

*Welcome to Oasis 2024: The Living Word***Psalm 119:10-12 NKJV**

10 With my whole heart I have sought You;  
Oh, let me not wander from Your commandments!  
11 Your word I have hidden in my heart,  
That I might not sin against You.  
12 Blessed are You, O Lord!  
Teach me Your statutes.

This is the Word that directs all of Calvary Chapel Miami Beach this year, and at Oasis we will apply it by daily disciplines that over the year will combine into a wholehearted integration of His Word into our whole being.

We are creating this tool specifically to help us *“Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.”* Whether you are entirely new to daily Bible study or seasoned in this discipline, we pray you will join us in the unified commitment to handling the Word of God on its own terms and internalizing it for our own transformation.

In our daily engagement with the Word of God, each month will focus on a different genre of the Bible, as each to be approached on its own terms, and each week will have a different focus:

**Week 1** will systematically work at memorizing the passage for the month. That is literally how we hide His word in our heart where it transforms us by renewing our minds. *“This will empower you to discern God’s will as you live a beautiful life, satisfying and perfect in his eyes.”*<sup>1</sup>

**Week 2** will train us in Inductive Bible Study, which is a method that helps us slow down and actually read what the Bible says before we interpret it through our own preconceived ideas.

**Week 3** will focus on human stories within each genre to help us connect with the real-life interaction between God and His children and the greater story we are living in.

**Week 4** will help us tune into the voice of God in our own lives using a method called “Immanuel Journaling” adapted from Jim Wilder and Sungshim Loppnow by Bill Gaultiere from [SoulShepherding.org](http://SoulShepherding.org)

**Imagine how a year like this will stabilize us in His Truth!**

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<sup>1</sup> Matthew 22:37

<sup>2</sup> Romans 12:2b TPT

## *Monthly Overview*

Month	Genre	Memory Verses
January	Introduction	John 1:1-2 NKJV
February	The Pentateuch (The Law): Genesis-Deuteronomy	Leviticus 26:12-13 NOG
March	History: Joshua -Esther	Joshua 1:8-8 NIV
April	Wisdom & Poetry: Job-Song of Solomon	Psalm 86:11-12 NIV
May	Major Prophets: Isaiah-Daniel	Daniel 7:14 ASV
June	Minor prophets: Hosea-Malachi	Malachi 3:16 BSB
July	The Gospels: Matthew - John	John 20:30-31 HCSB
August	New Testament History: Acts	Acts 1:8
September	Paul's Letters: Romans - Philemon	2 Corinthians 5:20
October	General Letters: Hebrews - Jude	Hebrews 12:1-2
November	New Testament Prophecy: The Book of Revelation	Revelation 22:12
December	Living Stones Living the Word	1 Peter 2:4-5

### ***Jeremiah 17:7-8 AMP***

*7<sup>th</sup> Blessed [with spiritual security] is the man who believes and trusts in and relies on the LORD and whose hope and confident expectation is the LORD. 8<sup>th</sup> For he will be [nourished] like a tree planted by the waters,*

*That spreads out its roots by the river; And will not fear the heat when it comes; but its leaves will be green and moist. And it will not be anxious and concerned in a year of drought nor stop bearing fruit.*

Let's dive in!  
We are ONE!

*Week 1 Day 1***Memory Verses:****John 1:1-2 NKJV**

*1 In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God,  
and the Word was God.*

*2 He was in the beginning with God.*

- I. Invite the Holy Spirit to make you aware of His presence. Whatever hinders you from embarking on this journey today, press through it.
- II. Read the verse through several times thoughtfully, aloud or in a whisper. This will help you grasp the verse as a whole. Each time you read it, say the reference, the verse, and then the reference again out loud.
- III. Discuss the verse with God in prayer, and ask for His help memorizing Scripture.
- IV. Write **John 1:1-2 NKJV** here:
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- V. Write a prayer to God here:
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- VI. Set a reminder in your phone for two times a day to read **John 1:1-2 NKJV** aloud.

*Week 1 Day 2***Memory Verses:****John 1:1-2 NKJV**

*1 In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God,  
and the Word was God.*

*2 He was in the beginning with God.*

- I. Thank God for inviting you into His Word today. It is a holy endeavor.
- II. Read the verse through several times thoughtfully, aloud or in a whisper. This will help you grasp the verse as a whole. Each time you read it, say the reference, the verse, and then the reference again out loud.
- III. Next, memorize only the first phrase of the verse. Once you can recite the topic, reference and first phrase from memory several times, continue to add each additional phrase, one by one. Consider why each word was selected as you memorize it.
- IV. Write **John 1:1-2 NKJV** here:
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- V. Write a prayer to God here:
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- VI. Use the reminder in your phone for two times a day to recite **John 1:1-2 NKJV** from memory..

*Week 1 Day 3***Memory Verses:****John 1:1-2 NKJV**

*1 In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God,  
and the Word was God.*

*2 He was in the beginning with God.*

- I. Invite the Holy Spirit to make you aware of His presence. He is an eager Teacher.
- II. Read the verse through several times thoughtfully, aloud or in a whisper. This will help you grasp the verse as a whole. Each time you read it, say the reference, the verse, and then the reference again out loud.

