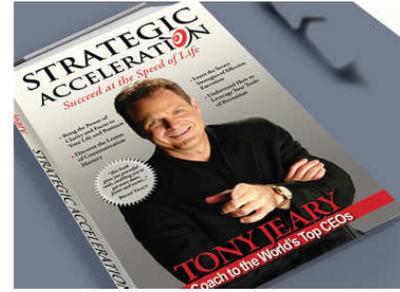


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## **Exercise 17: Describe Your Hope And Great Goal For The Future**

A vision statement expresses your hope and the great goal you have for the future. A vision statement is a specific statement that articulates the future as fact, and will give others clarity about your vision.

### ***Vision Statement***

As you go about creating your vision statement, you should consider what you want, why you want it, and what positive things will happen when your vision is executed.

### **My Vision Statement**

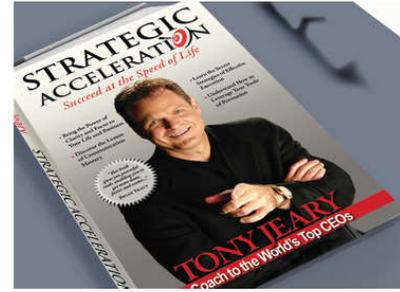
**My vision is:**

### **My Vision Statement: Example**

**My vision is:** *to be a strong, strategic asset to my company by continually focusing on long-term benefits for the organization, making decisions based on creating job and financial security for its people, and furthering my legacy to "just do your job, and do it well" which will subsequently create more of the same results I seek.*

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## **Exercise 18: Examine the Behaviors You Most Value**

There are behaviors you most value and expect in yourself and others. When people understand what is most important to you, they understand your priorities and what matters most to you concerning their own behavior.

### *Behavioral Priorities*

Here you'll list the behaviors you most value, which will enable you to communicate their importance to others, and demonstrate those same skills in your own, everyday activities.

### **My Behavioral Priorities**

<b>Behavioral Priority</b>	<b>Why It's Important</b>	<b>How I Demonstrate It</b>
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**My Behavioral Priorities: Example**

<b>Behavioral Priority</b>	<b>Why It's Important</b>	<b>How I Demonstrate It</b>
<i>Being committed to family</i>	<i>All of my personal decisions are driven by how they will benefit my loved ones</i>	<i>Thinking through impacts, benefits, etc., asking questions, being empathic</i>
<i>Knowing how to ask good questions</i>	<i>Gathers vital information from others</i>	<i>Preparing questions and being thoughtful during answers</i>
<i>Being a good listener</i>	<i>Indicates focus and care</i>	<i>Fully focusing on the speaker – no phone, Blackberry, etc. – and taking notes</i>
<i>Having a good work ethic</i>	<i>Ensures productivity and sets a good example</i>	<i>Show up on time, work hard, exhibit professional behaviors that feed focus and execution</i>
<i>Serving as a strong leader</i>	<i>A good leader supports a good team</i>	<i>Mentoring, listening, taking management classes, being professional</i>