



**SURGE 2025**  
**DEVOTIONAL**



# FRAMEWORK

1

## IGNITE



Begin with a passage that emphasizes God's initiative in your spiritual life, setting the foundation for your day.

2

## FUEL



Reflect on a passage that encourages deeper seeking and alignment with God, fueling your ongoing growth.

3

## DRIVE



Engage with passages that prompt action and application of God's Word in your daily life.

4

## REFUEL



Conclude with passages that remind you to reconnect with God through prayer and reflection, ensuring sustained spiritual momentum.

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## ▼ IGNITE

### JEREMIAH 29:13 -

"You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart."



**PowerPoint:** God promises to reveal Himself to Christ followers who seek Him fully.

## ▼ FUEL

### **CONTEXT:**

In this passage, the Israelites are in exile, and God is reassuring them through the prophet Jeremiah that they will find Him when they seek Him wholeheartedly. This promise is not just for them but for all who are in search of God's presence.

### **SUMMARY:**

God promises that when Christ followers seek Him with their whole heart, they will find Him. Surging ahead in our spiritual lives requires a dedicated, whole-hearted pursuit of God, prioritizing His presence above all else. When we make seeking Him our priority, we will experience His intimate nearness and fulfillment.

### **STORY:**

A young man named Denzel had always felt disconnected from God, even though he attended church. He realized that his heart wasn't fully committed and was distracted by the pursuit of success. One evening, he decided to devote an entire day to prayer and fasting, seeking God earnestly. By the end of the day, he felt a peace and presence of God like never before. Through his intentional pursuit, God revealed Himself, deepening Denzel's faith and reshaping his priorities.

## ▼ DRIVE

01

### **WHOLEHEARTED PURSUIT:**

Commit to seeking God with all your heart, prioritizing time for prayer, worship, and meditation on His Word to deepen your relationship with Him.

02

### **INTROSPECTION:**

Reflect on any distractions in your life that hinder your full devotion to God, and remove those distractions to make room for deeper intimacy with Him.

03

### **PERSISTENT FAITH:**

Continue to seek God even when answers don't come immediately, trusting that He will reveal Himself in His perfect timing.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Lord, I come before You with a heart that desires to seek You wholeheartedly. I confess that at times I have been distracted by the things of this world, but today, I choose to focus my heart and mind on You. I long to know You more deeply and to experience Your presence in a real and transformative way. As I seek You, I trust in Your promise that I will find You. Draw me closer to You, Lord, and ignite a passion in my soul to seek You above all else. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE

### EZEKIEL 36:26-27 -

"I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit in you."



**PowerPoint:** God transforms our hearts and gives His Spirit to guide us.

## ▼ FUEL

### **CONTEXT:**

God is speaking to the Israelites, promising a new covenant after their exile. He tells them that He will give them a new heart and put His Spirit within them. This transformation would empower them to live according to His laws.

### **SUMMARY:**

God promises to give Christ-followers a new heart and His Spirit to guide them. Surging ahead spiritually involves cooperating with the Holy Spirit. As Christ-followers allow Him to renew their hearts, believers are empowered by the Holy Spirit to live according to His will and bear fruit for His Kingdom.

### **STORY:**

Serena, once burdened by bitterness and unforgiveness, struggled to find peace. One night, she prayed earnestly for God to change her heart. Over time, she noticed subtle changes in her reactions and thoughts. Where there once was anger, there was now forgiveness. Where there once was fear, there was peace. Serena realized that God had transformed her heart, enabling her to live a more compassionate and Christlike life.

## ▼ DRIVE

01

### **EMBRACE TRANSFORMATION:**

Allow God to transform your heart, replacing old habits and mindsets with His pure desires and intentions.

02

### **WALK IN THE SPIRIT:**

Rely on the Holy Spirit for guidance and strength to live in accordance with God's will, developing a Christlike character.

03

### **CULTIVATE SPIRITUAL RENEWAL:**

Engage in practices that promote spiritual renewal, such as confession, prayer, and reading scripture, to align your heart more closely with God's purposes.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Father, thank You for Your promise to give me a new heart and a new spirit. I ask that You transform me from the inside out. Remove the old, broken parts of me and replace them with Your pure and loving heart. Fill me with Your Holy Spirit so that I can walk in Your ways and fulfill Your will. I surrender my heart to You, knowing that only You can create true transformation within me. May my life reflect the new creation You are making me into. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE

### JOHN 6:44 -

"No one can come to me unless the Father who sent me draws them."



**PowerPoint:** God draws us into a relationship with Him.

## ▼ FUEL

### **CONTEXT:**

In this passage, Jesus explains to the crowd that no one can come to Him unless the Father draws them. It emphasizes God's active role in bringing people to faith.

### **SUMMARY:**

Spiritual growth is not a self-driven effort but one initiated by God. Surging ahead in our spiritual lives requires recognizing that God draws us near to Him. Our response to His calling opens the door to greater intimacy and spiritual maturity.

### **STORY:**

Michael had always been skeptical about faith, but over time, he began to feel a strong pull toward Jesus. He couldn't explain it, but something inside him was drawing him closer to God. One Sunday, during a sermon on God's love, Michael finally surrendered to the drawing he had been feeling for months. He gave his life to Christ and began to experience the transformation that came from answering God's call.

## ▼ DRIVE

01

### **RECOGNIZE DIVINE INITIATIVE:**

Acknowledge that your faith is a result of God's drawing you closer to Himself, and be grateful for His active role in your salvation.

02

### **PRAY FOR OTHERS:**

Pray for those who have not yet been drawn to Christ, asking God to open their hearts to His love and truth.

03

### **RESPOND WILLINGLY:**

When you sense God's drawing, respond with openness and surrender, willing to follow His lead wherever He directs you.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Lord, I thank You that You have drawn me into Your presence. I recognize that my faith is not by my own strength, but by Your grace and the work of Your Spirit in my life. I pray for those around me who have not yet come to You. Please draw them near and open their hearts to Your love. I am humbled by Your grace, and I commit to following You, knowing that You are the one who calls me. Help me to trust in Your timing and work in my life. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE

### PHILIPPIANS 2:13 -

*"For it is God who works in you to will and to act in order to fulfill his good purpose."*



**PowerPoint:** God provides the desire and power to follow Him.

## ▼ FUEL

### **CONTEXT:**

Paul writes to the Philippians, encouraging them to live in a manner worthy of the gospel. He reminds them that it is God who works in them to will and act according to His purpose.

### **SUMMARY:**

God is actively working within Christ-followers, giving Christ-followers both the desire and the ability to live according to His will. Surging ahead spiritually requires surrendering to His work within us, trusting that He equips us for the purpose He has set before us.

### **STORY:**

Jada was a busy professional, feeling disconnected from her purpose. She decided to step into leadership at her church, not knowing exactly how she would manage. As she trusted God, He gave her the desire and energy to serve. Over time, she discovered new strengths and abilities she hadn't known she had, realizing that it was God working within her, enabling her to live out His purpose for her life.