- III. Now cover the verse on the top of this page and fill in the blanks below from memory:

**John 1:1-2 NKJV**

*1 In the beginning was \_\_\_\_\_,  
and the Word \_\_\_\_\_,  
and the Word \_\_\_\_\_.*

*2 \_\_\_\_\_ the beginning with God.*

- IV. Try to write the entire portion of **John 1:1-2 NKJV** from memory here:

- V. Write a prayer to God here:

- VI. Use the reminder in your phone for two times a day to recite **John 1:1-2 NKJV** from memory..

## *Week 1 Day 4*

### **Memory Verses:**

#### **John 1:1-2 NKJV**

*1 In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God,  
and the Word was God.*

*2 He was in the beginning with God.*

I. Though much repetition is required in this discipline of storing His Word in our hearts, each day with Him is still new. Pause and be present in His presence.

II. Read the verse through several times thoughtfully, aloud or in a whisper. This will help you grasp the verse as a whole. Each time you read it, say the reference, the verse, and then the reference again out loud.

III. Now cover the verse on the top of this page and fill in the blanks below from memory:

#### **John 1:1-2 NKJV**

*1 In the beginning \_\_\_\_\_,  
and \_\_\_\_\_,  
\_\_\_\_\_ was God.*

*2 He was in the beginning with God.,*

IV. Try to write the entire portion of **John 1:1-2 NKJV** from memory here:

V. Write a prayer to God here:

VI. Use the reminder in your phone for two times a day to recite **John 1:1-2 NKJV** from memory..

*Week 1 Day 5.*

**Memory Verses:**

**John 1:1-2 NKJV**

*1 In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God,  
and the Word was God.*

*2 He was in the beginning with God.*

- I. Hum the worship song that comes to your heart to Him.
- II. Read the verse through several times thoughtfully, aloud or in a whisper. This will help you grasp the verse as a whole. Each time you read it, say the reference, the verse, and then the reference again out loud.
- III. Now cover the verse on the top of this page and fill in the blanks below from memory:

**John 1:1-2 NKJV**

*1 In \_\_\_\_\_,  
\_\_\_\_\_ with God,  
And \_\_\_\_\_ God.  
2 He \_\_\_\_\_ with God.*

- IV. Now write the entire portion of **John 1:1-2 NKJV** from memory here:

- V. Thank God for helping you memorize His Word::

- VI. Use the reminder in your phone for two times a day to thank God for His Word.

*Week 1 Day 6.*

**Memory Verses:**

**John 1:1-2 NKJV**

*1 In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God,  
and the Word was God.*

*2 He was in the beginning with God.*

I. One week under your belt. Inhale God's delight and meditate on **Jeremiah 33:3**.

II. What has He shown you this week?

III. What action does it prompt in you?

IV. Write your gratitude:



*Week 2 Day 1.***Memory Verses:****John 1:1-2 NKJV**

*1 In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God,  
and the Word was God.*

*2 He was in the beginning with God.*

- I. Invite the Holy Spirit to make you aware of His presence and pleasure.
- II. Cover the memory verses above with your hand and recite it from memory.
- III. Read **John 1:1-5** in your Bible.
- IV. Read **John 1:1-5** again, highlighting or underlining every time you see “the Word.”
- V. **Observation:** Write what you learn about the Word in this passage.
  
- VI. **Interpretation:** What is the message these facts communicate?
  
- VII. **Application:** How can you apply this to your life today?
  
- VIII. Write your prayer to God:
  
- IX. Use the reminder in your phone for two times a day to recite **John 1:1-2 NKJV** from memory and thank God for the qualities of His Word you have read about today.

*Week 2 Day 2.***Memory Verses:****John 1:1-2 NKJV**

*1 In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God,  
and the Word was God.*

*2 He was in the beginning with God.*

I. Breathe through the verses above, inhaling lines 1 and 3, and exhaling lines 2 and 4. Continue until you feel yourself at peace in His presence.

II. Cover the memory verses above with your hand and recite it from memory.

III. Read **John 1:6-13** in your Bible, highlighting or underlining every time you see “the Light” and every pronoun referring to Him, like “He,” “Him,” and “His.”

IV. **Observation:** Write what you learn about the Light in this passage.

V. **Interpretation:** What is the message these facts communicate?

VI. **Application:** How can you apply this to your life today?

VII. Write your prayer to God:

VIII. Use the reminder in your phone for two times a day to recite **John 1:1-2 NKJV** from memory and thank God for the qualities of His Word you have read about today.

*Week 2 Day 3.***Memory Verses:****John 1:1-2 NKJV**

*1 In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God,  
and the Word was God.*

*2 He was in the beginning with God.*

- I. Settle into the reality that you are here to handle the everlasting, infallible Word of God.
- II. Cover the memory verses above with your hand and recite it from memory.
- III. Read **John 1:1-34** in your Bible.
- IV. **Observation:** Make a list of of the characters mentioned here and what you learn about them.
  
- V. **Interpretation:** What is the message these facts communicate?
  
- VI. **Application:** How can you apply this to your life today?
  
