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JANUARY 1

Book of Life

Your eyes saw me when I was formless;
all my days were written in your book and planned
before a single one of them began.

PSALM 139:16 CSB

It's the day of new beginnings and you might be feeling a mixture of emotions. Whatever your thoughts and feelings are about this day, remember that you have the spirit of Christ in your heart and mind, ready to help you in all of your decisions and strengthening you through any challenges.

Can you take on this year with grace and skill, knowing God is with you?

JANUARY 2

Feeling Stuck

The Sovereign LORD is my strength!
He makes me as surefooted as a deer, able to tread upon the heights.

HABAKKUK 3:19 NLT

No one likes to feel stuck. Maybe you feel stuck in your everyday life: a job that doesn't utilize your gifts, a relationship that's more take than give, a habit that's edging toward addiction. There is a direction to turn when circumstances have you feeling boxed in. Turn your face toward the Lord and let him fill you with the strength to move.

Professionally, personally, or perhaps in your prayer life, is there an area where you've simply stopped moving?

JANUARY 3

Body Parts

Just as each of us has one body with many members, and these members do not all have the same function, so in Christ we, though many, form one body, and each member belongs to all the others.

ROMANS 12:4-5 NIV

A tooth is such a small part of the body, but when it begins to ache, it can be debilitating! As a Christian, you are part of the body of Christ. More important than trying to distinguish which part you are is the recognition of just how important your unique gifts are to the health of the whole body. You were created to belong to something that is greater than yourself.

How can you use your gifts for the good of the entire body of Christ?

JANUARY 4

Comfort and Strength

May our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who loved us and by his grace gave us eternal comfort and a wonderful hope, comfort you and strengthen you in every good thing you do and say.

2 THESSALONIANS 2:16-17 NLT

After being confused about when Jesus would return, and after facing extreme persecution, the Thessalonians needed the Lord's refreshing hope, comfort, and strength. By God's grace, they were able to face every obstacle with confidence and strength. You can also face challenges and cling to what is good. Whenever you feel hopeless, tired, weak, or confused, find the refreshment you need in Christ Jesus.

How can you find comfort in uncomfortable times?

JANUARY 5

Just Ask Him

I call to you, God, and you answer me.
Listen to me now, and hear what I say.

PSALM 17:60 (NIV)

If only answers to prayer came simply or quickly: “Should I take this job? Marry this man? Buy this house? Check yes or no.” God’s Word encourages you again and again to come to him with your questions, concerns, and deepest longings. He does promise a reply, though not necessarily in the form of a check in a box.

God is listening. What are you longing to know from him?

JANUARY 6

Pressing In

When hard pressed, I cried to the LORD;
he brought me into a spacious place.

PSALM 118:5-6

Although the world's powers can appear indomitable, all the nations of the earth cannot stand against God. When you feel as if your back is against the wall, or the pressures of the world are laying heavy on you, you can call on God and he will answer you. He will deliver you out of your narrow confinement, the prison of your mind, and release you into a spacious place where you can run free.

What spacious place can you allow God to lead you into today?

JANUARY 7

Timely Words

A person finds joy in giving an apt reply—
and how good is a timely word!

PROVERBS 15:1 NIV

An appropriate word given at the right time is very beneficial both for the giver and the receiver. To obtain the sort of wisdom this requires does not come in a sudden burst of insight, but rather from quietly listening to God. In meekness, hold back your own words and ask God what he would like to tell others through you.

Have you ever received a word that was so fitting you knew it had to be wisdom from God?

JANUARY 8

Firm Foundation

“Look! I am placing a foundation stone in Jerusalem, a firm and tested stone. It is a precious cornerstone that is safe to build on. Whoever believes need never be shaken.”

ISAIAH 28:16 NLT

Architects know that for a building to stand it must first have a good foundation. Only then can a successful structure be built. Your Christian life is like that tower. God laid the strong foundation when you gave your life to him. Since that time, each bit of knowledge, every prayer, every verse, every act of obedience has laid down the walls. Slowly they rise, strong on the cornerstone of your faith and held together by God.

Do you feel the firm foundation of your faith in God?

JANUARY 9

On a Scale

The wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life through Christ Jesus our Lord.

ROMANS 6:23 NLT

Sometimes sin is wrongly judged on a scale. All imperfection separates you from a perfect God. Refrain from comparing sin, judging others, or devaluing the grace that has been shown to you. There is nobody who God's grace cannot extend to, if they are willing to receive it. Adamantly admit your need for God's grace and be willing to extend grace to others.

How did God's grace lead you to repentance?

JANUARY 10

your Destiny

If it seems slow in coming, wait patiently,
for it will surely take place.

It will not be delayed.

HABAKKUK 2:3 NLT

Talented musicians, brilliant intellects, and amazing athletes, apparently effortless in their pursuits, seem born for just those things. It appears to be their destiny. You may wonder what your destiny is. Whether or not you believe you have a specific purpose, God knows you do. And he knows just what it is, and how long it will take you to fulfill it.

Are you waiting on God to reveal your destiny?

JANUARY 11

Awesome Name

He provided redemption for his people;
he ordained his covenant forever—
holy and awesome is his name.

PSALM 111:9 NIV

As you wake to another morning do you feel free from burdens or worn down by them? You might be experiencing some mountaintop moments and mornings are a joy, but if you are in a valley, mornings can be difficult. Whatever your experience, remember that God has redeemed you and made his promise of grace last forever.

How can you share the good news of God's redemption with those around you?

JANUARY 12

On the Calendar

Oh, that I had wings like a dove;
then I would fly away and rest!

PSALM 55:6-7

Calendars are crammed with commitments; desks are piled so high with work they look like mountains on the verge of toppling. You race from one place to another, annoyed when it takes more than a minute for fast food or a red light to change. It's critical to plan for rest and be intentional about setting aside time to spend with God. That's where real refreshment and strength come from.

How can you set aside time to spend with God each day?