

**Come Alive**  
**How To Experience Real Life With God**

**1. Understand** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ **grace:** The initial grace that brings about our salvation.

**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.*

\_\_\_\_\_ **grace:** The dynamic and ongoing process by which we are transformed into individuals who naturally live out the values and character of Jesus.

- **Amazing displays** \_\_\_\_\_

**Acts 6:8** *Now Stephen, a man full of God's grace and power, performed great wonders and signs among the people.*

- **Inner transformation** \_\_\_\_\_

**2 Peter 1:3-4** *His divine power has given us everything we need for a godly life through our knowledge of him who called us by his own glory and goodness. Through these he has given us his very great and precious promises, so that through them you may participate in the divine nature, having escaped the corruption in the world caused by evil desires.*

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**Hebrews 4:16** *So let us come boldly to the throne of our gracious God. There we will receive his mercy, and we will find grace to help us when we need it most.*

**3.** \_\_\_\_\_

**2 Corinthians 12: 8-10** *Three times I pleaded with the Lord to take it away from me. But he (God) said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness." Therefore I will boast all the more gladly about my weaknesses, so that Christ's power may rest on me. That is why, for Christ's sake, I delight in weaknesses, in insults, in hardships, in persecutions, in difficulties. For when I am weak, then I am strong.*

**Romans 3:24** - *Yet God, in his grace, freely makes us right in his sight. He did this through Christ Jesus when he freed us from the penalty for our sins.*

**Matthew 16:24-25** *Then Jesus said to his disciples, "If any of you wants to be my follower, you must give up your own way, take up your cross, and follow me. If you try to hang on to your life, you will lose it. But if you give up your life for my sake, you will save it.*

**Luke 2:40** *And the child grew and became strong; he was filled with wisdom, and the grace of God was on him.*

**John 1:16** *Out of his fullness we have all received grace in place of grace already given.*

**Acts 4:33** *With great power the apostles continued to testify to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus. And God's grace was so powerfully at work in them all.*

**Acts 11:23** *When he arrived and saw what the grace of God had done, he was glad and encouraged them all to remain true to the Lord with all their hearts.*

**Acts 13:43** *When the congregation was dismissed, many of the Jews and devout converts to Judaism followed Paul and Barnabas, who talked with them and urged them to continue in the grace of God.*

**Acts 14:26** *Finally, they returned by ship to Antioch of Syria, where their journey had begun. The believers there had entrusted them to the grace of God to do the work they had now completed.*

**Acts 20:24** *But my life is worth nothing to me unless I use it for finishing the work assigned me by the Lord Jesus—the work of telling others the Good News about the wonderful grace of God.*

**2 Corinthians 9:14** *And they will pray for you with deep affection because of the overflowing grace God has given to you.*

### God, my Father and King,

I bring my whole self before You now — open, yielded, and willing.

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#### HEART / WILL

I surrender my will to Yours. May Your desires become my desires.  
I let go of the illusion of control, and I say yes to Your rule in my life.  
Not my will, but Yours be done — in this moment, and the next, and the next. Teach me to desire what You desire, and to will what You will.

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#### MIND (Thoughts + Feelings)

Renew my mind, Lord. Let every thought be brought captive to Christ.  
Shape my imagination by Your Word, and teach me to think what is true, noble, right, pure, and lovely. I yield my emotions to You — my joy, my sorrow, my anger, my fear. May my feelings not rule me, but be ruled by Your peace.

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#### BODY

This body is Yours — My eyes, hands, voice, energy, and strength.  
Let me speak only what You would speak, go only where You would lead, and do only what love requires. Let my habits become holy, my time consecrated, my actions aligned with Your purposes.

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#### SOCIAL CONTEXT

In every relationship, Lord — make me an instrument of Your love.  
Free me from the need to impress, control, or win. May I forgive quickly, listen deeply, and serve joyfully. Let my presence be a blessing in my home, my work, my friendships, and even among strangers. Help me see each person as You do — full of value, beauty, and eternal significance.

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#### SOUL (Whole Life Integration)

Unify my scattered self in You. Let my life become a whole, surrendered vessel — no compartments, no hiding, no holding back. Let Your Spirit dwell in every corner of my being, and may my soul find its rest in You alone.

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I want to live in moment-by-moment surrender to You — to be fully Yours in thought, word, body, and spirit. Take all that I am and form Christ within me. Let me live this day with You, in You, and for You. Amen

### Step 1: I admit my powerlessness over the gaps

*"Lord, I acknowledge that on my own, I cannot \_\_\_\_\_.  
(identify your gap). I don't have the strength to do this." If it's up to me, I will fail at this."*

### Step 2: I place my confidence in God's grace

*"Father, you have offered me grace. So I believe that through Your grace and power, I can \_\_\_\_\_. You can fill this gap with your strength."*

**Philippians 4:13** For I can do **everything** through Christ, who gives me strength.

### Step 3: I ask Him to bridge the gap

*"God, I surrender this area to you \_\_\_\_\_.  
Bridge the gap with your power. Give me both the desire to do this and the power to do this."*