



Our Vision

“We envision a world where every person has the means of creating meaningful and active relationships in their lives”

We know this is a **Vision** of the world that will never fully come to be in our lifetime. There are so many people, and almost always room for improvement. But nonetheless we will head towards it. Here is a breakdown of our **Vision**.

“... every person...”

We mean it when we say *every*. We don't say this with the expectation that we can cater to everyone, but rather; we seek to be one part of humanity's effort towards that **Vision**. See our **Mission** for more on who we specifically seek to serve.

“... the means of creating...”

We don't believe we should be in a relationship with everyone we meet. Rather, we should have the *means* of creating relationships, through whatever tools, skills, knowledge, understanding, or methods are required to make that happen should both people *choose* to.

“... meaningful...”

What a *meaningful* relationship comes down to is about how the individual feels connected to others. It can be viewed in many ways.

- One might view connection by practical psychological definitions that recognize we are social creatures that need community to function healthily.
- Some might consider this connection “love”, something which (probably all) cultures recognize as an essential part of being human, with various definitions on what love is.
- Many might consider connection with each other as spiritual.

We let the definition remain somewhat ambiguous, as we recognize that it can encompass a range of experiences and cultural understandings.

“... active...”

Relationships are ongoing, requiring investment and effort. This requires turning up, and putting in effort for the other, and sometimes working

through what gets in the way of that relationship externally or internally. And that we also know there is someone we can call upon for help.

“... relationships in their lives”

While we get to *choose* who we connect with, we do believe that relationships are required for a meaningful and healthy *life*. That we have people who fulfill different needs, which can look many and varied.