## ▼ DRIVE

01

### **TRUST IN GOD'S WORK:**

Recognize that God is at work in your life, shaping your desires and actions to align with His purpose for you.

02

### **SURRENDER TO GOD'S WILL:**

Yield your will to God's, allowing Him to guide your decisions, goals, and ambitions to align with His kingdom work.

03

### **ACT WITH PURPOSE:**

Be proactive in following God's guidance, taking intentional actions to fulfill His calling and further His kingdom on earth.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Heavenly Father, I thank You that You are at work within me, both to will and to act according to Your purpose. I recognize that without Your help, I am nothing. I surrender my will to You and ask for Your guidance in every area of my life. Please help me to act in a way that fulfills Your good purpose for me. Give me strength, wisdom, and a heart to follow You obediently. May my life bring glory to Your name as I work to fulfill Your purpose. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE



### 2 CORINTHIANS 5:17 -

*"If anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come: The old has gone, the new is here!"*



**PowerPoint:** God makes us a new creation in Christ.

## ▼ FUEL



### CONTEXT:

Paul explains to the Corinthians that anyone in Christ is a new creation. The old has gone, and the new has come, emphasizing the transformative power of God's work in believers.



### SUMMARY:

When we accept Christ, we are made new. Surging ahead spiritually involves embracing our new identity in Christ and leaving behind the old ways of living. Our new creation status empowers us to live a transformed/new life, reflecting Christ's love and righteousness.



### STORY:

After years of struggling with addiction, Tim gave his life to Christ. At first, he didn't feel much different, but over time, he began to notice his old habits and desires slipping away. His relationships healed, his outlook on life changed, and he became passionate about helping others overcome what he once faced. Tim's transformation was a living testimony that the old had gone, and the new had come.

## ▼ DRIVE



01

### CELEBRATE YOUR IDENTITY IN CHRIST:

Embrace your new identity in Christ, understanding that your past mistakes and sins no longer define you.

02

### LIVE OUT THE NEW CREATION:

Walk in the freedom of being a new creation, reflecting the love and grace of God in all aspects of your life.

03

### GROW IN HOLINESS:

Pursue a life of holiness, continually putting off old behaviors and embracing the new, Christlike characteristics that God has given you.

## ▼ REFUEL



*Lord, I thank You for the gift of new life in Christ. I celebrate the fact that I am a new creation in You. Thank You for forgiving me and for transforming me into something new. Help me to live out this new identity every day. I want to put aside the old ways and embrace the life You've called me to. Teach me to walk in the power of my new identity in Christ. May my life be a reflection of the change You have brought about in me. In Jesus' name, Amen.*



## ▼ IGNITE

### ROMANS 8:15 -

*"The Spirit you received brought about your adoption to sonship. And by him we cry, 'Abba, Father.'"*



**PowerPoint:** God gives us His Spirit and adopts us as His children.

## ▼ FUEL

### **CONTEXT:**

Paul writes to the Romans, assuring them that they have received the Spirit of adoption, which allows them to cry out to God as their "Abba, Father."

### **SUMMARY:**

Through the Holy Spirit, we have been adopted into God's family, and we can confidently approach Him as our Father. Surging ahead spiritually involves embracing the intimacy and security of being God's beloved children, knowing that He is always with us. The challenge is to live like we are His children.

### **STORY:**

Rachel had never experienced the love of a father, so she struggled to understand God's love for her. One evening, as she prayed, she felt God whispering to her heart, "You are My daughter." From that moment on, Rachel began to see God as her loving Father, knowing that He would never leave her and would always care for her. Her heart filled with peace, and her relationship with God deepened.

## ▼ DRIVE

01

### **CULTIVATE INTIMACY WITH GOD:**

Embrace your identity as a beloved child of God, growing in intimacy with Him as you pray and call out to Him as your Father.

02

### **LIVE IN ASSURANCE:**

Live with the assurance that God's love for you is unwavering, and that you are securely His child forever.

03

### **WALK IN CONFIDENCE:**

With the Spirit within you, face life's challenges with confidence, knowing that you are empowered by your Father's love and presence.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Father God, thank You for adopting me as Your child through the Holy Spirit. I am overwhelmed by the love and grace You've shown me in bringing me into Your family. I now cry out to You as my Abba, Father, knowing that I am loved and accepted by You. Help me to live in the freedom that comes with being Your child, confident in Your love and care. Teach me to rely on You as my Father, and may my life reflect the relationship we share. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE

**JOHN 14:16-17 -**

*"I will ask the Father, and he will give you another advocate to help you."*



**PowerPoint:** Jesus sends the Holy Spirit to dwell in us.

## ▼ FUEL

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| <p><b>Q CONTEXT:</b></p> <p>Jesus promises His disciples that the Holy Spirit will come to be their Helper and guide, living within them to empower them for their mission.</p> | <p><b>★ SUMMARY:</b></p> <p>The Holy Spirit is given to believers to be their Helper, empowering them to live out God's will. Surging ahead in our spiritual lives involves inviting the Holy Spirit to guide and empower us daily, enabling us to live with purpose and clarity.</p> | <p><b>🍃 STORY:</b></p> <p>Kevin struggled to make decisions in his life, feeling unsure of his direction. He began to pray for the Holy Spirit to guide him. Gradually, he noticed that his heart and mind were more aligned with God's will. He found peace in trusting that the Holy Spirit was actively leading him, giving him the courage to step forward with confidence.</p> |
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## ▼ DRIVE

- 01 INVITE THE HOLY SPIRIT:**  
Acknowledge the presence of the Holy Spirit within you and invite Him to guide, comfort, and empower you each day.

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- 02 DEPEND ON DIVINE HELP:**  
In times of difficulty or confusion, rely on the Holy Spirit to give you wisdom and strength, trusting that He is your advocate and helper.

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- 03 CULTIVATE A RELATIONSHIP WITH THE SPIRIT:**  
Develop a personal relationship with the Holy Spirit through prayer, meditation, and listening for His voice in your life.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Lord, I thank You for sending the Holy Spirit to be my Advocate and Helper. I am so grateful that I do not have to face life on my own but that You have provided Your Spirit to guide and empower me. I invite the Holy Spirit to lead me today, giving me wisdom and strength to follow You more closely. Please open my ears to hear Your voice and my heart to receive Your guidance. Help me to walk in step with the Spirit and live in His power. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE



### ISAIAH 40:31 -

*"But those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength."*



**PowerPoint:** God renews our strength when we place our hope in Him.

## ▼ FUEL



### CONTEXT:

In this passage, God promises that those who hope in Him will renew their strength. He encourages His people not to grow weary but to trust in His power to sustain them.



