# Purpose Renewed: Finding Your Kingdom Assignment After Service



A 7-day Bible study for veterans seeking renewed purpose and God's Kingdom assignment after military retirement.





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#### Introduction

Transitioning from military life to civilian living can feel like stepping into an unknown world. For many veterans, the visible structure, clear mission, and close-knit camaraderie of service are replaced by unfamiliar routines and questions about identity and significance. Yet this season of change isn't only an ending—it's also a profound new beginning.

The Bible speaks deeply to those navigating transitions and seeking renewed purpose. It reminds us that God's call doesn't end with one chapter—it continues, offering a unique Kingdom assignment tailored just for you. *Your skills, discipline, leadership, and experiences have prepared you to serve in new ways, aligned with His divine plan.* 

In this seven-day study, we will explore Scripture passages and reflections centered on reclaiming your purpose as a veteran. Each day offers a path to discovering how God invites you to engage your faith, your gifts, and your heart in the great mission of His Kingdom. Whether you feel uncertain, lost, or eager to embrace your next chapter, these meditations will encourage and equip you to walk confidently in God's purpose.

Embrace this journey with open heart and spirit, trusting that God—the same God who strengthened you in service—is already preparing your next assignment. **This is your time to find meaning, impact, and joy anew.** Let's begin this transformative walk together.







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#### Your Verse

Jeremiah 29:11 - "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 a future and a hope."

#### **Supporting Scriptures**

- Romans 8:28 "And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him."
- Proverbs 3:5-6 "Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding."







#### Devotional: Embracing God's Purpose Beyond Service

Life after military service often brings feelings of uncertainty and loss of direction. The structure and mission that once defined your days may feel gone, leaving a void. But God's Word assures us that He has a plan—a hopeful and prosperous future tailored for each of us.

*Jeremiah 29:11* is a powerful reminder that God's promises are steadfast. Even if your current path seems unclear, God is working behind the scenes, weaving together a future that includes purpose, hope, and peace. This is not a generic, one-size-fits-all purpose; it's a personal, deeply fulfilling Kingdom assignment.

As you reflect on this promise, allow yourself to release any fears about the unknown. Trust that God's plans for you extend beyond the military identity, inviting you into greater service, leadership, and impact in His Kingdom. Be open to what He is calling you to do next.







## Reflect and Apply

	How does knowing that God has a plan for your future affect your feelings about post-service life?
	What fears or uncertainties do you need to surrender to God's trustworthy plan?
	In what new ways might God want to use your skills and experiences for His Kingdom?







## **Journaling Prompts**

1.	Write about your hopes and fears for life after military service.
2.	List ways you sense God might be speaking to you about your future purpose.
3.	Describe moments when you felt God's peace about your next season.







#### Prayer for Today

Lord, I thank You for Your unchanging plans for my life. Help me trust You fully when my future seems uncertain. Guide me to see beyond what I know and embrace the hope and purpose You have prepared. Renew my spirit and prepare my heart for the new assignment You are calling me to. Give me courage to follow Your ways and wisdom to recognize Your leading. In Jesus' name, Amen.









# Day 2: V Strength in Transition









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#### Your Verse

Isaiah 40:31 – "But those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength." They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary."

#### **Supporting Scriptures**

- Philippians 4:13 "I can do all this through him who gives me strength."
- 2 Corinthians 12:9 "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness."







Day 2: V Strength in Transition

#### Devotional: Finding Strength Through God's Grace

**Transitioning from military service can feel physically and emotionally draining.** The routines, roles, and responsibilities shift, often causing weariness. But God promises renewal of strength to those who place their hope in Him.

Isaiah 40:31 paints a vivid picture of soaring on wings like eagles—a symbol of strength and freedom. This strength is not something we muster on our own; it is a supernatural renewal given by God as we hope in Him daily.

*Philippians 4:13* reminds us we can endure and thrive not by our power but through Christ's strength within us. When we are weak and uncertain, God's grace covers us, transforming weakness into powerful testimony.

Today, lean into God's strength in your transition. Ask Him to renew your spirit. Receive His grace as you navigate this new season—strength enough to move forward boldly in your Kingdom purpose.







Day 2: **(**) Strength in Transition

## Reflect and Apply

1.	What areas of your transition feel most draining right now?
	How can you practically hope in the Lord each day to receive renewed strength?
	In what ways does admitting weakness open you to experience God's power?







Day 2: **(**) Strength in Transition

#### **Journaling Prompts**

1.	Describe a time when God renewed your strength in a difficult season.
	Write down specific worries or burdens you want to surrender to God's strength.
3.	List ways you can remind yourself daily to rely on God's grace.







