He's SPEAKING! Are we LISTENING?

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He’s SPEAKING!

Are we LISTENING?
Imagine yourself at the entry door of a room.

Your favorite book is in your hand.

You want to concentrate on what you are reading.

You open the door and look around. What does your room look like?

Here are some ideas from people in your community.

“My room is in the basement of my house. It is located in the corner of the room. A lava lamp is sitting on the table. I am sitting on a long, soft couch with a warm blanket over me. There is a soft light above my head, just enough to see the words.”

“My room has many windows and the sun is shining brightly all around. It is peaceful and quiet outside. God’s creation is everywhere I look. I am sitting in a reclining chair with a cool glass of water on the nightstand. The windows are open, and I feel a gentle breeze throughout the room. I am alone.”

“My room has pretty sunflower wallpaper. It is completely clean and there is no junk lying around. The lighting is from a lamp. I am sitting in an oversized chair with a footstool at my feet. I want it to be quiet, and I am, of course, all alone with God.”
“My room is high overlooking a lake. I have beautiful scenic pictures hanging on the walls. The room is painted in a bright yellow and has white furniture. Live plants are hanging from the ceiling.”

A Description of my LISTENING Room.

“It is a tiny walk-in closet with a small desk and chair. I have a stereo that I bought at a garage sale for $5.00. I also have headphones to listen to my favorite music. The power cord runs through the closet and out the door. My chair is located between my hanging clothes, which are on each side of my closet. There are several pictures which are hung on the wall where I can see them. When I shut off the light, everything is quiet and dark. Each day I open the door to this room and go into it. Yes, the book in my hand is my Bible.”

†My LISTENING Room†
(Click on My LISTENING Room to view.)

If you want to have your own room, you can design it as elegant, or as simple as you desire. As you read the descriptions of the different listening rooms, everyone had different ideas of how their room would look. God made everyone unique.

YOUR ASSIGNMENT
Write a description of what your Listening room will look like in your Journey Journal (A simple notebook)

“My room needs to be quiet. I am sitting in my big reclining chair with the massager on. No one will interrupt me.”
Look at the description of your room. Would you want to go into this room? Would you be willing to slow down, focus, clear yourself of distraction, and SPEAK and LISTEN to God there. Try and design a place like this in your home. I call mine…

My LISTENING Room

Get READY to go into your LISTENING Room to begin your Journey devotional with God, using the Bible Study Series called…

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May you embark on a life-changing Journey with God.

Although the journey through this devotional will take six days, it is hoped that it will impact your life-long journey with God with new habits developed and an increased awareness of the importance of slowing down to both speak and listen to the voice of God.

Many things could come into your life to keep you from completing this Journey devotional, but we encourage you to commit to spending 10-15 minutes each day on your Journey devotional. We recommend starting your Journey on a Monday!
Below is an example prayer. As with all prayers, prayer must be from the heart, not something read. Take time to think about the words and if God convicts your heart, pray something similar, in your own words or the same words if consistent with God’s guidance. God may very well speak to us and teach us through the very words we are convicted to use in prayer.

Dear God,

I may have never been on a devotional journey like this before and I do not know what to expect. Once we start the Journey together, please help me to follow through to the end. This will take six days. Though this is not a long-time, the enemy will try to distract me from quieting my soul and spending quality time with you. I love you, I’m actively seeking and taking an interest in getting to know you more. I pray that you bless me by convicting my heart each day to spend time with you. I also pray that I develop a habit that will grow and blossom through my days. I perceive that I’m not living today as you designed me to live. Mold me into the image of your son and transform my life so that I may live closer to how you designed me to live. I desire a deeper more intimate relationship with you.

With love,

Your Beloved

Write this same prayer or your version of the prayer in your My Journey Journal
Your journey through this devotion will last for six days. You will be encouraged to SPEAK to God through the “Dear God” sections and LISTENING to him through the Bible verses.

The beginning of each daily Journey will start with words of encouragement and challenge.

To enter your daily Journey, click on the button for that day. At the end of your daily Journey, click on the “home” button, which will return you to the beginning.

**VERY IMPORTANT:** Each day before you begin your Journey, take a few minutes and confess your sins. The Bible says in Isaiah 59:2 that if we have sin in our hearts it will separate us from God, and our communication will be broken. (Click on the verses or words between the crosses to view. To return to your Journey, click on the BACK button. Try it on the verse above.) At the beginning of your Journey, during the Prayer Power section, confess your sins.

**DO NOT SKIP THIS PART OF YOUR JOURNEY.**
**IT IS NECESSARY TO OPEN YOUR COMMUNICATION WITH GOD SO YOU WILL HAVE THE BEST JOURNEY POSSIBLE.**
GOD SPEAKING TO US THROUGH MUSIC: Music speaks to our hearts. Try beginning your Journey with music asking God to still your heart and clear your mind. Try ending your Journey with music reflecting on how God has spoken to you. Pick one of your favorite Christian songs and meditate on what God may be communicating to you through the scriptures read, the music, the song lyrics, and the lesson.

POWER IN SCRIPTURE: These studies were written using the New International Version (NIV) of the Bible, but any version may be used. We encourage you to look up the verses in your own Bible. (For computer version, click on the verses or words between the crosses † to view. To return to your Journey, click the BACK button. Try it on the following verse.) †Matthew 6:6† Many verses are repeated to help you memorize them.

PRAYER POWER: This is your time to SPEAK to God. It is like talking to your best friend.

POWERFUL PRAISE: It is important to praise God each day as you begin your Journey.

MY JOURNEY JOURNAL: As you travel on your Journey, it will be helpful to use your Journey Journal for any reflections on how God is speaking to you.

We recommend that you have a dictionary.

The colors of our Journeys represent…

Black (sin), red (Jesus shed blood on the cross), and white (forgiveness of your sin).

These remind us of God’s great love for us.

