

## INTRODUCTION

# Starting the Journey to Your Masterpiece Life



*The true work of art is but a shadow of the divine perfection.*

**Michelangelo**

**Y**ou are on a journey...a journey toward achieving your *Masterpiece Life!*  
Your life—a life that is unique—is not like that of any other being on this planet. Your life is a brilliant work of art, a masterpiece!

"Art" is your craft or any form of creation made with passion and purpose to benefit others. Being an "artist" as I refer in this book, applies to anyone who makes an art out of one's expertise, a "Master" within one's craft. This includes artists in the traditional sense, entrepreneurs or professionals in any creative field (who I refer to as "creative professionals"), as well as passionate individuals who wish to attain more fulfilling lives.

To achieve excellence requires you to become a Master of your own life. A Master has incredible expertise in his "art." But the Master also has thorough control over his thoughts, actions and work. Just as a Master puts forth sweat to create his work, you must put forth thought, planning, persistence and perseverance to create your magnificent life.