Day 2: **(**) Strength in Transition

#### Prayer for Today

Dear God, I come to You weary and searching for renewed strength. Help me hope in You, trusting that Your power will lift me to soar like eagles. Teach me to rely not on my own might but on Your grace in moments of weakness. Fill me with endurance to run this new race You have set before me. Thank You for being my ever-present help. In Jesus' name, Amen. 💪 😂 🙏









# Day 3: Quidance for New Paths









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#### Your Verse

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."

#### **Supporting Scriptures**

- James 1:5 "If any of you lacks wisdom, you should ask God."
- Psalm 119:105 "Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path."







Day 3: Mig Guidance for New Paths

#### Devotional: Trusting God's Guidance in New Seasons

**After leaving the military, the next steps can be unclear and daunting.** Where do you go? What do you do? God's promise in Psalm 32:8 offers reassurance that He will personally guide you.

This guidance is not generic advice—it is *instruction and counsel marked by God's loving attention.* He is not distant but intimately involved, watching over you, ready to lead you into His perfect plan.

James encourages us to ask God for wisdom, assuring that He gives generously to those who seek. God's Word, described in Psalm 119:105 as a lamp and light, provides clarity amidst confusion.

Take time today to earnestly seek God's direction through prayer, Scripture, and the counsel of fellow believers. Expect divine guidance as He leads you on this new journey.







Day 3: 💓 Guidance for New Paths

## Reflect and Apply

1.	Are you actively asking God for wisdom about your next steps?
2.	How has God's Word provided clarity in past decisions?
3.	Who can you seek out for godly counsel during this transition?







Day 3: 💓 Guidance for New Paths

## **Journaling Prompts**

	Write about a time God gave you clear guidance in a challenging situation.
2.	List questions or decisions you are currently seeking God's wisdom about.
3.	Note Scriptures or promises you want to memorize for guidance.







Day 3: Quidance for New Paths

#### Prayer for Today

Father, thank You for Your loving guidance and counsel. Teach me the way I should go and open my eyes to Your direction. Help me seek Your wisdom earnestly and trust that You will light my path. Surround me with godly advisors who will encourage and support me. May Your Word be my constant guide as I take these new steps. In Jesus' name, Amen. 1







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#### Your Verse

Hebrews 10:24–25 – "Let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together."

#### **Supporting Scriptures**

- Ecclesiastes 4:9 "Two are better than one, because they have a good return for their labor."
- Romans 12:4-5 "We, though many, are one body in Christ."







#### Devotional: Purpose Grows Within Community

Veterans often experience a deep bond of brotherhood and sisterhood in service. Leaving that behind can feel isolating, but God's design for purpose and growth is deeply relational.

Hebrews encourages believers not to give up meeting together but to spur one another on. Purpose is not meant to be lived in isolation—it's cultivated in community.

Just as Ecclesiastes highlights the value of partnership, and Romans reminds us that we are one body with many parts, your Kingdom assignment will likely involve connecting with others for mutual encouragement and service.

Today, consider how to re-engage or deepen relationships in your faith community or veteran groups. Purpose flourishes when shared, and God often speaks through others on our journey.







## Reflect and Apply

1.	How has community supported your journey after service so far?
2.	Are there relationships you feel called to cultivate or rekindle?
3.	How might serving alongside others help you rediscover purpose?







#### **Journaling Prompts**

1.	List people or groups you want to connect with for encouragement.
2.	Write about a time when community strengthened your faith or purpose.
3.	Consider ways you can encourage or support others in your circles.







#### **Prayer for Today**

**Lord, thank You for the gift of community.** Help me find and engage in relationships that encourage love and good deeds. Show me how to be a supportive part of Your body as I grow in purpose. Bring people into my life who will challenge and uplift me. May my service and purpose flourish within these connections. In Jesus' name, Amen.  $\heartsuit$ 

















#### Your Verse

Romans 12:11 – "Never be lacking in zeal, but keep your spiritual fervor, serving the Lord."

#### **Supporting Scriptures**

- Colossians 3:23 "Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord."
- 1 Corinthians 15:58 "Your labor in the Lord is not in vain."







#### Devotional: Serving the Lord with Renewed Zeal

Passion for service can wane during seasons of transition or uncertainty. Yet the Apostle Paul encourages us to maintain zeal and spiritual fervor as we serve the Lord.

Your military service was marked by discipline and commitment — qualities that mirror the heart God desires in His servants. Rekindling that zeal spiritually means redirecting your energy toward Kingdom work.

Colossians teaches us that whatever work we do, it should be wholehearted as unto the Lord. The assurance in 1 Corinthians that our labor in the Lord is never wasted reminds you that your service has eternal significance.