GET READY FOR YOUR JOURNEY
MY LIFE IS A MESS

- I was overweight, and my blood pressure and cholesterol were way too high.
- I had tried so many diets with no weight loss. I was addicted to caffeine and chocolate and I would eat to feel better.
- After being married many years my marriage was so........routine.
- Our finances were a mess. I worked very hard each day, and I was not making any money.
- We were VERY HEAVILY in debt.
- I did not even know how to have fun.

I was tired of who I had become. I was out of control. I would eat properly and exercise, but it only lasted for a short time. My energy levels were so low that I completely lacked motivation. There never seemed to be enough hours in the day to complete everything I needed to do. I was overwhelmed and discouraged.

I kept asking myself if I wanted to live with who I had become or did I want to change? I could complain about it all the time or get busy and do something, but where would I possibly get the motivation to change? I also thought over and over, where would I ever begin to make changes in my life. The voice in my head would tell me, “This is the way you have been all your life. You will never change.” I wanted to have a better road for my life, so even though there was fear in my heart, I decided it was time to begin a Journey of Change in my life.
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Sung by Stacy Gove

Life is busy, so many things to do,
It’s like I’m on a treadmill, never coming to the end.
And I wonder, is this the way, you want my life to be.
(Chorus)

Chorus:
He's SPEAKING! But Are we LISTENING?
Why can’t we find the time for Him?
Lord help me find my LISTENING Room,
Where I can hear you speak to me!
(Last time) Lord, I want to hear you speak to me…….

I know that you will help me,
As I seek to spend more time, with you,
Together we will Journey, deep into my heart,
To find, your plan for my life. Oh God!

Lead me and guide me, in this world that’s filled with strife,
Plant in my heart a pure desire for you, like I've never, known, before.
(Chorus 2x)
Matthew 6:6

But when you pray,

go into your room

and pray to your Father who is unseen. Then your Father, who sees what is done in secret, will reward you.

Open the door to your LISTENING Room…
God Speaking To Us Through Music

Sit still, close your eyes, and "LET GO." Listen to your favorite Christian music.

**Prayer Power**

Pray that you will have a clear mind as you begin your Journey.

**Take a few minutes to confess your sins.**

†1 Peter 4:7b†

Click on the verses or words between the crosses † to view.

**Dictionary Definitions**

*Inside* = in the *interior*, the part within  
*Outside* = *exterior*, the outer surface  
*LIFE* = a living being, a human being

*Make* = to cause to be or do, to go, *to start*  
*Over* = from side to side, throughout, upper, outer

**Inside Outside LIFE Makeover**

We will begin on the *interior* or Inside of our bodies, and work to the *exterior*, or the Outside of our bodies to *start* to allow God to change us throughout.

**THINK ABOUT THIS INSIDE OUTSIDE LIFE MAKEOVER DEFINITION.**

1 Samuel 16: 7

But the LORD said to Samuel, “Do not consider his appearance or his height, for I have rejected him. The LORD does not look at the things man looks at. Man looks at the outward appearance, but the LORD looks at the heart.”

Dear God,

The Bible says you do not look at me on the Outside, but it is what is in my heart that matters. This definitely tells me that I need to begin my Makeover on the Inside. I should care what you think of me more than anyone else. I am not sure where to begin, so as we Journey this week, please SPEAK to my heart about how I can begin an Inside Makeover. I will be LISTENING.

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SKIN

Exodus 34:29
When Moses came down from Mt. Sinai with the two tablets of the Testimony in his hands, he was not aware that his face was radiant because he had spoken with the LORD.

Could SPEAKING to you make my face shine? †Luke 9:29†

FACE

Ecclesiastes 8:1
Who is like the wise man? Who knows the explanation of things? Wisdom brightens a man’s face and changes its hard appearance.

Am I wise? †James 1:5†

EYES

Psalms 119:18
Open my eyes that I may see wonderful things in your law (Bible).

You can open my eyes, and help me to understand the Bible. †Luke 24:45†

TEARS

Psalms 126:5
Those who sow in tears will reap with songs of joy.

Are you saying that tears can bring joy? Sorrow could be for a reason. †James 1:2-3†
Dear God,

Wow, this is a lot to think about. It seems like our Inside and our Outside affect each other. As we end our Journey today, please SPEAK to my heart about any area in my life that needs an Inside Makeover.

My Journey Journal

Optional: Begin writing a letter to God telling him about what you are feeling as you Journey.

Prayer Power

Pray that God will begin an Inside Makeover in your life.

God Speaking To Us Through Music

Meditate on the words of your favorite Christian song.
What am I like on the Inside?

I wonder what God sees when he looks inside me?

I am not sure he would like what he sees.

Have you ever thought about this?

What does it mean when we talk about our Inside? People can see me on the Outside, but they only see my body. They see who I am on the Inside by my actions. It is all about the thoughts and attitudes of my heart. It is what I really believe and think about everything.

It is a lot easier to change the things on the Outside than it is to change on the Inside. I have lived the way I am for many years. If I want to clean up my Inside, it is going to be harder than just going to the spa or the gym.

Okay, what do you think about all of this? Did you begin to write your letter to God? Do you want to continue this Journey? I want to. I am curious to see where this will all go. As we Journey today, let’s ask God to SPEAK to our hearts very clearly.
God Speaking To Us Through Music

Sit still, close your eyes, and "LET GO." Listen to your favorite Christian music.

Prayer Power

Pray that you will have a clear mind as you begin your Journey.

Take a few minutes to confess your sins.

Click on the verses or words between the crosses † to view.

Dear God,

Yesterday, we began my Inside Makeover. I am a little scared. I am not sure what I am doing, but you are the creator of everything, including me, so I will trust you. Guide me and direct me in what you want me to do. Please help me to find the time every day this week to Journey with you. Life is busy, and finding time might be a challenge with my busy schedule, so I need your help. Please SPEAK to me. I am going to LISTEN. Let’s continue where we left off yesterday, talking about the Outside of my body and the Inside effects.

**MOUTH**

Psalms 19:14

May the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be pleasing in your sight, O LORD, my Rock, and my Redeemer.

Are my words pleasing to you?