### SUMMARY:

Surging ahead in our spiritual life involves placing our hope in God, knowing that He renews our strength when we grow weary. Trusting in His timing and provision helps us endure and thrive in our walk with Him, even during the toughest times.



### STORY:

After a long season of exhaustion and burnout, Stephanie took time to rest in God's presence, seeking renewal. As she prayed and meditated on His promises, she felt her strength renewed, and her spirit revived. She realized that her strength had not come from her own efforts but from trusting God to provide the endurance she needed to press on.

## ▼ DRIVE



01

### ANCHOR YOUR HOPE IN GOD:

Place your hope in God, knowing that He will renew your strength and provide what you need to endure and thrive.

02

### WAIT ON GOD:

Practice patience in waiting for God's timing, trusting that He will renew your strength as you lean on Him.

03

### PERSEVERE WITH FAITH:

Continue in faith, even in challenging times, knowing that God will equip you to overcome difficulties with renewed strength.

## ▼ REFUEL



*Father, I place my hope in You. When I feel weak and weary, I know that You will renew my strength. Help me to trust in You fully, knowing that You are the source of my endurance. Give me the strength to press on in the face of challenges, trusting that You will sustain me. Teach me to rest in Your promises and to wait on You, confident that You will renew me in Your perfect time. I trust in Your faithfulness. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE

### PSALM 34:18 -

*"The Lord is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit."*



**PowerPoint:** God brings comfort and healing in times of brokenness.

## ▼ FUEL



### CONTEXT:

This verse reassures us that God is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit. It highlights God's compassion for those in pain.



### SUMMARY:

Surging ahead spiritually doesn't mean avoiding pain but trusting that God is close in our brokenness. When we face heartache, we can lean on God, knowing He will comfort, heal, and restore us, drawing us closer to Him in the process. When you are hurting God is closer than you can imagine.



### STORY:

Emma faced the loss of her mother and struggled with overwhelming grief. One night, as she cried out to God, she felt a deep sense of His comforting presence. Over time, God healed her heart, and she found a new purpose in helping others who were grieving. She realized that her spiritual growth came through allowing God to meet her in her pain.

## ▼ DRIVE

01

### SEEK GOD IN BROKENNESS:

When you experience heartache or sorrow, draw near to God, trusting that He is close and will provide healing and comfort.

02

### INVITE GOD INTO YOUR PAIN:

Be honest with God about your struggles, inviting His presence into your brokenness for healing and restoration.

03

### EXPERIENCE HEALING:

Allow God to heal your heart by meditating on His Word, praying, and seeking support from fellow believers during times of emotional pain.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Lord, my heart is heavy, and I come to You in my brokenness. I know that You are close to the brokenhearted, and I ask for Your comfort and healing. Please mend my heart and restore my spirit. I trust that You understand my pain and that You are working in my life even in the hardest times. Thank You for Your presence in my sorrow. Help me to experience Your peace and healing as I lean on You. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE

### HEBREWS 13:5 -

*"Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you."*



**PowerPoint:** God assures us of His constant presence.

## ▼ FUEL

### **CONTEXT:**

In this passage, the author encourages believers to be content with what they have, assuring them of God's constant presence. God promises never to leave or forsake us, providing us with security and peace.

### **SUMMARY:**

Surging ahead in our spiritual lives requires embracing the truth that God will never leave us. His constant presence gives us the assurance and strength to persevere through challenges. We can move forward with confidence, knowing that He is always with us, guiding and supporting us. No matter what your feelings, guilt, shame, or feelings God will never leave you!

### **STORY:**

James had spent years battling loneliness, feeling like he was always on his own. One day, as he walked through a difficult season, he felt the weight of God's promise that He would never leave him. That truth brought a sense of peace he hadn't known before, and James began to step forward with renewed courage, trusting that God's presence would always sustain him.

## ▼ DRIVE

01

### **EMBRACE GOD'S FAITHFULNESS:**

Live with the confidence that God will never leave or abandon you, no matter your circumstances.

02

### **REST IN HIS PRESENCE:**

Find peace in God's constant presence, trusting that He is always with you, providing support and guidance.

03

### **SHARE HIS ASSURANCE WITH OTHERS:**

Encourage others with the truth that God is faithful, especially those who are struggling or feeling abandoned.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Lord, I thank You for Your constant presence in my life. I am so grateful that You will never leave me or forsake me. When I face loneliness or fear, I know that You are with me. Help me to remember this truth and to walk in the assurance of Your unshakable presence. I ask that You continue to comfort me and remind me of Your faithfulness. Thank You for being my constant companion in every season of life. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE

### JOHN 15:16 -

*"You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you so that you might go and bear fruit."*



**PowerPoint:** God chooses and appoints us for fruitful living.

## ▼ FUEL

### **CONTEXT:**

Jesus reminds His disciples that they did not choose Him, but He chose them and appointed them to go and bear fruit. This is a commission for believers to live a life that reflects God's purpose and bears spiritual fruit.

### **SUMMARY:**

God has chosen and appointed us to bear fruit for His kingdom. Surging ahead spiritually means living intentionally, knowing that God has a purpose for us. As we remain in Him and live out His calling, our lives will bear fruit that glorifies Him and impacts the world.

### **STORY:**

Mary struggled to find purpose in her work, feeling disconnected from her faith. One day, while reflecting on John 15:16, she realized that God had chosen her to bear fruit right where she was. She began to intentionally serve others and share God's love in her workplace. Her actions had a ripple effect, drawing others closer to Christ and giving her a deeper sense of fulfillment.

## ▼ DRIVE

01

### **UNDERSTAND YOUR PURPOSE:**

Recognize that God has chosen you for a purpose – to bear fruit for His kingdom. Live with intentionality to fulfill that calling.

02

### **ABIDE IN CHRIST:**

Stay connected to Jesus through prayer, study, and obedience, knowing that it is only through Him that you can bear lasting fruit.

03

### **SERVE OTHERS:**

Actively seek opportunities to serve others and share the love of Christ, knowing that this is part of your purpose in Christ.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Lord, thank You for choosing me and appointing me to bear fruit for Your kingdom. I am humbled by Your calling on my life. Please help me to live in a way that reflects Your love and bears good fruit. Teach me to walk in obedience to Your commands, and empower me to fulfill the purpose You have set before me. I trust that as I remain in You, You will produce lasting fruit in my life. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE

### ROMANS 5:5 -

"God's love has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit."



**PowerPoint:** God pours His love into our hearts.

## ▼ FUEL

### **CONTEXT:**

Paul writes that God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit, assuring us that this love is unshakeable and unconditional, strengthening our hope.

### **SUMMARY:**

The Holy Spirit pours God's love into our hearts, empowering us to live in the freedom of His love. Surging ahead spiritually means allowing this divine love to fill us, transform us, and overflow to others, creating a life marked by compassion, hope, and grace.

