# Day 1: Understanding Grace Over Rules

#### Scripture: Ephesians 2:8-9

"For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God—not by works, so that no one can boast."

#### **Reflection:**

Reflect on the difference between living under a set of rules and living under grace. Consider how grace has played a role in your life and how it has drawn you closer to God. Think about areas where you might be relying on rules rather than a relationship with Christ.

#### **Prayer:**

Ask God to help you understand and embrace His grace more fully. Pray for a heart that seeks relationship over ritual.

### **Day 2: The Power of Acceptance**

#### Scripture: Romans 15:7

"Accept one another, then, just as Christ accepted you, in order to bring praise to God."

#### **Reflection:**

Consider how acceptance has impacted your life. Reflect on the story of the speaker and how acceptance from others helped him find his way back to God. Think about how you can show acceptance to others in your community.

#### Prayer:

Pray for the ability to accept others as Christ has accepted you. Ask God to help you see people through His eyes and to love them unconditionally.

# **Day 3: Finding Identity in Christ**

#### Scripture: 2 Corinthians 5:17

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

#### **Reflection:**

Reflect on your identity in Christ. How does knowing you are a new creation change the way you view yourself and your past? Consider the transformation that occurs when you find

your identity in Him.

#### Prayer:

Thank God for making you a new creation. Ask Him to help you live out your identity in Christ and to let go of past labels and failures.

### Day 4: Embracing God's Purpose

#### Scripture: Ephesians 2:10

"For we are God's handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do."

#### **Reflection:**

Think about the purpose God has for your life. Reflect on the speaker's journey and how God used his past for a greater purpose. Consider what good works God has prepared for you to do.

#### **Prayer:**

Ask God to reveal His purpose for your life. Pray for the courage and strength to walk in the good works He has prepared for you.

## **Day 5: Living Out Genuine Faith**

#### Scripture: James 2:17

"In the same way, faith by itself, if it is not accompanied by action, is dead."

#### **Reflection:**

Reflect on the importance of living out your faith genuinely. Consider how your actions reflect your relationship with Christ. Think about ways you can demonstrate your faith through love and service to others.

#### **Prayer:**

Pray for a faith that is alive and active. Ask God to help you live out your faith in a way that honors Him and draws others to Him.