†James 1:26†

**LIPS**

Psalms 63:3

Because your love is better than life, my lips will glorify you.
Do I have ANYTHING in my life to praise you about?

**My Journey Journal**

Life is filled with sorrow and disappointments, but even in the midst we can find SOMETHING to praise God about. Write down anything in your life that you can praise God about.

† 1 Chronicles 29:10-13†

†Psalm 33:1†

**Dear God,**

It felt good to praise you in the midst of all that is happening in my life. If I dig deep enough, I can find something good in my life. There is always something I can praise you about. My lips shall praise you. I wish I could always remember this. You know full well that my heart attitude changes from moment to moment. Please help me.

**TONGUE**

Psalm 34:13

…keep your tongue from evil and your lips from speaking lies.

Are my words evil or good?

†Proverbs 15:4†

**NECK**

Proverbs 3:3

Let love and faithfulness never leave you, bind them around your neck; write them on the tablet of your heart.

You love me! You are faithful! Help me to remember this.
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†John 13:1-2†

VOICE

Psalm 5:3
In the morning, O LORD, you hear my voice; in the morning I lay my requests before you and wait in expectation.

How is my prayer life?

†Deuteronomy 4:7†

COUNTENANCE

Proverbs 15:13
A happy heart makes the face cheerful, but heartache crushes the spirit.

What do I look like on the Inside?

†1 Chronicles 28:9†

LIKENESS

Psalm 17:15
And I--in righteousness I will see your face; when I awake, I will be satisfied with seeing your likeness.

Does this mean that each day I can become more like you?

†2 Corinthians 5:17†

Dear God,

What does this mean to be “in Christ”? This is a little confusing to me.
John 3:16
For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.
†John 3:1-21†

Dear God,
What does this all mean? You gave your only son Jesus. This is what Christmas is all about. Jesus was born of the virgin Mary. I believe this. I celebrate Christmas every year. Easter is the time we think about Jesus’ death on a cross. Why did he have to die on the cross?

Hebrews 9:22
In fact, the law requires that nearly everything be cleansed with blood and without the shedding of blood there is no forgiveness.
†Romans 5:8†

Dear God,
I think I get it! The gift of eternal life that John 3:16 talks about came through the shedding of Jesus’ blood on the cross. What is my part in all of this if I want to have eternal life? As we Journey tomorrow, let’s talk more about this. Thank you for speaking to me today. I look forward to going on another Journey with you tomorrow.

My Journey Journal
Tell God your thoughts about eternal life? Do you believe you have eternal life?

Prayer Power
Pray that God will help your eyes to be open to the words of the Bible.

God Speaking To Us Through Music
Meditate on words of your favorite Christian song.

Sometimes I wonder why God would even love me. I believe the Bible is true. He loves me. In fact, he loves me so much that he was willing to sacrifice his son on the cross for me. That is love. I love my children, but I do not think I love anyone enough to sacrifice them for someone else.

When Christmas comes each year, we celebrate the birth of Jesus. Is this what you believe? Then at Easter, we talk about Jesus dying on the cross, and that he arose from the grave. Is this what you believe? I have always wondered why Jesus had to die on the cross.

When you look in the Old Testament of the Bible, you can read about clean animals being sacrificed on the altar for people’s sins. I have always been curious why that had to happen. When I think about the animals being sacrificed for sins, it makes it more clear why Jesus had to be a sacrifice for sins. He was sinless. He was a spotless lamb, so to speak. I do not totally understand, but it is in the Bible, so I believe it.

I am not sure where we are going today on our Journey, but I will be praying for you, and you pray for me. Together we can learn more about SPEAKING and LISTENING to God.
God Speaking To Us Through Music

Sit still, close your eyes, and "LET GO." Listen to your favorite Christian music.

Prayer Power

Pray that you will have a clear mind as you begin your Journey.

Take a few minutes to confess your sins.

Click on the verses or words between the crosses † to view.

Luke 19:10
For the Son of Man (Jesus) came to seek and to save what was lost.

Dear God,
Who are the lost? Am I the lost? Did you send your son to save ME? What do I need to be saved from?

Romans 3:23
…for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.

Dear God,

Scripture says ALL have sinned. I think that I am a pretty good person. I try to be good, but I still sin. What is sin REALLY? What does the Bible say about sin?
(Read the type of sins below. If you think they relate to you, click on the verses to read them.)

Maybe my god in life is money!

†Luke 16:13†

Maybe I am judging someone!

†Matthew 7:1-5†

Maybe I think of “me” first!

†Matthew 16:24†

Maybe someone has sinned against me!

†Matthew 18:15-16†

Maybe I am allowing myself to be polluted by the world!

†James 1:27b†
Maybe I am envious of someone!

† James 3:14-16†

Maybe I am holding something against someone!

† Mark 11:25†

Maybe I have committed sexual sin outside of marriage!

† 1 Corinthians 6:9-11†

Maybe I am a slave to something that has mastered me!

† 2 Peter 2:19†

Maybe my sinful nature has taken control of me!

† Galatians 5:16-17†

Dear God,

Wow, what a list of sins. I realize that you will not be pleased if any of these sins are found in my life. The Inside me will affect the Outside by my actions. What do I need to do about these sins in my life? How could they possibly affect our relationship?

Isaiah 59:2

But your iniquities (sins) have separated you from your God;
your sins have hidden his face from you, so that he will not hear.
Dear God,

Sin in my life will separate us. It is very important not to have sin in my heart; but I am human, and I will sin. I am not perfect; so if I do not want to be separated from you, what should I do?

1 John 1:8-9
If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.

Dear God,

You did SPEAK to me today about sin in my life. I would like our communication to be open. This is a good time to think about my sins, and ask your forgiveness for them.

My Journey Journal
Write down the sins from the list that apply to you or any other sins in your life.

Prayer Power
Spend some time confessing your sins. It is like telling your best friend you are sorry. Then, throw away your list and thank God that he has forgiven you.

God Speaking To Us Through Music
Meditate on the words of your favorite Christian song.
Did you spend some time thinking about **SIN** in your life? 