### **STORY:**

Oprah had been struggling with bitterness toward a close friend who had wronged her. One night, she prayed for God to help her forgive, and in that moment, she felt His love pour into her heart. It was as if the hurt melted away. The transformation was profound, and Oprah began to reflect that love to others, fostering deeper relationships and spiritual growth.

## ▼ DRIVE

01

### **RECEIVE GOD'S LOVE:**

Allow the Holy Spirit to pour God's love into your heart, accepting His unconditional love and grace.

02

### **EXPRESS LOVE TO OTHERS:**

Let God's love in you overflow to others by showing kindness, compassion, and forgiveness in your relationships.

03

### **REST IN HIS LOVE:**

Find comfort and peace knowing that God's love is always present in your heart through the Holy Spirit, regardless of circumstances.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Father, thank You for pouring Your love into my heart through the Holy Spirit. I am overwhelmed by Your unconditional love and the power of Your Spirit within me. Help me to respond to Your love with gratitude and to share that love with others. May Your love overflow from my heart and impact everyone I encounter. I pray that Your love would transform me and draw me closer to You. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE



### EPHESIANS 3:20 -

*"Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine."*



**PowerPoint:** God works powerfully beyond what we can imagine.

## ▼ FUEL



### CONTEXT:

Paul praises God for His ability to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, calling believers to live in faith and trust that God's power works through them to accomplish His will.



### SUMMARY:

God's power is limitless and can exceed our greatest expectations. Surging ahead spiritually means trusting in God's ability to do more than we could ask or imagine. We live in faith that He will work through us, guiding us toward greater impact and transformation.



### STORY:

Sammy had a vision to start a community outreach program, but the obstacles seemed insurmountable. He didn't know where the resources or support would come from. As he stepped out in faith, he saw God provide in miraculous ways—people, finances, and opportunities that far exceeded what he had imagined. Sammy realized that God's power working through him made the impossible possible.

## ▼ DRIVE



01

### EXPAND YOUR FAITH:

Believe that God is able to do more than you could ever imagine, and trust Him to exceed your expectations in your life.

02

### PRAY BOLDLY:

Ask God for big things, knowing that He is capable of far beyond what you could think or ask.

03

### LIVE WITH EXPECTANCY:

Expect God to move powerfully in your life, and look for His blessings and answers in unexpected ways.

## ▼ REFUEL



*Lord, You are able to do far more than I could ever ask or imagine. I trust in Your limitless power and Your perfect plans for my life. Help me to dream big and to trust that You are capable of exceeding my expectations. I give You my desires and ask that You work in ways I cannot even imagine. May Your glory be revealed in ways that are beyond what I could have ever thought. In Jesus' name, Amen.*



## ▼ IGNITE

### PSALM 23:1-3 -

*"He refreshes my soul. He guides me along the right paths for his name's sake."*



**PowerPoint:** God refreshes our soul and provides guidance.

## ▼ FUEL

### **CONTEXT:**

David declares that the Lord is his Shepherd, providing guidance, rest, and restoration. The imagery of God as a Shepherd conveys His care and leadership in the lives of His people.

### **SUMMARY:**

Surging ahead spiritually involves trusting that God, as our Shepherd, will provide for our needs, restore our souls, and guide us along the right paths. His leadership leads to peace, purpose, and spiritual vitality.

### **STORY:**

After years of feeling lost and directionless, Rachel found herself in a place of spiritual exhaustion. She turned to Psalm 23, meditating on God as her Shepherd. Over time, she felt her soul restored, and her trust in His guidance grew stronger. As she followed His lead, her life took on new meaning, and she found peace in His care.

## ▼ DRIVE

01

### **FIND REST IN GOD:**

Allow God to refresh your soul by seeking His presence daily through prayer and scripture, resting in His peace.

02

### **TRUST IN HIS GUIDANCE:**

Trust that God will lead you in the right direction, even when the path is unclear, and follow His promptings in your decisions.

03

### **HONOR HIS NAME:**

Live in a way that honors God's name by aligning your actions with His will, reflecting His goodness and guidance.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Lord, You are my Shepherd, and I am so thankful for Your guidance and refreshment. When I am weary, You restore my soul. I trust that You will lead me along the right paths for Your name's sake. Help me to follow You closely, knowing that Your ways are always good and filled with peace. May I rest in Your care and trust You to guide me in every decision I face. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE

### LAMENTATIONS 3:22-23 -

*"His mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning."*



**PowerPoint:** God renews His mercy daily.

## ▼ FUEL

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| <p><b>Q</b> <b>CONTEXT:</b><br/>Despite the Israelites' hardships, Jeremiah declares that God's mercies are new every morning, offering hope and renewal even in the darkest times.</p> | <p><b>★</b> <b>SUMMARY:</b><br/>God's mercies are never-ending, and each day brings a fresh opportunity for spiritual renewal. Surging ahead in our spiritual life means trusting that God's mercy is available to us every morning, no matter our struggles, and it empowers us to keep moving forward with hope.</p> | <p><b>🍃</b> <b>STORY:</b><br/>Samantha faced a season of deep depression after losing her job. She woke up one morning feeling utterly defeated, but as she prayed, she felt the renewal of God's mercy. She was reminded that each new day held a fresh opportunity to receive His grace. This helped Serena regain her strength and hope, as she leaned on God's unchanging mercy.</p> |
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## ▼ DRIVE

- 01

**EMBRACE GOD'S MERCY:**  
Start each day with a fresh sense of God's mercy, knowing that He offers you new grace each morning.

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- 02

**LIVE GRATEFULLY:**  
Cultivate a heart of gratitude by recognizing the abundant mercy and kindness God extends to you daily.

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- 03

**FORGIVE AS YOU ARE FORGIVEN:**  
Extend mercy and forgiveness to others, reflecting God's merciful nature in your interactions.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Lord, thank You for Your unfailing mercy that is new every morning. I am so grateful that Your love and mercy never run out, no matter what I face. Help me to wake up each day with a heart full of gratitude, knowing that You are renewing Your mercy over my life. When I fall short, remind me of Your infinite grace. Help me to reflect Your mercy to others, extending forgiveness and compassion as You have done for me. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE

### MATTHEW 6:33 -

*"Seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well."*



**PowerPoint:** Prioritizing God's kingdom leads to spiritual abundance.

## ▼ FUEL

### **CONTEXT:**

Jesus instructs His followers to seek first God's kingdom and righteousness, promising that all other things will be provided. This teaches that putting God's priorities first leads to His provision.

### **SUMMARY:**

Surging ahead spiritually involves seeking God's kingdom first, trusting that when we prioritize His will, He will take care of our needs. This truth encourages us to live with an eternal perspective, knowing that God's provision flows from our commitment to His righteousness.

### **STORY:**

Latifah was overwhelmed with trying to balance work, family, and ministry. She prayed for clarity and realized that she needed to prioritize God's kingdom above all. As she adjusted her schedule and focused on His will, she saw her life come into better alignment. God provided what she needed, and she found peace in His faithfulness.

