

John Series

5 Day Devotional

Week 6

Day 1: Seeking God with Sincerity

Reading: John 3:1-15

Devotional: Like Nicodemus, we often approach God with our preconceptions and religious knowledge. But Jesus calls us to a deeper, more sincere seeking. Today, reflect on your own journey of faith. Are you truly seeking God, or are you content with surface-level religion? Ask God to give you a heart that earnestly desires to know Him more deeply, beyond rituals and traditions. Consider areas in your life where you might need to let go of your own understanding and trust more fully in God's wisdom and ways.

Day 2: Born of the Spirit

Reading: Ezekiel 36:24-28, John 3:5-8

Devotional: Jesus speaks of being born of water and the Spirit - a profound spiritual rebirth that goes beyond external cleansing. This new birth is God's work in us, as mysterious and powerful as the wind. Today, meditate on the transformative power of God's Spirit in your life. How has He changed your heart? Where do you still need His renewing touch? Pray for a greater sensitivity to the Spirit's leading in your daily life, and for the courage to follow where He guides, even when it doesn't make sense to your natural understanding.

Day 3: God's Word as Living Bread

Reading: Deuteronomy 8:3, Matthew 4:4, John 6:35

Devotional: Just as we need physical food daily, we need spiritual nourishment from God's Word. Today, consider your spiritual diet. How often do you feast on Scripture? Do you approach Bible reading as a duty, or do you come hungry for God's living words? Challenge yourself to develop a more consistent habit of Bible reading, not just for knowledge, but for relationship with the Living God. Ask the Holy Spirit to make God's Word come alive to you in new ways.

Day 4: Lifting Up Christ

Reading: Numbers 21:4-9, John 3:14-15, John 12:32

Devotional: Jesus draws a parallel between Moses lifting up the bronze serpent and His own crucifixion. Just as the Israelites looked to the serpent for healing, we look to Christ for salvation. Today, reflect on areas in your life where you might be trying to save yourself through your own efforts. How can you more fully place your trust in Christ's finished work? Consider ways you can "lift up" Jesus in your daily life, pointing others to Him through your words and actions.

Day 5: Grace Through Faith**Reading: Ephesians 2:8-10, Romans 3:21-24**

Devotional: The core message of the gospel is that we are saved by grace through faith, not by our own efforts or religious works. This truth liberates us from the burden of trying to earn God's favor. Today, meditate on the incredible gift of God's grace in your life. How does this grace change the way you approach God and others? Reflect on ways you might still be operating under a performance-based mindset in your relationship with God. Ask Him to help you fully embrace and live in the freedom of His grace, while also empowering you to do the good works He has prepared for you.