**I DID!**

Let’s think about this! Okay, so we have sin in our lives. The Bible says that we need to confess sin in order to have open communication with God. But did you know, we will never STOP sinning. We are all humans, so if we want to have open communication with God everyday, then we need to confess our sins every day.

**BUT**

Life is busy. We barely have time to do the things we need to do, let alone take time to think about sin in our lives. It seems like having our communication open with God would be a good thing. When we face life struggles, it would help to talk to God about them. He is a big God and he can handle anything.

**SO WHAT NOW?**

Let’s Journey together today and find out!
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Prayer Power
Pray that you will have a clear mind as you begin your Journey

Take a few minutes to confess your sins.
Click on the verses or words in between the crosses † to view.

Psalm 103:12
...as far as the east is from the west, so far has he removed our transgressions (sins) from us.

Dear God,
Yesterday I learned about the kind of sins that could be in my life. You did SPEAK to me about some of them. The Bible states that we need to confess our sins. I did, but it also says if we confess our sins, you WILL forgive us. That makes me feel so good to know that you have forgiven me. Thank you! I feel so clean Inside.

Prayer Power
Thank God that he loves you so much and forgives your sins.

Dear God,
Now where are we? You have showed me what sins are in my life. I realize that I do sin. Also, I will be separated from you because of my sins unless I confess them to you. Will sin in my life keep me from going to heaven someday?

Romans 6:23
For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life (heaven) in Jesus Christ our Lord.
Dear God,

I deserve to die for my sins, but you loved me so much that you willingly gave up your son Jesus for me. It is because of Jesus that I can have the gift of eternal life in heaven. I have thought over the years that I had to be “good enough” to go to heaven.

Ephesians 2:8-9
For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God— not by works so that no one can boast.

Dear God,

I cannot be good enough to have eternal life in heaven. I cannot do anything to save myself. I have always tried to be a good person, thinking that this would be the way to go to heaven. This verse says that there is NOTHING that I can do. So it is only by your grace that I can receive eternal life in heaven. What does the word “Grace” actually mean?

†GRACE†
(Dictionary Definition)

Dear God,

It is not about me and what I do, it is about you and your grace and compassion. A gift is not something that you earn; it is something someone gives you. If I want the gift of eternal life, how can I receive it?

BELIEVE

John 6:47
I tell you the truth, he who believes has everlasting life.

†Matthew 7:7†

Dear God,

I BELIEVE that I need to ask. I need to seek you. I need to knock and the door will be opened for me. If I want to have eternal life, it requires a CHOICE to ask you and to seek you, and the door will be opened for me.

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Dear God,

I **BELIEVE** that the wages for my sin is death. You loved me so much you sent your son Jesus to earth to shed his blood for my sins. If I **BELIEVE** and receive that gift of eternal life, it can be mine. I understand this now. Is there anything else I should remember?

**CONFESS**

1 John 1:9  
If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us of our sins and to purify us from ALL unrighteousness.

† Romans 4:7-8†

Dear God,

I need to **BELIEVE** that it is important to confess my sins so that our communication will be open? I **BELIEVE** if I confess my sins, you will forgive me! Is there anything else I should do?

**ASK**

Acts 2:21  
And everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.

† Joel 2:32a†
What did you think about your Journey yesterday?

Do you understand what your Journey was all about? Did you make an Inside choice in your life to begin a relationship with God? Or, perhaps you made that choice years ago, but the busy lifestyles you have makes you feel far away from God.

No Matter where we are coming from, it is time for CHANGE in our lives.

We are beginning an Inside Makeover that will really change our lives. It is exciting, yet at times challenging, but we are NEVER ALONE. God is right here to encourage us, help us, direct us, and most importantly to love us.

Well, I wonder what is in store for us today. You have done so well STOPPING and taking time in your LISTENING Room to Journey. Trust me, you will be blessed.
God Speaking To Us Through Music

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Prayer Power

Pray that you will have a clear mind as you begin your Journey.

Take a few minutes to confess your sins.

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Dear God,

It seems logical that an Inside Outside LIFE MAKEOVER needs to begin on the Inside. Who we are on the Inside, is more important than anything. God search me and know me, and show me who I am and who you want me to be.

Joshua 24:15

But if serving the LORD seems undesirable to you, then choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve…

†Joshua 24:15b†

Dear God,

You have given me the ability to choose. Yesterday we talked about choosing to believe in the true meaning of Christmas. You love me so much that you gave your one and only Son, Jesus, to live and then die to save me from my sin. Through Jesus, I can have eternal life in heaven if I choose to believe in him.

John 3:15

…that everyone who believes in him may have eternal life.

†John 3:36†
Dear God,
I believe! Thank you for sending your son Jesus to die for my sins. I want to take a few minutes to thank you.

Psalm 7:17
I will give thanks to the LORD because of his righteousness and will sing praise to the name of the LORD Most High.

†Psalm 95:3-7†

Dear God,
Over the years, I remember hearing about the Trinity, which is God the father, God the Son Jesus, and the Holy Spirit. I would like to understand more about all of you.

God, the Father

Isaiah 40:28
Do you not know? Have you not heard?
The LORD is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth.

Matthew 6:9b
Our father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

Dear God,
You are the creator of everything and you live in heaven.
God, the Son

Matthew 1:21
She will give birth to a son, and you are to give him the name Jesus, because he will save people from their sins.

Romans 8:34
Christ Jesus, who died—more than that, who was raised to life—Is at the right hand of God and is also interceding for us.

Dear God,

You sent your son Jesus to earth to save the world of their sin. I had to choose to BELIEVE in all that you have done. Jesus is in heaven with you.

The Holy Spirit

John 14:16-17
And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Counselor to be with you forever—the Spirit of truth. The world cannot accept him, because it neither sees him nor knows him. But you know him, for he lives with you and will be in you.

John 14:26
All this I have spoken while still with you. But the Counselor, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you all things and will remind you of everything I have said to you.

