# Adventure with God: Embracing the Journey of Faith



Discover how following Jesus is an exciting journey filled with growth, surprises, and purpose—not just rules to follow.





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#### Introduction

Welcome to an exciting adventure with God! Following Jesus as a teen can sometimes feel like facing a long list of rules or expectations. But the truth is, faith is far more than that—it's a thrilling journey, full of surprises, challenges, and moments of incredible growth. Life with Jesus isn't boring or dull; it's an extraordinary path where every step is an opportunity to learn, serve, love, and become who God created you to be.

Imagine setting out on a journey where the map isn't fully laid out, but you are guided every day by God's love and wisdom. You won't always know what's coming next, but with Jesus, you have a faithful companion, a guide who offers hope and strength, especially when the road is tough. This adventure involves discovering your purpose, growing in trust, and embracing the unknown with courage. Each challenge you face is a chance to deepen your relationship with God and see His hand at work in your life.

In this three-day plan, we will explore what it truly means to follow Jesus with excitement and passion. We will learn how to see growth as a natural part of faith, appreciate God's surprises, and find purpose in everyday moments. Whether you are new to faith or have walked with Jesus for a while, this plan encourages you to take a fresh look at your journey and see it through the eyes of an adventurer—full of possibility and hope. So, get ready to step out with boldness and joy, because following Jesus is the greatest adventure you'll ever have!















#### Your Verse

Jeremiah 29:11 NIV "For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."

#### **Supporting Scriptures**

- Proverbs 3:5-6 "Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight."
- Psalm 32:8 "I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go; I will counsel you with my loving eye on you."







#### Devotional: Trust God as Your Guide on Life's Journey

Starting any adventure can be both exciting and intimidating. As a teen, you're at a unique stage of life with countless decisions ahead. The good news is you're not alone—God already knows your path and has wonderful plans for you. Jeremiah 29:11 is a powerful reminder that God's intentions are good and filled with hope. When you trust God's plan, you don't have to have everything figured out right now.

Trusting God means choosing to believe that even when the road looks uncertain or confusing, He is working behind the scenes for your good. Proverbs 3:5–6 encourages us not to rely on our limited understanding but to acknowledge God in every step. When you do this, He promises to direct your ways, leading you away from harm and into blessing. It's a thrilling partnership—God as the wise guide, and you as the adventurer willing to follow. Sometimes your path might twist or confront you with unexpected turns, but remember Psalm 32:8 where God promises to instruct and counsel you with His loving care.

Today, embrace the excitement of starting this journey with an open heart. Believe that God's plan includes growth, joy, and purpose uniquely designed for you. Trust Him to lead, even when the future looks unclear. Your faith adventure is just beginning!







# Reflect and Apply

What areas of your life feel uncertain or confusing right now? How can trusting God help you in those areas?
In what ways have you seen God guide you in the past, even through difficult times?
How does knowing God has good plans for you change the way you view your future?







What steps can you take today to lean more on God's understanding rather than your own?







## **Journaling Prompts**

	Write about a time when you had to trust God without seeing the whole picture. What did you learn?			
2.	Describe what Jeremiah 29:11 means to you personally.			
3.	List three ways you can remind yourself to trust God each day.			







#### Prayer for Today

**Dear God,** thank You for having a perfect plan for my life. Help me trust You fully, especially when I don't understand what's happening. Give me courage to follow wherever You lead and peace to rest in Your promises. Teach me to listen to Your voice and rely on Your wisdom. Thank You for being with me every step of this adventure. *In Jesus' name, Amen.*  $\bigwedge$ 







# Day 2: F Growing Strong in Faith and Character









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#### Your Verse

2 Peter 3:18 NIV "But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To him be glory both now and forever!"

#### **Supporting Scriptures**

- Ephesians 4:15 "Instead, speaking the truth in love, we will grow to become in every respect the mature body of him who is the Head, that is, Christ."
- Galatians 5:22–23 "But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control."







