the entire time. It's just that you (like most people) are not recognising or expressing or acting from your *true* self because you (like most people) are identified with a false version of self that is manufactured by the mind.

So it's not really a question of how to become your true self; it's more a question of how to stop identifying with a false self?

To do that, stop listening to what your own mind thinks about you. Every positive and negative comment, every positive and negative image, every positive and negative comp

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If you are talking about the fundamental basics like Food, Clothing, Shelter, Respect, Opportunities - then my answer to your question is - everyone deserves to be treated equally.

However, if you are talking about achieving success, money, wealth or anything that involves effort, sacrifice, time and resources and yes - if you are putting it out there in the competitive world - then only the best deserve to win - not the rest.

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When I fucked up and wrecked the car, my parents yelled at me.

I told the dirty joke, she tried to clench her mouth shut, turned red, and then laughed a lot harder than she wanted to. It made me feel good, more than good. It was intoxicating. It was like being on drugs.

I am not on drugs.

I was taught and am fond of manners. If you let the door fall in my face, I'll write a Quora answer about you. It's my way of restoring balance to the universe.

I have terrible balance.

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Someone who is worth knowing betters those around them, whereas someone who is well known may be shallow, and known for what they offer on a superficial level. It is possible to be both.

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I fell in love with him after watching him command a class of 20 toddlers in tiny white uniforms. They behaved perfectly and did everything he told them to. With a smile.

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The person you're today won't be the same tomorrow.

- The Love you call permanent is temporary it's the attachment which is forever.
- All the pride you carry in your chest trying to prove the world that you're the best is temporary. Years later you'll be lying there underneath the earth with people walking over your pride and you not being able to utter a word.
- If you believe your happiness is temporary so believe me this sadness is too .
- The pain you call eternal is temporary,Healing is permanent you're getting better everyday just feel it within you.
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3. **Emotional Abuse:** You make it very clear a certain behavior/action hurts you, but they continue to do it anyway.
4. **Friends/Family:** The people closest to you warn you over and over again this is not a good person.
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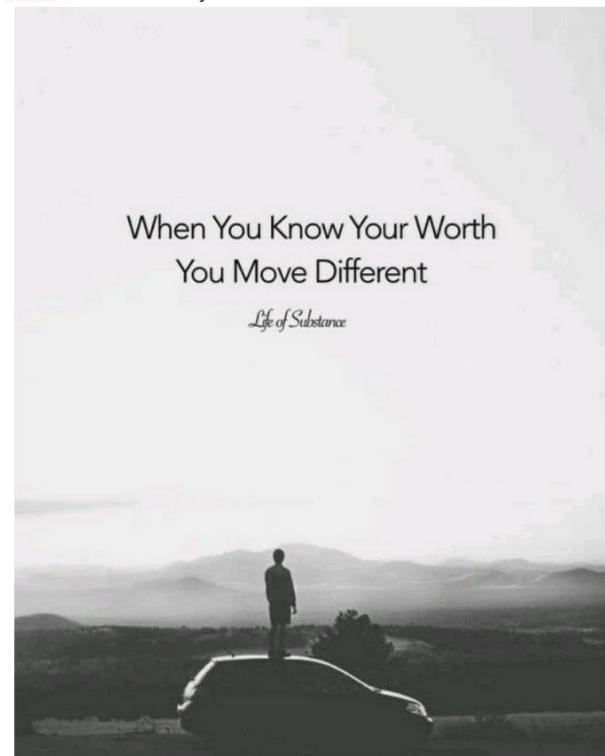
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My life experience. It is unique.

These days I feel especially appreciative for my philosophical personality, creative survivor skills, and quirky, adolescent sense of humor. That wasn't the case in the past. What made me unique was also what didn't let me fit in.

But that is one of the many gifts of the accumulation of years - *the gift of perspective*.

I used to think I was too emotional, too intense...too much for most people. Now I don't let anyone or anything dim my brilliance. *The naysayers and dreamslayers get banished to the shadows.*

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I used to think that I had nothing of value to share with the world.

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Decide that you are. That is all you need to do.

Never let society set your expectations. It will destroy who you are. Never let the world set your goals—they are the most important things you possess--and it has no hesitation in destroying you.

Society is scared of anyone different and uses two powerful weapons to keep everyone just like them: denigration (shame) and exclusion—this was also the method used by many religions. Psychologically, this is easy to understand. They have no self-knowledge, or personal sources of value. So they copy what others do.

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Yes, there are signs that tell that you are speaking to a truly wonderful person:

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3. They are never racists with you.
4. They respect any language barriers.
5. They try to learn from you rather than teach you all the time.
6. They show that they like you if at all they are the opposite sex and not seeing anyone.

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Thanks for A2A :)

There is no need to worry at all. It is just the starting. While I was pursuing my B.Tech, I didn't even know what 'C' is.. Still I became topper in next sems.

You must be better of that. I was not close to that. But yes, I worked hard on myself. I studied not for long hours, but I was focused for what I was studying.

Instead of going very much theoretical, I suggest you to become more practical, in whatever branch you have.

Be smart to your work. Don't waste your time in unnecessary things.

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