†Galatians 4:6†
Dear God,

Once I BELIEVE in your great love for me, and choose to accept that free gift of eternal life, your Holy Spirit will come into my heart.

**Romans 8:26-27**

In the same way, the Spirit helps us in our weakness. We do not know what we ought to pray for, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us with groans that words cannot express. And he who searches our hearts knows the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints in accordance with God’s will.

**Acts 1:8**

But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you...

Dear God,

I have prayed and asked you to forgive me of my sins. I have invited you into my heart, so now I can BELIEVE that your Holy Spirit is living in me. He intercedes for me, he will teach me and he is always there with me.

**†John 16:13†**

**†2 Corinthians 1:21b-22†**
Prayer Power
This is a good prayer to begin your day.
Good Morning, heavenly Father, good morning, Lord Jesus, good morning Holy Spirit.
Thank you for your work in my life. Please go before me this day. Fill me with a love for you. Help me to be totally surrendered to you.

Sign your name: __________________________

My Journey Journal
How are you feeling about all of this? Write your thoughts to God.

Thankful Praise
†Psalm 95:1-2†

God Speaking To Us Through Music
Meditate on the words of your favorite Christian song.
Is it hard for you to understand about the Holy Spirit living in your heart?

DON’T WORRY ABOUT IT. He will be with you.

HOW WILL HE DO THAT?

You will have an overwhelming peace. Something will feel different in your life.

When you read the Bible, you will begin to understand it.

He will lovingly speak to you and provide a way of escape when you are tempted to do something wrong,

JUST RELAX

PRAISE GOD

One day you will be in heaven and will completely understand everything.

It is God’s responsibility to make himself known to you.

TRUST ME, HE WILL

Today is the last day of our Journey.
We are proud of you for following through.
Let’s see where we are going today.
Dear God,

Wow, I have learned a lot on this Inside Journey with you. In fact, it is quite overwhelming, but I think I understand how important it is to clean out any junk that might be on the Inside of my life. It is important to do this first, because no matter what I look like on the Outside, if the Inside is dirty with sin, I will never be happy and joyful. So let’s look back over this Journey.

**Day One:** I discovered what an Inside Outside LIFE Makeover actually means.

**Day Two:** I need to look at my life no matter what I am going through at the time, and find the good in it. We also talked about why the shedding of blood is required for sins.

**Day Three:** I am a human being. I sin. I need to get rid of any sin in my life, because sin will separate me from God.

**Day Four:** I understand that the wages of my sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life. I can have that eternal life by realizing that I am a sinner, believing that Jesus died on the cross for my sins, asking God to forgive me, and simply telling God that I want to begin a relationship with him.
Day Five: Once I pray and ask God to forgive me of my sins and come into my life, the Holy Spirit comes into my heart and intercedes, teaches, and comforts me.

Day Six: A New Beginning!

Dear God,
A New Beginning! That sounds so refreshing! Please show me what I need to do so I can have a fresh start. Maybe going on these Journeys and reading the Bible will help me understand what I need to do.

Prayer Power
Pray that God will speak to you and guide you in your New Beginning.

My Journey Journal
Write you thoughts regarding this Journey.

Dear God,
The past is gone. The future is not in sight. I need to live each day as if it is my last. This will be part of my New Beginning.

Psalm 40:3a
He put a new song in my mouth, a hymn of praise to our God.

Ezekiel 18:31
Rid yourselves of all the offenses you have committed, and get a new heart and a new spirit.
Dear God,

An New Beginning begins with a new heart. I need to allow your Spirit to speak to me, and teach me what I need to do to make my Inside new and fresh. I believe it begins with my desire to put you first in my life. I need to make you Lord of my life, that is where a New Beginning begins. This is truly what needs to happen to begin. A new beginning begins with you.

**Ephesians 4:22-24**

You were taught, with regard to your former way of life, to put off your old self, which is being corrupted by its deceitful desires; to be made new in the attitude of your minds; and to put on the new self, created to be like God in true righteousness and holiness.

Dear God,

I do not know how to put off the old self, and put on the new self; but as I desire to know more about you, I am sure you will help me understand. How I can know more about you?

**Speaking to God**

**Matthew 6:6**

But when you pray, go into your room, close the door and pray to your Father, who is unseen. Then your Father, who sees what is done in secret, will reward you.

Dear God,

I need to go into my LISTENING Room, and spend time speaking to you through prayer.
Listening to God

Psalm 119:11
I have hidden your word in my heart, that I might not sin against you.

†2 Timothy 3:16†

Dear God,

If I want to understand how my Inside should be, I need to LISTEN to you through your words in the Bible. Your words will help me learn how to keep from sinning and to live a life that pleases you.

Gathering together with other saints

Psalm 149:1
Praise the LORD. Sing to the LORD a new song, his praise in the assembly of the saints.

†Acts 2:44†

Dear God,

What is the assembly of the saints? Does this mean church? Does it help me to be with others who believe in you so that we can praise you together? I imagine if I do this, I will learn from others how you can change me from the Inside through the Outside. It sounds logical that doing this would help me to learn and grow with others. God, help me to do all of these things.

Psalm 121:2
My help comes from the LORD, the Maker of heaven and earth.

†Psalm 121†
Prayer Power
Thank God for all he has spoken to you about. Pray that he will continue the Journey of change in your life.

My Journey Journal
Write about the most important thing you discovered on your Journey.

God Speaking To Us Through Music
Meditate on the words of your favorite Christian song.
Does that sound as good to you as it does to me? A fresh start feels like the beginning of a New Year. You feel motivated to make changes in your life.

This is what we are doing in our Inside Makeover. We are starting fresh in our relationship with God.

If you would like to confirm what we learned in this Journey, click here:

If you would like to hear about Robin’s Inside story from her book, click here:
Psalm 111:10

The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom; all who follow his precepts have good understanding. To him belongs eternal praise.
Luke 21:18

But not a hair of your head will perish.
As he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became as bright as a flash of lightning.