Ask God to ignite your passion anew and to reveal ways your heart and hands can serve in His Kingdom with joy and enthusiasm.







## Reflect and Apply

1.	What has caused your passion for purpose or service to diminish?
2.	How can you cultivate spiritual fervor in your current season?
3.	What specific Kingdom work excites your heart to pursue?







## **Journaling Prompts**

1.	Write about activities or ministries that ignite your spiritual passion.
2.	List habits or disciplines that boost your zeal for serving God.
	Describe how your past service experience can translate to Kingdom impact.







Day 5: \(\begin{aligned}
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#### Prayer for Today

Father, rekindle the fire of passion and zeal within me. Help me serve You wholeheartedly and with joy. Remind me that my efforts in Your Kingdom are never in vain. Guide me to opportunities that align with the gifts and experiences You've given me. Strengthen my spirit to remain fervent and committed. In Jesus' name, Amen.







# Day 6: W Finding Peace Amid Change









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#### Your Verse

Philippians 4:6-7 - "Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds."

#### Supporting Scriptures

- John 14:27 "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you."
- Psalm 46:10 "Be still, and know that I am God."







Day 6: "S Finding Peace Amid Change

#### Devotional: Embracing God's Peace in Transition

**Life changes, including retirement and new seasons, often come with anxiety and unrest.** However, God commands us not to be anxious but to bring our worries to Him in prayer.

Philippians 4:6-7 promises a peace that defies human understanding — a peace that acts as a guard over our hearts and minds. This is the peace Jesus described in John 14:27, a lasting tranquility rooted in His presence.

In times of transition, making space to be still before God—as Psalm 46 invites—can help you sense His calming power. Find rest in the One who holds your future and who offers peace, even when circumstances are uncertain.







Day 6: 😂 Finding Peace Amid Change

## Reflect and Apply

1.	What anxieties tend to surface as you navigate post-service life?
	How can intentional prayer and thanksgiving help you access God's peace?
3.	In what quiet moments have you experienced God's peace recently?







Day 6: 😂 Finding Peace Amid Change

#### **Journaling Prompts**

1.	Write about worries you want to surrender to God today.
2.	Describe a time when God's peace surprised you in a hard situation.
3.	List prayers or scriptures that bring you comfort and peace.







Day 6: "S Finding Peace Amid Change

#### Prayer for Today

**Lord, I bring my anxieties to You and ask for Your peace.** Calm my heart and mind with Your presence. Teach me to be still and trust Your sovereignty over my life. Help me receive Your peace that surpasses all understanding, guarding me in every situation. Thank You for being my refuge in change. In Jesus' name, Amen. 🖏 🙏 💙







# Day 7: XX Stepping Forward in Kingdom Purpose









Day 7: 🗱 Stepping Forward in Kingdom Purpose

#### Your Verse

Ephesians 2:10 – "For we are God's handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do."

#### **Supporting Scriptures**

- Matthew 5:16 "Let your light shine before others."
- Galatians 6:9 "Let us not become weary in doing good."







Day 7: 💸 Stepping Forward in Kingdom Purpose

#### Devotional: Walking Boldly into God's Calling

Your life is a masterpiece created by God with a unique purpose. Ephesians 2:10 reminds us that God has prepared good works for you to do in advance—your Kingdom assignment awaits.

Stepping into this purpose means letting your light shine courageously, as Jesus taught in Matthew. Your experiences, gifts, and passions combined equip you to impact others and glorify God.

Galatians encourages perseverance in doing good, reminding us not to grow weary. Though the path may have challenges, trust that God is faithful to sustain you and to multiply your impact.

Today, embrace the calling God has on your life. Step forward boldly, knowing you are equipped, loved, and purposed for Kingdom service that lasts.







Day 7: 💸 Stepping Forward in Kingdom Purpose

## Reflect and Apply

1.	What good works do you feel God is calling you to pursue now?
2.	How can you let your light shine in practical ways in your community?
3.	What encourages you to persevere even when the journey is hard?







Day 7: 💸 Stepping Forward in Kingdom Purpose

## **Journaling Prompts**

Write about your unique gifts and how God might use them.
List concrete steps you can take to move toward your Kingdom purpose.
Reflect on sources of strength and encouragement to sustain you.







Day 7: 🗱 Stepping Forward in Kingdom Purpose

#### Prayer for Today

Heavenly Father, thank You for creating me with purpose. Help me step forward boldly in the good works You have prepared. Let my life reflect Your light and love to others. Give me perseverance to keep serving You faithfully, even when challenges come. May my service bring glory to You and hope to those around me. In Jesus' name, Amen. 💸 🙏 🖓







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