Day 2: F Growing Strong in Faith and Character

# Devotional: Faith Grows Through Grace and Daily Steps

**Growth is an exciting part of every adventure.** As a follower of Jesus, your faith journey involves growing in grace and knowledge, as 2 Peter 3:18 encourages. This means every day presents new opportunities to learn more about Jesus and become more like Him in character and actions.

Growth doesn't happen overnight—it's a process filled with successes and setbacks. Ephesians 4:15 reminds us that maturity in Christ happens as we speak truth in love and allow God to shape us. This means sometimes we have to be patient with ourselves and others, knowing that God is at work in every detail.

The fruit of the Spirit listed in Galatians 5:22–23 helps us understand what this growth looks like—love, joy, peace, and more. These qualities grow in you as you walk closely with Jesus, and each step of faith helps these fruits become more visible in your life. Remember, growth is part of the adventure, and it shows God's power working in you from the inside out.

Today, commit to embracing growth with excitement and patience. Celebrate progress and rely on God's grace when things feel tough. Your faith adventure is about becoming the person God created you to be—strong, loving, and filled with His Spirit.







Day 2: 🍞 Growing Strong in Faith and Character

## Reflect and Apply

	What areas of your character or faith do you sense God wants you to grow in?
2.	How can you practice patience with yourself and others as you grow?
	Which fruit of the Spirit do you feel is growing strongest in your life right now? Which one needs more attention?
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4.	How do truth and love work together to help you grow closer to Jesus?





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## **Journaling Prompts**

1.	Write about a recent experience where you saw God's grace helping you grow.			
	List the fruits of the Spirit and reflect on how each one shows up in your life.			
3.	Describe a way you can actively seek to grow in your faith this week.			







Day 2: Frowing Strong in Faith and Character

### **Prayer for Today**

**Lord,** thank You for the gift of growth through Your grace. Help me to grow in knowledge and love for Jesus every day. Teach me patience and kindness as I learn and become more like You. Fill me with Your Spirit so that the fruit of love, joy, and peace can shine through me. Guide me on this journey of transformation. *In Jesus' name, Amen.* 

















Day 3: O Living with Purpose and Courage

#### Your Verse

Joshua 1:9 NIV "Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go."

#### **Supporting Scriptures**

- Matthew 28:19–20 "Therefore go and make disciples of all nations... And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."
- Philippians 1:6 "He who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus."







Day 3: O Living with Purpose and Courage

#### Devotional: Step Boldly into God's Calling Every Day

Adventure means stepping into the unknown with courage. God calls you to live with boldness and purpose, trusting that He goes with you. Joshua 1:9 is a powerful reminder that God commands us to be strong and courageous, not because we're perfect, but because He is by our side.

Living with purpose means recognizing that your faith journey has significance. Jesus' commission in Matthew 28:19–20 reminds us that He sends us out to make a difference in the world. You don't have to wait for the "perfect moment"—God equips and accompanies you wherever you go.

Philippians 1:6 reassures us that the work God began in us will continue until it is fully complete. This means your journey has a clear purpose: to become everything God created you to be and to impact others with His love.

Today, choose to live courageously. Face your fears, embrace your calling, and trust that God is working through you. Each step you take boldly in faith is part of an incredible adventure that brings glory to God and joy to your heart.







# Reflect and Apply

1.	What fears or doubts hold you back from living boldly for God?
	How can remembering God's promise to be with you change the way you face challenges?
	What is one way you feel called to make a difference in your community or world?
	How does knowing God will complete His work in you give you confidence today?





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Day 3: O Living with Purpose and Courage

## **Journaling Prompts**

	Write about a time when you needed courage and how you experienced God's presence.
2.	Reflect on what 'living with purpose' means to you personally.
3.	List practical ways you can step out in faith this coming week.







Day 3: O Living with Purpose and Courage

#### Prayer for Today

**Dear God,** thank You for Your promise to be with me always. Help me to be strong and courageous every day as I follow You. Remove my fears and fill me with boldness to live out Your purpose for my life. I trust that You will complete the good work You started in me. Guide my steps and use me to shine Your love. *In Jesus' name, Amen.*







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