Luke 9:29
James 1:5

If any of you lacks wisdom, he should ask God, who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to him.
Luke 24:45

Then he opened their minds so they could understand the Scriptures.
Consider it pure joy, my brothers, whenever you face trials of many kinds, because you know that the testing of your faith develops perseverance.

She had a sister called Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet listening to what he said. But Martha was distracted by all the preparations that had to be made. She came to him and asked, "Lord, don’t you care that my sister has left me to do the work by myself? Tell her to help me!" "Martha, Martha," the Lord answered, "you are worried and upset about many things, but only one thing is needed. Mary has chosen what is better, and it will not be taken away from her."
1 Chronicles 29:10-13

David praised the LORD in the presence of the whole assembly, saying,

"Praise be to you, O LORD, God of our father Israel, from everlasting to everlasting.

Yours, O LORD, is the greatness and the power and the glory and the majesty and the splendor, for everything in heaven and earth is yours.

Yours, O LORD, is the kingdom; you are exalted as head over all. Wealth and honor come from you; you are the ruler of all things. In your hands are strength and power to exalt and give strength to all. Now, our God, we give you thanks, and praise your glorious name."
James 1:26

If anyone considers himself religious and yet does not keep a tight rein on his tongue, he deceives himself and his religion is worthless.
Psalm 33:1

Sing joyfully to the LORD, you righteous; it is fitting for the upright to praise him.
Proverbs 15:4

The tongue that brings healing is a tree of life, but a deceitful tongue crushes the spirit.
John 13:1-2a

It was just before the Passover Feast. Jesus knew that the time had come for him to leave this world and go to the Father. Having loved his own who were in the world, He now showed them the full extent of his love.
Deuteronomy 4:7

What other nation is so great as to have their gods near them the way the LORD our God is near us whenever we pray to him?
1 Chronicles 28:9

And you, my son Solomon, acknowledge the God of your father, and serve him with wholehearted devotion and with a willing mind, for the LORD searches every heart and understands every motive behind the thoughts. If you seek him, he will be found by you; but if you forsake him, he will reject you forever.
2 Corinthians 5:17

Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; the old has gone, the new has come!
Now there was a man of the Pharisees named Nicodemus, a member of the Jewish ruling council. He came to Jesus at night and said, "Rabbi, we know you are a teacher who has come from God. For no one could perform the miraculous signs you are doing if God were not with him."

In reply Jesus declared, "I tell you the truth, no one can see the kingdom of God unless he is born again."

"How can a man be born when he is old?" Nicodemus asked. "Surely he cannot enter a second time into his mother's womb to be born!"

Jesus answered, "I tell you the truth, no one can enter the kingdom of God unless he is born of water and the Spirit. You should not be surprised at my saying. You must be born again. The wind blows wherever it pleases. You hear its sound, but you cannot tell where it comes from or where it is going. So it is with everyone born of the Spirit."

"How can this be?" Nicodemus asked.

"You are Israel's teacher," said Jesus, "and do you not understand these things? I tell you the truth, we speak of what we know, and we testify to what we have seen, but still you people do not accept our testimony. I have spoken to you of earthly things and you do not believe; how then will you believe if I speak of heavenly things? No one has ever gone into heaven except the one who came from heaven—the Son of Man. Just as Moses lifted up the snake in the desert, so the Son of Man must be lifted up, that everyone who believes in him may have eternal life. For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him. Whoever believes in him is not condemned, but whoever does not believe stands condemned already because he has not believed in the name of God's one and only Son. This is the verdict: Light has come into the world, but men loved darkness instead of light because their deeds were evil. Everyone who does evil hates the light, and will not come into the light for fear that his deeds will be exposed. But whoever lives by the truth comes into the light, so that it may be seen plainly that what he has done has been done through God."
But God demonstrates his own love for us in this:

While we were still sinners Christ died for us.
Matthew 7:7

Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. For everyone who asks receives; he who seeks finds and to him who knocks, the door will be opened.
Romans 4:7-8

Blessed are they whose transgressions are forgiven, whose sins are covered. Blessed is the man whose sin the Lord will never count against him.
Joel 2:32a

And everyone who calls upon the name of the Lord will be saved…
John 3:36

Whoever believes in the Son has eternal life, but whoever rejects the Son will not see life, for God’s wrath remains on him.
Joshua 24:15b

…But as for me and my household, we will serve the LORD.
Matthew 5:23-24

Therefore, if you are offering your gift at the altar and there remember that your brother has something against you, leave your gift there in front of the altar. First go and be reconciled to your brother; then come and offer your gift.
Luke 16:13

No servant can serve two masters. Either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve both God and Money.
Matthew 7:1-5

Do not judge, or you too will be judged. For in the same way you judge others, you will be judged, and with the measure you use, it will be measured to you.

Why do you look at the speck of sawdust in your brother's eye and pay no attention to the plank in your own eye? How can you say to your brother, 'Let me take the speck out of your eye,' when all the time there is a plank in your own eye? You hypocrite, first take the plank out of your own eye, and then you will see clearly to remove the speck from your brother's eye.
Matthew 16:24

Then Jesus said to his disciples, "If anyone would come after me, he must deny himself and take up his cross and follow me."
Matthew 18:15-16

If your brother sins against you, go and show him his fault, just between the two of you. If he listens to you, you have won your brother over. But if he will not listen, take one or two others along, so that every matter may be established by the testimony of two or three witnesses.
So I say, live by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the sinful nature. For the sinful nature desires what is contrary to the Spirit, and the Spirit what is contrary to the sinful nature.

They are in conflict with each other, so that you do not do what you want.
James 3:14-16

But if you harbor bitter envy and selfish ambition in your hearts, do not boast about it or deny the truth. Such "wisdom" does not come down from heaven but is earthly, unspiritual, of the devil. For where you have envy and selfish ambition, there you find disorder and every evil practice.
Mark 11:25

And when you stand praying, if you hold anything against anyone, forgive him, so that your Father in heaven may forgive you your sins.
James 1:26

If anyone considers himself religious and yet does not keep a tight rein on his tongue, he deceives himself and his religion is worthless.
2 Peter 2:19

They promise them freedom, while they themselves are slaves of depravity—for a man is a slave to whatever has mastered him.

