

## Real English® 69 - Achieve – Part 1 of 2

Interviewer: What do you hope to achieve before you die?

Brentney: Oh, I'm going to be a judge.

Interviewer: Okay. Hi.

Sabrina: Hi.

Interviewer: What's your name?

Sabrina: Sabrina.

Interviewer: Sabrina, hi.

Sabrina: Hi.

Interviewer: What do you expect to accomplish before you die?

Sabrina: Oh, okay. Uhm, just have a good life, and make meaningful relationships, and find happiness.

Interviewer: What do you hope to accomplish before you die?

James: Before I die? I always have had a dream of industrializing Africa. It seems a lot, a real broad, you know, but I really, I really believe if I get a lot of money like that, I'll do it. I'll really do it. I'll go over there and make Africa just like the United States. I don't want no big power, you know, I don't want no big position, I just want to be noticed for that, you know.

Louise : I just want to be happy. Get married. Hi, guys!

Interviewer : Uh, what do you hope to accomplish before you die?

Karen: Uhm, what do I hope to accomplish? Well, I'd say I hope to get my masters, and be teaching at a university before I die.

Karen : I would hope that I would have a greater understanding of things than I do at the moment; and I'd hope to possibly be a more broad-minded person.

Alexander : What do I want to achieve before I die? Um, just make a lot of money. I want to make a lot of money. Be happy.

Interviewer : What do you hope to achieve before you die?

Deborah: I hope to have visited a lot of foreign countries, and met a lot of interesting people, and brought some good into the world with some of the acts that I do.

Interviewer : Er, what do you hope to achieve before you die, sir?

Neil : Real American question. I really have no hopes of achieving anything before I die. I'm just going to keep plugging away.

Interviewer: Hi.

Doug: Hello.

Interviewer: What's your name?

Teresa: Teresa.

Interviewer: And your name, sir?

Doug: My name is Doug.

Interviewer: Hi Doug. Hi Teresa. What do you hope to accomplish before you die?

Doug: Uh, I'd like to be in a hundred and twenty countries, before I die.

Interviewer: A hundred and, just a hundred and twenty?

Doug: A hundred and twenty.

Interviewer: And how, how about you?

Teresa: I'd like to travel around everywhere, but I'd also like to have a family and a good home base.

Interviewer: And, you guys live in, in California?

Teresa: I do. He lives in New Jersey.

Doug: I live in New Jersey.

Interviewer: Whereabouts in New Jersey?

Doug: Cherry Hill? It's right outside of Philadelphia.

Interviewer: I know Cherry Hill.

Doug: Okay.

Interviewer: How many, how many countries have you visited up til now?

Doug: I have visited eleven countries.

Interviewer: And where did you get that number of one hundred and twenty? Did you just make that up?

Doug: I just, kinda made it up off the top of my head. I know there's something like a hundred and seventy-five countries in the world so, I figured that's a little unrealistic for my budgetary reasons.

Interviewer: What's your favorite country?

Doug: So far, my favorite country is Spain, because I speak Spanish.

Interviewer: Ah, very good.

Interviewer : What do you, uhm, hope to accomplish before you die?

Robert: Well, I hope to gain some knowledge about something, and uh, uh, I uh, well, I hope to see the world, see what's around the world.

Interviewer : How about you?

Chris: I have a new son. He's only 5 months old, so I hope to see him, uh, grow up healthy and happy, and you know, get through college if that's what he wants to do, uhm, and hopefully have another child, maybe a girl, uh, within the next few years. So now, now, my, a lot of my life goals have changed to reflect my new family, so I'm looking forward to just raising my family, and having a good life with them.

Interviewer : And how about you, Leyton? Do you hav', what do you hope to accomplish before you die?

Leyton: Well, I'd like to be successful at something, get my college degree after 8 years. Uhm, I just got married, so eventually have kids, and move out of New York maybe to someplace, settle down.

Interviewer : And how about you, Ariana, what do you want to accomplish?

Ariana : I just want to do everything I need to do. I want to be a writer.