## ▼ DRIVE

01

### **PRIORITIZE GOD'S KINGDOM:**

Make seeking God's will and His kingdom the priority of your life, over personal success or material pursuits.

02

### **TRUST IN HIS PROVISION:**

Trust that when you prioritize God's kingdom, He will provide for your needs according to His perfect plan.

03

### **EXAMINE YOUR PRIORITIES:**

Regularly assess your life and align your priorities to ensure God's kingdom is the primary focus of your decisions and actions.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Father, I want to seek Your kingdom first in everything I do. Help me to prioritize Your will over my own desires and to live according to Your righteousness. I trust that as I pursue You, You will provide everything I need. Teach me to focus my attention on what is eternal, rather than the temporary things of this world. May my life reflect a heart fully dedicated to Your kingdom and righteousness. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE

### PSALM 42:1-2 -

*"As the deer pants for streams of water, so my soul pants for you, my God."*



**PowerPoint:** A deep longing for God refreshes the spirit.

## ▼ FUEL

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| <p><b>Q</b> <b>CONTEXT:</b><br/>The psalmist expresses his deep longing for God, comparing his thirst for God to a deer thirsting for water. This passage speaks of an intense desire for God's presence.</p> | <p><b>★</b> <b>SUMMARY:</b><br/>Surging ahead spiritually means desiring God with the same intensity that a thirsty deer longs for water. A deep longing for God creates a spiritual hunger that leads to a richer, more fulfilling relationship with Him.</p> | <p><b>🍃</b> <b>STORY:</b><br/>Grace felt spiritually dry and distant from God. She began to pray earnestly for a deeper connection, and soon, she found herself longing for His presence like never before. Her spiritual thirst led her to daily time in the Word and prayer, which reignited her passion for God and helped her grow in intimacy with Him.</p> |
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## ▼ DRIVE

- 01

**DESIRE SPIRITUAL FULFILLMENT:**  
Cultivate a deep longing for God, understanding that only He can truly satisfy the deep desires of your soul.

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- 02

**PURSUE HIM IN WORSHIP:**  
Actively seek God through worship, prayer, and scripture, desiring His presence as much as you need physical nourishment.

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- 03

**OVERCOME SPIRITUAL DRYNESS:**  
In moments of spiritual dryness, remember the thirsting soul of the psalmist and turn to God to restore your soul.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Lord, my soul thirsts for You, just like a deer thirsts for water. I long for Your presence and Your peace. There are times when my soul feels dry, and I need You to refresh me. Help me to find my satisfaction in You alone, and to seek You with the same intensity and hunger that a thirsty deer has for water. I desire a deeper connection with You. Fill my heart with a longing for Your presence that nothing else can satisfy. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE

### JAMES 4:8 -

"Come near to God and he will come near to you."



**PowerPoint:** Drawing near to God leads to His nearness.

## ▼ FUEL

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| <p><b>Q</b> <b>CONTEXT:</b><br/>James encourages believers to draw near to God, promising that God will draw near to them. This call to closeness is an invitation to a deeper relationship with God.</p> | <p><b>★</b> <b>SUMMARY:</b><br/>Surging ahead spiritually involves drawing near to God, knowing that as we approach Him, He draws near to us. This promise encourages us to seek God's presence, where His intimacy and guidance bring spiritual transformation.</p> | <p><b>🍃</b> <b>STORY:</b><br/>Steven had been struggling with his faith, feeling distant from God. He began dedicating time each morning to read the Bible and pray, seeking God more intentionally. Over time, he experienced a greater sense of God's nearness and peace, realizing that by drawing near to God, he had found the spiritual connection he had been longing for.</p> |
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## ▼ DRIVE

- 01** **DRAW NEAR IN INTIMACY:**  
Develop a closer relationship with God through prayer, meditation, and daily surrender to His will.

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- 02** **PRACTICE REPENTANCE:**  
Approach God with humility, confessing sins and seeking His forgiveness, knowing that He will draw near in love and grace.

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- 03** **ENGAGE IN SPIRITUAL DISCIPLINES:**  
Commit to disciplines such as fasting, solitude, and silence to intentionally draw near to God, fostering a deeper connection.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Father, I desire to draw near to You. I know that as I seek You, You will draw near to me. Help me to create space in my life for Your presence. May I approach You with humility and a pure heart, desiring intimacy with You above all else. When I feel distant or far away, remind me that You are always near, waiting for me to come closer. Thank You for the promise that You will meet me when I draw near. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE

### PROVERBS 8:17 -

*"I love those who love me, and those who seek me find me."*



**PowerPoint:** God rewards those who diligently seek Him.

## ▼ FUEL

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| <p><b>Q</b> <b>CONTEXT:</b></p> <p>In this passage, Wisdom speaks of her love for those who love her and the reward for seeking her. It emphasizes that those who diligently seek wisdom will find it.</p> | <p><b>★</b> <b>SUMMARY:</b></p> <p>Surging ahead spiritually requires a diligent pursuit of God's wisdom. Wisdom is available to all who seek it, and as we grow in our understanding of God, we find direction for our lives. The pursuit of wisdom leads to a more effective and fulfilling spiritual journey.</p> | <p><b>🍃</b> <b>STORY:</b></p> <p>Lois had always made impulsive decisions that led to unnecessary struggles. After reading Proverbs 8:17, she began seeking God's wisdom in prayer before making decisions. Over time, her life became more peaceful, and she began to see how God's wisdom brought clarity and good outcomes, transforming her approach to challenges.</p> |
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## ▼ DRIVE

- 01

**SEEK GOD'S WISDOM:**

Actively pursue wisdom by seeking God's guidance through prayer and His Word, knowing that He rewards those who seek Him.
- 02

**LOVE HIM IN RETURN:**

Show love for God by obeying His commands, living according to His wisdom, and loving others as He has loved you.
- 03

**DEVELOP A SEEKING HEART:**

Cultivate a heart that continually seeks God's presence, direction, and wisdom, especially in decisions big and small.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Lord, I love You, and I seek You with all my heart. Thank You for the promise that when I seek You, I will find You. I pray that You would reveal Yourself to me more deeply every day. Help me to seek You with diligence, not just in moments of need, but as a daily practice. Teach me to grow in my love for You, and may that love deepen through my seeking. I trust that in finding You, I will discover all that I need for life and godliness. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE

### COLOSSIANS 3:1-2 -

"Set your hearts on things above, where Christ is."



**PowerPoint:** Focusing on Christ aligns us with His purposes.

## ▼ FUEL

### **CONTEXT:**

Paul exhorts believers to set their hearts on things above, where Christ is seated, and to focus on eternal things rather than earthly matters.

