CLASS ONE

Things that feel good and that are good for me

budgeting travel

celebrating

accomplishing a goal

connection contributing gratitude sex

dancing & laughing personal development

(this is our ideal life, what we all strive towards)

CLASS TWO

Things that do not feel good but are good for me

exercise / physical activity

food prep

hard conversations

waking up early / going to bed early

taking risks

breaking bad relationships

setting boundaries

saying no

self care / self-awareness

budgeting

talking to healthcare professionals

(we want to spend*80% of our time here)

CLASS THREE

Things that may feel good (in the moment / at the time) but are not good for me

beer / wine / other recreational drug use

fast food junk food social media

Netflix distractions not budgeting

excessive shopping (in person or virtually)

sex

(often looking for a feeling/self-indulgence)

CLASS FOUR

Things that do not feel good and are not good for me

negative self-talk

gossip

overeating / undereating

complaining

judging

Letting other people's opinions have a hold on us

the constant need for certainty

self-harm

avoiding mental and physical health

(majority of time cannot be spent here)

line of integrity (with ourselves) when we cross over into class 3 & 4 things, we often feel out of alignment with our values and beliefs.

** This is not an all-inclusive list; these are merely examples.

Each person will have their own individualized list of "things" for each category.

Note: The Four Agreements by Don Miguel Ruiz is an incredible short read that speaks about how we have integrity with ourselves. It's a wonderful read that complements this exercise.