WHAT ARE YOU A SLAVE TO?

WORK

DRUGS

ALCOHOL

FOOD

SMOKING
1 Corinthians 6:9-11

Do you not know that the wicked will not inherit the kingdom of God? Do not be deceived: Neither the sexually immoral nor idolaters nor adulterers nor male prostitutes nor homosexual offenders nor thieves nor the greedy nor drunkards nor slanders nor swindlers will inherit the kingdom of God. And that is what some of you were. But you were washed, you were sanctified, you were justified in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ and by the Spirit of our God.
1 John 3:16-18

This is how we know what love is: Jesus Christ laid down his life for us. And we ought to lay down our lives for our brothers. If anyone has material possessions and sees his brother in need but has no pity on him, how can the love of God be in him? Dear children, let us not love with words or tongue but with actions and in truth.
James 1:27b

…keep oneself from being polluted by the world.
Luke 14:11

For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, and he who humbles himself will be exalted.
James 1:26

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John 3:36

Whoever believes in the Son has eternal life, but whoever rejects the Son will not see life, for God’s wrath remains on him.
Psalm 95:3-7

For the LORD is the great God, the great King above all gods. In his hand are the depths of the earth, and the mountain peaks belong to him. The sea is his, for he made it, and his hands formed the dry land. Come, let us bow down in worship, let us kneel before the Lord our Maker; for he is our God and we are the people of his pasture, the flock under his care.
1 Peter 4:11

If anyone speaks, he should do it as one speaking the very words of God. If anyone serves, he should do it with the strength God provides, so that in all things God may be praised through Jesus Christ.
Proverbs 8:10

Choose my instruction instead of silver, knowledge rather than choice gold.
Proverbs 16:18
Pride goes before destruction, a haughty spirit before a fall.
Proverbs 16:20

Whoever gives heed to instruction prospers, and blessed is he who trusts in the Lord.
Ezekiel 36:26-27

I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit in you; I will remove from you your heart of stone and give you a heart of flesh. And I will put my Spirit in you and move you to follow my decrees and be careful to keep my laws.
2 Corinthians 5:17

Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; the old has gone, the new has come!
1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

Be joyful always; pray continually; give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God’s will for you in Christ Jesus.
2 Timothy 3:16

All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness.
Acts 2:44

All the believers were together and had everything in common.
Psalm 121

I lift up my eyes to the hills—where does my help come from? My help comes from the Lord, the Maker of heaven and earth.

He will not let your foot slip—he who watches over you will not slumber; indeed, he who watches over Israel will neither slumber nor sleep.

The Lord watches over you—the Lord is your shade at your right hand; the sun will not harm you by day, nor the moon by night. The Lord will keep you from all harm—he will watch over your life; the Lord will watch over your coming and going both now and forevermore.
But when you pray,

go into your room,

and pray to your Father
who is unseen.

Then your Father,
who sees what is done in secret,
will reward you.
Psalm 66:18

If I had cherished sin in my heart, the Lord would not have listened.
1 Peter 1:22

Now that you have purified yourselves by obeying the truth so that you have sincere love for your brothers, love one another deeply, from the heart.
GRACE
MERCY, PARDON, COMPASSION
God’s free and undeserved favor to and love for mankind
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Prayer Power

Do you want to call upon the Lord and be saved? Do you desire to begin a relationship with God?
It begins with a simple CHOICE: Ask him.
It is so simple. You can pray something like this.

Dear God,

I believe that you love me so much that you sent Jesus to die for my sins.
I confess my sins to you. Thank you for forgiving me.
I desire to receive the gift of eternal life from you.
I want you to be in my heart and life. Amen!

John 5:24
I tell you the truth, whoever hears my word and believes him who sent me has eternal life
and will not be condemned; he has crossed over from death to life.

Dear God,

I heard the truth, and I BELIEVE it. I made a choice to begin a relationship with you. I can BELIEVE that I will have eternal life in heaven. Thank you dear God, for your great love for me.

My Journey Journal
Tell God how you are thinking at this moment.

Prayer Power
Talk with God about your Journey today.

Power in Music
Meditate on the words of your favorite Christian song.

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1 Peter 4:7b
Therefore be clear minded and self-controlled so that you can pray.
Prayer Power

QUESTION: Do you wonder, “How can I have a relationship with God?"

ANSWER: All you need to do is ask Him.

Romans 3:23
For ALL have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.
EVERYONE SINS

1 John 1:8-9
If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

IF WE CONFESS OUR SINS, GOD WILL FORGIVE US, NO MATTER WHAT WE HAVE DONE.

Romans 6:23
The wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.

WE DESERVE TO DIE FOR OUR SINS, BUT GOD WILL GIVE US ETERNAL LIFE THROUGH HIS SON JESUS. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BELIEVE IN GOD’S GIFT OF ETERNAL LIFE AND BEGIN A RELATIONSHIP WITH HIM, READ THE FOLLOWING PRAYER.

Dear God,

I would like to begin a relationship with You. I know I am a sinner and the Bible tells me that You will forgive my sins, no matter what they are. Please forgive me of my sins and then help me to turn from them. I want You to come into my heart.

Dear God,

I have heard the truth and I BELIEVE.

Power in Music

Click on the icon to play the music. Meditate on the words of the song.
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Galatians 4:6-7

Because you are sons, God sent the Spirit of his son into our hearts, the Spirit who calls out,  

“Abba, Father”.  