### **SUMMARY:**

To surge ahead in our spiritual life, we must focus on eternal priorities rather than the fleeting distractions of this world. Setting our hearts on Christ and heavenly matters helps us live with purpose and grow in spiritual maturity, maintaining a heavenly perspective amid life's challenges.

### **STORY:**

John was overwhelmed by the stresses of work and family. But as he meditated on Colossians 3:1-2, he realized his focus had shifted too much on temporary things. He made intentional decisions to prioritize prayer, worship, and scripture study. This shift in focus not only brought peace to his mind but also revived his passion for God's Kingdom.

## ▼ DRIVE

01

### **SHIFT YOUR FOCUS:**

Regularly refocus your mind and heart on eternal values rather than temporary, worldly concerns, understanding that Christ's reign is paramount.

02

### **LIVE WITH HEAVENLY PURPOSE:**

Keep your eyes on heavenly goals and purposes, allowing them to shape your actions and priorities on earth.

03

### **PURSUE CHRIST'S EXAMPLE:**

Strive to live as Christ did, with a mindset focused on serving God and others, reflecting His love and grace in your life.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Heavenly Father, help me to set my heart on things above, where Christ is seated at Your right hand. Too often, I get caught up in the distractions of this world, but I want my thoughts and desires to reflect my eternal home with You. Teach me to fix my gaze on Christ, who is the source of all wisdom and peace. Help me to live each day with an eternal perspective, remembering that my true citizenship is in heaven. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE

### MATTHEW 7:7-8 -

"Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find."



**PowerPoint:** Persistent seeking leads to discovery of God's will.

## ▼ FUEL

### **CONTEXT:**

Jesus encourages His followers to ask, seek, and knock, assuring them that God will answer. This passage emphasizes God's readiness to bless those who earnestly pursue Him.

### **SUMMARY:**

Surging ahead spiritually involves actively pursuing God with persistent faith. Jesus assures us that when we ask, seek, and knock, God will provide what we need. The more we pursue Him, the deeper our relationship with Him becomes.

### **STORY:**

Angela had been praying for guidance about a major life decision but felt unsure if God was hearing her. One day, while reading Matthew 7:7-8, she felt a renewed confidence in her pursuit of God. She continued to ask, seek, and knock through prayer, and soon, God gave her clarity and peace about the next steps in her life.

## ▼ DRIVE

01

### **PRAY WITH CONFIDENCE:**

Approach God with boldness in prayer, asking for His help, wisdom, and provision, trusting He will answer according to His will.

02

### **SEEK GOD'S WILL:**

Regularly seek God's guidance in your life decisions, knowing that when you search with sincere intention, He will reveal His truth.

03

### **TRUST HIS TIMING:**

While seeking, trust that God will provide what you need at the right time, even if His answer doesn't align with your expectations.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Lord, I come to You with confidence, knowing that when I ask, You will give. I seek You today, desiring to know Your will and experience Your blessings. I ask for wisdom, guidance, and strength to live the life You've called me to. I trust that when I seek You with all my heart, I will find You. I believe that You hear my prayers and will respond in Your perfect timing. Thank You for Your faithfulness to provide for all my needs. In Jesus' name, Amen.*



## ▼ IGNITE

### HEBREWS 11:6 -

"He rewards those who earnestly seek him."



**PowerPoint:** Faithful seeking results in divine reward.

## ▼ FUEL

### **CONTEXT:**

This passage emphasizes the importance of faith, stating that without faith, it is impossible to please God. It also promises that God rewards those who earnestly seek Him.

### **SUMMARY:**

Surging ahead spiritually requires faith in God and a determination to seek Him earnestly. God rewards those who trust in His promises, and our spiritual growth depends on our active pursuit of Him with faith, believing that He will guide and bless us.

### **STORY:**

When William lost his job, he faced a crisis of faith. But he decided to hold fast to his trust in God. He prayed earnestly, believing that God would provide. Over time, not only did he find a better job, but his faith grew stronger, and he experienced a deeper connection with God's faithfulness.

## ▼ DRIVE

01

### **SEEK GOD EARNESTLY:**

Pursue God with deep sincerity and commitment, knowing that your faith and efforts will be rewarded.

02

### **LIVE BY FAITH:**

Trust in God's promises and pursue Him with the assurance that He rewards those who diligently seek Him.

03

### **ACT WITH PERSISTENCE:**

Continue seeking God even when results are not immediately visible, remaining faithful to His promises of reward.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Father, I come to You with an earnest heart, seeking to know You more. I know that when I seek You sincerely, You will reward me with Your presence and blessings. Help me to seek You not for what I can gain, but because I desire to know You and live according to Your will. May my pursuit of You be wholehearted, and may I experience the rewards of Your grace and truth in my life. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE



### ISAIAH 55:6 -

"Seek the Lord while he may be found; call on him while he is near."



**PowerPoint:** Urgency in pursuing God fosters spiritual growth.

## ▼ FUEL



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| <p><b>Q</b> <b>CONTEXT:</b><br/>God invites His people to seek Him while He may be found, calling them to return to Him and experience His mercy and abundant pardon.</p> | <p><b>★</b> <b>SUMMARY:</b><br/>Surging ahead spiritually requires urgency in seeking God. We are called to seek Him with all our hearts, knowing that He is near and ready to meet us. Time is precious, and we should not delay in pursuing God's presence and grace.</p> | <p><b>🍃</b> <b>STORY:</b><br/>Laura had always been putting off her spiritual growth, thinking she had more time. One day, after reading Isaiah 55:6, she realized how urgent it was to seek God now, not later. She decided to make time for daily prayer and reflection. Her life began to change as she experienced God's nearness and transformative grace.</p> |
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## ▼ DRIVE



- 01** **EMBRACE URGENCY IN SEEKING:**  
Don't delay seeking God; approach Him now while He is near, acknowledging that opportunities to draw near to God should not be taken for granted.

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- 02** **PRAY WITH INTENSITY:**  
Call on God earnestly, knowing that He is near and willing to listen to your prayers.

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- 03** **RESPOND TO GOD'S CALL:**  
Be responsive when God calls, seeking His guidance and presence without hesitation, especially in times of need.

## ▼ REFUEL



*Lord, I acknowledge that now is the time to seek You while You may be found. I come before You with urgency, calling on Your name and asking for Your guidance. I know that You are near, and I don't want to miss the opportunity to grow closer to You. Help me to never take Your presence for granted, but to seek You with all my heart while You are near. Thank You for Your closeness and the invitation to come boldly before You. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE

### PSALM 119:105 -

*"Your word is a lamp for my feet, a light on my path."*



**PowerPoint:** God's Word illuminates the way to spiritual vitality.

## ▼ FUEL

### **CONTEXT:**

The psalmist describes God's Word as a lamp to guide his feet and a light on his path. This passage highlights the importance of God's Word in providing direction for our lives.

