

Intimacy with the Creator

Week 1

The Posture of Surrender

Scripture: Luke 22:39–46 (NIV)

“He withdrew about a stone’s throw beyond them, knelt down and prayed, ‘Father, if you are willing, take this cup from me; yet not my will, but yours be done.’ An angel from heaven appeared to him and strengthened him.” (Luke 22:41–43)

1. Surrender Begins With Humility

- Surrender starts when we acknowledge God’s _____.
- Humility positions us to receive God’s _____.
- Kneeling reflects trust in God’s _____.

2. Surrender Aligns Our Will With God’s Will

- God welcomes honest _____.
- Alignment requires releasing persona _____.
- God’s will always produces eternal _____.

3. Surrender Invites Divine Strength

- Strength comes after _____.
- God reinforces those who fully _____.
- Obedience unlocks supernatural _____.

R.A.P. CHALLENGE (Reflect – Act – Pray)

Reflect: What area of my life am I still trying to control?

Act: Kneel in prayer for at least 5 minutes each day this week.

Pray: “Father, not my will—but Yours be done.”