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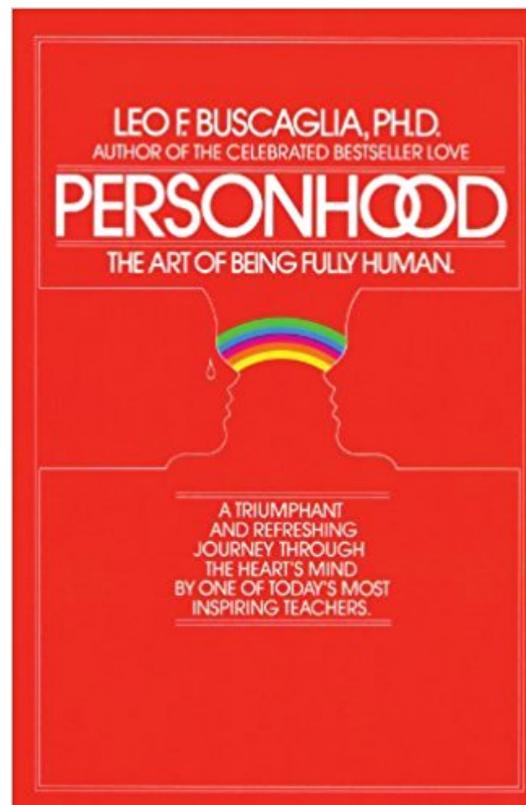
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Personhood

Personhood **By Ginny Mancini**

The need for Dr. Buscaglia's advice and guidance has never been greater. In an age where too many people seem to feel "entitled" to an easy life, where too many people feel lost and isolated in a crowd, Dr. Buscaglia's guidance on the steps to take charge of yourself is crucial. I found myself listing people I wanted to share a copy of "Personhood" with.

The short conversations about the major religions is



also timely. By his own admission, the reviews of the religious movements is incomplete. (What an interesting book a full analysis would have been!) But it accomplishes his mission of creating common ground and better understanding. He gives a starting point for reaching forward.

Chapter 4 delves into important facets of Personhood: Death, Self-determination, Connectiveness, Purpose, Communication, Doubt, Spirituality, Pain, Love. All areas we must face individually but easier with Dr. Buscaglia's encouraging words.

Chapter 5 concludes with a wrap up of steps to take.

I am so encouraged by his words. "Each of us has within us that which is necessary to remake the world. The principle motivational force necessary to accomplish this requires only our personal commitment to dedicate ourselves to the process of living our lives fully, not only to exist in life, but to experience it totally."

"Not only to exist but to experience." Join me in carrying forward his message.

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Purchase the book today or additional books by Dr. Buscaglia [here](#). Books are available in hard copy or eBook.

MAPS Charities

MAPS Charities received a grant to support their direct funding program. Included in the program are such things as rent assistance, dentures, eyeglasses, wheelchair ramps and other items that help seniors live more safely, comfortably and independently.

They assists disadvantaged elderly people in Los Angeles County with funds for short-term solutions for critical concerns, by providing direct funds that allow them to stay in their homes, take care of their health and enhance their quality of

life. **MAPS** helps to create a culture of care, kindness, dignity and respect for seniors.

Mixed Remixed Festival

Mixed Remixed Festival received a grant to help finance the live show that culminates the Festival's weekend of activities. The Mixed Remixed Festival is the nation's premiere cultural arts festival celebrating stories of the Mixed experience, multiracial and multicultural families and individuals through films, books and performances.

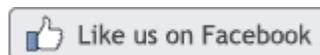
Through film screenings, readings, workshops and performance, the **Mixed Remixed Festival** highlights the previously untold stories of our connectedness as a community and a nation across cultural, racial and religious divides; provides a safe, positive forum for honest discussions about race and culture; creates a platform for emerging storytellers' careers; and promotes the Mixed experience as a valuable prism with which to view issues of social justice and change.

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