### **SUMMARY:**

To surge ahead in our spiritual lives, we must rely on God's Word to guide us. It is the light that directs our steps and provides wisdom for our decisions. A commitment to daily meditation on Scripture strengthens our spiritual walk.

### **STORY:**

Corey had always relied on his own judgment, but he often found himself lost in difficult decisions. After reading Psalm 119:105, he began to make time each morning to study Scripture. As he applied God's Word to his life, he found greater clarity and direction in his daily choices, feeling led by the light of God's truth.

## ▼ DRIVE

01

### **LET GOD'S WORD GUIDE YOU:**

Rely on God's Word as your ultimate source of direction, letting it illuminate your life and decisions.

02

### **TRUST IN GOD'S WISDOM:**

When facing difficult choices, seek the clarity and wisdom found in Scripture, trusting that it will guide you on the right path.

03

### **MEMORIZE SCRIPTURE:**

Commit God's Word to memory, allowing it to be a constant source of guidance and comfort in your daily life.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Lord, thank You for the guidance You provide through Your Word. Your Word is a lamp for my feet and a light on my path, and I am so grateful for its direction. Help me to consistently seek Your Word in every decision I face. Let it illuminate my mind and guide me in the right direction. May I hide Your Word in my heart, so I may walk in Your ways and live according to Your truth. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE

### JOHN 15:4-5 -

*"Remain in me, as I also remain in you. No branch can bear fruit by itself."*



**PowerPoint:** Abiding in Christ produces spiritual fruit.

## ▼ FUEL

### **CONTEXT:**

Jesus teaches that, just as a branch cannot bear fruit unless it remains in the vine, we cannot bear fruit unless we remain in Him. Abiding in Christ is key to spiritual fruitfulness.

### **SUMMARY:**

Surging ahead in our spiritual journey means remaining intimately connected to Christ. By abiding in Him, we bear fruit that honors God. Our spiritual growth is dependent on this vital relationship, where we draw strength and purpose from Christ.

### **STORY:**

Michelle struggled to find meaning in her life, feeling disconnected from God. One day, she meditated on John 15:4-5 and realized she hadn't been prioritizing her relationship with Jesus. She decided to spend more time in prayer and worship, and soon she felt a renewed sense of purpose and joy in her walk with Christ.

## ▼ DRIVE

01

### **ABIDE IN CHRIST:**

Stay closely connected to Jesus through prayer, worship, and the Word, recognizing that only through Him can you bear spiritual fruit.

02

### **DEPEND ON CHRIST FOR STRENGTH:**

Acknowledge your dependence on Christ for all aspects of life and ministry, knowing that apart from Him, you can do nothing.

03

### **BEAR FRUIT IN SERVICE:**

Allow Christ to work through you, bearing spiritual fruit in your relationships, ministry, and daily life as you remain in Him.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Lord Jesus, thank You for the reminder that apart from You, I can do nothing. I want to remain in You, as You remain in me. Help me to abide in You every moment of every day. Teach me to depend on You for strength, wisdom, and guidance. May my life bear fruit for Your kingdom as I remain connected to You. Thank You for empowering me to live a life that brings glory to Your name. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE

### PHILIPPIANS 3:10 -

*"I want to know Christ—yes, to know the power of his resurrection."*



**PowerPoint:** Pursuing intimacy with Christ leads to transformation.

## ▼ FUEL

### **CONTEXT:**

Paul expresses his deep desire to know Christ and the power of His resurrection, emphasizing the importance of intimate fellowship with Christ and experiencing His transformative power.

### **SUMMARY:**

Surging ahead spiritually means pursuing a deeper knowledge of Christ, particularly through experiencing the power of His resurrection. This transformation brings new life, and as we grow closer to Christ, we become more like Him, reflecting His love and power.

### **STORY:**

Darrin had always known about Jesus but didn't fully understand the power of His resurrection until a personal trial pushed him to pray like never before. Through that difficult time, Darrin experienced God's power working in his life, giving him strength he didn't know he had. This encounter deepened his relationship with Christ and renewed his desire to know Him more.

## ▼ DRIVE

01

### **PURSUE INTIMACY WITH CHRIST:**

Make it your goal to grow in intimacy with Christ, not just knowing about Him but experiencing His power and presence in your life.

02

### **EMBRACE RESURRECTION POWER:**

Allow the power of Christ's resurrection to transform your life, overcoming sin, and living victoriously in His strength.

03

### **SEEK TRANSFORMATION:**

Invite God to transform your character and actions to reflect the power of the resurrection in your daily living.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Lord, I want to know You more deeply. I want to experience the power of Your resurrection in my life. May Your power be made evident in me, transforming my heart and mind. Help me to live a life that reflects Your resurrection power, overcoming sin, fear, and doubt. I pray that as I know You more, I would be changed into Your likeness and experience the fullness of life that You offer. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE

### ROMANS 12:1-2 -

*"Offer your bodies as a living sacrifice... be transformed by the renewing of your mind."*



**PowerPoint:** Surrendering to God renews and transforms us.

## ▼ FUEL

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| <p><b>Q CONTEXT:</b><br/>Paul calls believers to offer their bodies as living sacrifices, holy and pleasing to God. He encourages them to be transformed by the renewing of their minds, so they can live according to God's will.</p> | <p><b>★ SUMMARY:</b><br/>Surging ahead spiritually involves surrendering to God's will and allowing Him to transform our lives. By renewing our minds and offering ourselves to Him, we align with His purpose and experience true spiritual growth.</p> | <p><b>🍃 STORY:</b><br/>Jackie struggled with worldly distractions that prevented her from fully serving God. She committed to renewing her mind by spending more time in God's Word and prayer. As her thoughts and attitudes transformed, she began to experience a deeper peace and greater sense of purpose in her daily life, living out God's will more fully.</p> |
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## ▼ DRIVE

- 01

**SURRENDER YOUR WILL:**  
Present yourself to God as a living sacrifice, willing to follow His will rather than your own desires.

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- 02

**RENEW YOUR MIND:**  
Regularly immerse yourself in God's Word to renew your mind and align your thoughts, attitudes, and actions with His truth.

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- 03

**LIVE FOR GOD'S GLORY:**  
Allow your life to be a testimony of God's transformation, living in a way that honors Him in every area.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Lord, I present myself to You as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to You. I surrender my body, mind, and heart to Your will. Help me to resist the pressures of this world and to be transformed by the renewing of my mind. Let my thoughts, actions, and desires align with Your perfect will. Teach me to live in a way that honors You in all areas of my life. May I continually grow in spiritual maturity, reflecting Your image in every aspect. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE

### ACTS 17:27 -

*"God did this so that they would seek him and perhaps reach out for him and find him."*



**PowerPoint:** God desires for us to intentionally seek Him.

## ▼ FUEL

### **CONTEXT:**

Paul speaks to the Athenians, explaining that God desires people to seek Him and find Him, as He is not far from any of us. God has placed us in our current context to help us find Him.