So you are not longer a slave, but a son; and since you are a son, God has made you also an heir.
1 John 4:13-16

We know that we live in him and he in us, because he has given us of his Spirit. And we have seen and testify that the Father has sent his Son to be the Savior of the world. If anyone acknowledges that Jesus is the Son of God, God lives in him and he in God. And so we know and rely on the love God has for us.
But when he, the Spirit of truth, comes, he will guide you into all truth. He will not speak on his own; he will speak only what he hears, and he will tell you what is yet to come.
2 Corinthians 1:21b-22

He anointed us, set his seal of ownership on us, and put his Spirit in our hearts as a deposit, guaranteeing what is to come.
Psalm 95:1-2

Come, let us sing for joy to the LORD; let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation. Let us come before him with thanksgiving and extol him with music and song.
Isaiah 59:2

But your iniquities have separated you from your God, your sins have hidden his face from you, so that he will not hear.
My LISTENING Room

Open the door to your LISTENING Room
Matthew 6:6

But when you pray,

go into your room,

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I grew up in a home where there was love, for which I thank the Lord. We had our problems, but the Lord carried us through them. I am sure I did not realize at the time just how much the Lord was taking care of us.

My dad was an alcoholic, but when he was not drinking you could not ask for a better father. My mother put up with so much from my father, yet you could always see (when he was not drinking) just how much they loved each other.

One incident in particular marked my life forever. I remember asking my mom, “How can you take so much and yet be so strong and still show Dad so much love?”

She said, “It is only because of the Lord. He gives me the strength.” This made a tremendous impression on my life. I realized there is a God we can draw strength from and because of him, my life had a stability I could not have otherwise had. This sounded like a loving God, one I would strive to know more about.

When I was about 12 years old I began seriously thinking about heaven and wondering if I would be good enough to go there. We went to Sunday school and church every Sunday. I would hear how I could have the assurance of going to heaven by accepting Jesus Christ as my Savior, but at that age I did not pay much attention in Sunday school.

One summer I went to Bible Camp and the Lord really spoke to my heart through the evangelist. I realized right then and there that I was a sinner. I did plenty of things that did not please God. I wanted to make Jesus Lord of my life. I prayed and asked Jesus to forgive me of my sins and to come into my life. I finally received the assurance about heaven that I had been wanting. I knew I would someday be in heaven with Jesus. I was content knowing that and just went on my merry way, just as I had before I accepted Jesus.

For many years I was content knowing that I had a relationship with God and believed that when I died I would be in heaven. The problem is that I never took the time to build that relationship. Life was too busy and honestly I would read the Bible and not really understand what I was reading.
Then one day I came across a crisis in my life. I had no one to turn to except God. This was the time during my life that I knew I needed God’s help in my life. I made a commitment to spend five minutes reading the Bible. I did my best to follow through with that commitment.

Suddenly I began to realize something. I loved reading the Bible. I understood more about what I was reading. I would actually look forward to my time with God.

I began to think about the fact that a relationship with anyone requires speaking and listening to each other. The same was true with my relationship with God. Once I made that choice to begin speaking and listening to God, my relationship with him began to blossom into something beautiful. This is what this SPIRITUAL Makeover is all about. Learning how to speak and listen to God and thus develop a beautiful relationship with God, the creator of everything.
What are your thoughts about
A New Beginning Journey with God?

Do you have a relationship with God? Do you want one?
Read the following questions.

How can I have a relationship with God?
Answer: All you need to do is ask him.

If you desire to have a relationship with God, read the following verses from the Bible.

Romans 3:23
For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.

Everyone sins.

1 John 1:8-9
If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

If we confess our sins, God will forgive us no matter what it is.

Romans 6:23
For the wages of sin is death,
but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.

We deserve to die for our sins, but God wants to give us the free gift of eternal life through his son Jesus. If you would like to receive that gift of eternal life and begin a relationship with him, read the following Prayer.
Dear God,

I would like to begin a relationship with you. I know that I am a sinner, but the Bible tells me that you will forgive my sins, no matter what they are. Please forgive me of my sins and then help me to turn from them. I want to have a loving relationship with you.

If you prayed this prayer, He’s SPEAKING! Are we LISTENING? Ministry would like to help you build your relationship with God. Please just send us an e-mail and we will contact you.

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In our fast paced society it is hard to STOP and find time for God on a daily basis. We would like to help you on your Journey of building a love relationship with God.

We have discovered that people are motivated to find time to read the Bible when they believe it relates to something they are experiencing in their lives. This is why we have developed our topical Bible Journeys with God. These Journeys will encourage people with different life situations.

Listed below are the topical Journey titles. Each Journey lasts for six days and will take you 10-15 minutes to complete. Written and CD versions are available.

**Spiritual**
- Help, I want to get off this treadmill!
- A New Beginning
- Where do I begin God?
- Power in Prayer

**Physical**
- My Body Needs a MAKEOVER
- Do I REALLY want to give up this CRAVING?
- God I Need Your Strength
- The Key to Life is BALANCE

**Marriage**
- Remember when we first met?
- MARRIAGE Makeover
- Do I have JOY in my life?
- Let’s Begin Again!

**Family**
- What is a FAMILY?
- FAMILY Makeover
- Forgive and Forget the Past
- RELATIONSHIPS

**Financial**
- FINANCIAL Makeover
- My Job is Getting me Down
- I’m Forgiven
- I SURRENDER

**Fun**
- I don’t know how to have fun!
- FUN Makeover

**Single Journeys**
- I’ve Lost Someone I Love
- I’m feeling BLUE today
- I’m in the MINISTRY
- I’m ENGAGED
- I’m SALES

**Dream**
- What should I do with my life?
- DREAMS
Our Theme Song: He’s SPEAKING! Are we LISTENING?
Sung by Stacy Gove

Life is busy, So many things to do,
It’s like I’m on a treadmill, never coming to the end.
And I wonder, if this is the way you want my life to be?

He’s SPEAKING! BUT Are we LISTENING?
Why can’t we find the time for him,
Lord help me find my LISTENING Room, where I can hear you speak to me.
(Last verse) LORD I WANT TO HEAR YOU SPEAK TO ME.

I know that you will help me, as I seek to spend more time with you,
Together we will Journey deep into my heart, to find, your plan for my life, Oh God.
Lead me and guide me, in this world that’s filled with strife,
Plant in my heart a pure desire for you, like I’ve never know before.