

That Man is a Success

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Who has lived well, laughed often, and loved much;
Who has gained the respect of intelligent men and women
And the love of children;
Who has filled his niche and accomplished his task;
Who leaves the world better than he found it,
Who never lacked appreciation of earth's beauty
Or failed to express it;
Who looked for the best in others
And gave the best he had.

Robert Louis Stevenson