### **SUMMARY:**

Surging ahead spiritually involves recognizing that God has placed us in our current circumstances to draw us closer to Him. We are called to seek God earnestly, knowing that He is near and ready to be found.

### **STORY:**

Lamarr always felt disconnected from God, despite his church attendance. One day, during a difficult situation at work, he remembered Acts 17:27. As he turned to God in his frustration, he felt a new sense of closeness with Him. Lamarr realized that God had placed him in this exact place to seek Him more deeply.

## ▼ DRIVE

01

### **SEEK GOD PURPOSEFULLY:**

Recognize that you were created with the purpose of seeking and finding God, and pursue that purpose with intentionality.

02

### **REACH OUT FOR GOD:**

Don't be passive in your spiritual journey—actively reach out for God through prayer, worship, and service.

03

### **TRUST GOD'S PURSUIT:**

Understand that God has set the stage for you to find Him, and trust His timing and method in your search.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Father, thank You for orchestrating circumstances in my life that lead me to seek You. I acknowledge that everything in my life is part of Your plan to draw me closer to You. Help me to always be aware of Your presence and to earnestly seek You, knowing that You are not far from any one of us. May I never take for granted the opportunity to reach out to You, and may I continually grow in my pursuit of You. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE

### PSALM 63:1 -

*"You, God, are my God, earnestly I seek you; I thirst for you."*



**PowerPoint:** A heartfelt pursuit of God fuels spiritual intimacy.

## ▼ FUEL

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| <p><b>Q CONTEXT:</b></p> <p>The psalmist expresses a deep longing for God, thirsting for His presence in a dry and weary land. This reflects a powerful desire for intimate fellowship with God.</p> | <p><b>★ SUMMARY:</b></p> <p>To surge ahead spiritually, we must cultivate a deep, intense longing for God. As we thirst for His presence, we open ourselves to a fuller experience of His love, power, and guidance.</p> | <p><b>🍃 STORY:</b></p> <p>Paulette was exhausted from juggling her busy life but felt a deep longing for something more. One evening, she reflected on Psalm 63:1 and began to yearn for God's presence. She carved out quiet time each morning, and in her pursuit, she experienced a refreshing renewal, feeling her heart satisfied by God's nearness.</p> |
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## ▼ DRIVE

- 01

**LONG FOR GOD'S PRESENCE:**

Cultivate a deep, earnest longing for God, recognizing that only He can truly satisfy your soul's thirst.

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- 02

**PRIORITIZE GOD IN YOUR LIFE:**

Place God first in your life, intentionally seeking Him above all else in your daily routine and commitments.

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- 03

**EXPERIENCE SPIRITUAL THIRST:**

Acknowledge your spiritual thirst and actively seek God to fill that need, recognizing that only He can provide true fulfillment.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Lord, You are my God, and I earnestly seek You with all my heart. I thirst for Your presence, and I desire to know You more deeply. When my soul feels dry, I pray that You would refresh me with Your living water. May my heart continually yearn for You and be filled with longing for Your nearness. Help me to always seek You first, and may my heart find its deepest satisfaction in You alone. In Jesus' name, Amen.*



## ▼ IGNITE

### 2 CORINTHIANS 3:18 -

"We all... are being transformed into his image with ever-increasing glory."



**PowerPoint:** Seeking God transforms us into His likeness.

## ▼ FUEL

### **CONTEXT:**

Paul teaches that as we behold the glory of the Lord, we are transformed into His image, with ever-increasing glory. This transformation comes through the work of the Holy Spirit.

### **SUMMARY:**

Surging ahead spiritually requires embracing the process of transformation as we reflect more of Christ's glory. By gazing upon the Lord and allowing the Holy Spirit to work within us, we are continually being changed into His image, growing in Christlikeness with each passing day.

### **STORY:**

Anthony, a successful businessman, often struggled with pride and self-reliance. After he committed to regularly spending time in God's presence through prayer and Scripture, he noticed subtle changes in his character. His reactions became kinder, and his decisions reflected Christ's humility. Anthony realized that, over time, he was becoming more like Christ, as the Holy Spirit continued to transform him from the inside out.

## ▼ DRIVE

01

### **PURSUE TRANSFORMATION:**

Embrace the ongoing process of spiritual transformation, striving to reflect more of Christ's image each day.

02

### **REFLECT CHRIST'S GLORY:**

Allow Christ's glory to be reflected in your life by living according to His teachings, showing His love, and embodying His character.

03

### **CELEBRATE SPIRITUAL GROWTH:**

Rejoice in the continuous growth and transformation that God is working in you, recognizing that it is a lifelong process of becoming more like Christ.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Father, thank You for the promise that I am being transformed into the image of Your Son, Jesus, with ever-increasing glory. I ask that You continue to mold me and shape me into the person You want me to be. Help me to surrender daily to Your work of transformation in my life. May Your Holy Spirit continue to work within me, increasing my reflection of Christ's love, character, and humility. I trust that this transformation is ongoing and that I will reflect Your glory more each day. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ▼ IGNITE

### REVELATION 3:20 -

*"Here I am! I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door, I will come in."*



**PowerPoint:** Opening our hearts to Jesus leads to fellowship and renewed life.

## ▼ FUEL

### **CONTEXT:**

Jesus stands at the door and knocks, inviting anyone who hears His voice to open the door and let Him in. This is an invitation to intimate fellowship with Christ.

### **SUMMARY:**

Surging ahead spiritually involves welcoming Christ into every area of our lives, allowing Him to transform us through deep fellowship. The invitation is always open, and as we open the door of our hearts, we invite Christ to enter and make His home in us, changing us from within.

### **STORY:**

Pauletta had been a Christian for many years but struggled with a sense of distance from Christ. One evening, she heard a sermon on Revelation 3:20 and realized she had not fully invited Jesus into certain areas of her life. She decided to surrender these areas to Him, and immediately, she felt a deeper intimacy and peace. From that moment on, her relationship with Christ became richer and more personal.

## ▼ DRIVE

01

### **OPEN YOUR HEART TO CHRIST:**

Actively invite Christ into your life, allowing Him full access to all areas of your heart and mind.

02

### **LISTEN FOR GOD'S VOICE:**

Cultivate the ability to hear God's voice through Scripture, prayer, and quiet reflection, responding when He calls.

03

### **INVITE FELLOWSHIP WITH CHRIST:**

Embrace the invitation for intimate fellowship with Jesus, allowing Him to shape your life and fill you with His presence.

## ▼ REFUEL

*Lord, I hear Your voice knocking at the door of my heart, and I open it to You. I invite You into every part of my life—my thoughts, my emotions, and my actions. Please come in and fellowship with me. I desire a deeper relationship with You, and I want You to be Lord over every area of my life. Thank You for Your invitation to intimate relationship, and I trust that You will come in and bring transformation, healing, and joy. In Jesus' name, Amen.*