- VII. Write your prayer to God:
  
- VIII. Use the reminder in your phone for two times a day to recite **John 1:1-2 NKJV** from memory and thank God for what His Word is doing in your life.

*Week 2 Day 4.***Memory Verses:****John 1:1-2 NKJV**

*1 In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God,  
and the Word was God.*

*2 He was in the beginning with God.*

- I. And the Word is with you. Take some time to thank Him for that.
- II. Cover the memory verses above with your hand and recite it from memory.
- III. Read **John 1:1-34** again.
- IV. **Observation:** Make a list of what you learn about Jesus and the world.

Jesus:

The world:

V. **Interpretation:** What is the message these facts communicate?

VI. **Application:** How can you apply this to your life today?

VII. Write your prayer to God:

VIII. Use the reminder in your phone for two times a day to recite **John 1:1-2 NKJV** from memory and thank God for what His Word is doing in your life.

*Week 2 Day 5.***Memory Verses:****John 1:1-2 NKJV**

*1 In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God,  
and the Word was God.*

*2 He was in the beginning with God.*

- I. Lift your face to the sky, let your shoulders drop, and trust Jesus to illuminate you.
- II. Cover the memory verses above with your hand and recite it from memory.
- III. Read **John 1:1-34** again in your Bible.
- IV. **Observation:** Make a list of what you learn about the Light and the darkness.

The Light:

The darkness

V. **Interpretation:** What is the message these facts communicate?

VI. **Application:** How can you apply this to your life today?

VII. Write a prayer for people dear to you who love the darkness

VIII. Use the reminder in your phone for two times a day to recite **John 1:1-2 NKJV** from memory and thank God for what His Word is doing in your life.

*Week 2 Day 6.*

**Memory Verses:**

***John 1:1-2 NKJV***

*1 In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God,  
and the Word was God.*

*2 He was in the beginning with God.*

I. Ahhhh, another week in His Word completed.

II. What has He shown you this week?

III. What action does it prompt in you?

IV. Write your gratitude:

*Week 3 Day 1.***Memory Verses:*****John 1:1-2 NKJV***

*1 In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God,  
and the Word was God.*

*2 He was in the beginning with God.*

- I. Breathe slowly and still your soul in the Presence of God. He is here.
- II. Cover the memory verses above with your hand and recite it from memory.
- III. The biography this month will be of the Word itself. Read **2 Timothy 3:16-17** and **Hebrews 4:12** and list everything you learn:
  
- IV. What characteristic(s) of the Word is most meaningful to you today? Why?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- V. If the Word were a person, how would you describe your relationship with it?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- VI. Use the reminder in your phone for two times a day to recite **John 1:1-2 NKJV** from memory and ask God to show you whatever He wants to about your relationship with His word.

*Week 3 Day 2.***Memory Verses:****John 1:1-2 NKJV**

*1 In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God,  
and the Word was God.*

*2 He was in the beginning with God.*

- I. Breathe slowly and deeply. Release the tension in your body, God is good.
- II. Cover the memory verses above with your hand and recite it from memory.
- III. Read **Psalm 119**. Don't be overwhelmed by the length of the Psalm. Just let it move through you and write what it speaks to your soul:

IV. Thank God for what His Word is doing in you:

V. Use the reminder in your phone for two times a day to recite **John 1:1-2 NKJV** from memory and ask God to show you whatever He wants to about your relationship with His word.



*Week 3 Day 3.***Memory Verses:*****John 1:1-2 NKJV***

*1 In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God,  
and the Word was God.*

*2 He was in the beginning with God.*

- I. Breathe slowly and just be aware that He who spoke the worlds into existence is here with you, eager to have a conversation with you.
- II. Cover the memory verses above with your hand and recite it from memory.
- III. Read ***Isaiah 55*** and describe what you learn about the Word of God and the invitation it offers:
  
- IV. What from most speaks to your soul today?
  
  
- V. Write your response to the invitation:
  
  
  
- VI. Use the reminder in your phone for two times a day to recite ***John 1:1-2 NKJV*** from memory and ask God to show you whatever He wants to about your relationship with His word.

*Week 3 Day 4***Memory Verses:*****John 1:1-2 NKJV***

*1 In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God,  
and the Word was God.*

*2 He was in the beginning with God.*

I. Breathe slowly and let your cares surface so you can hand them to your Father. See His eyes caressing you and see His hands receiving your worries and your trust. Take the time it takes.

II. Cover the memory verses above with your hand and recite it from memory.

III. Read ***Numbers 23:19, Psalm 89:34, Matthew 5:18, and Matthew 24:35***. What do all the Scriptures have in common?

IV. What from most speaks to your soul today?

V. Write your prayer to God here:

VI. Use the reminder in your phone for two times a day to recite ***John 1:1-2 NKJV*** from memory and ask God to show you whatever He wants to about your relationship with His word.

*Week 3 Day 5***Memory Verses:****John 1:1-2 NKJV**

*1 In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God,  
and the Word was God.*

*2 He was in the beginning with God.*

I. Breathe slowly and just accept wholeheartedly that God honors the one who honors His Word. Sense His pleasure in you.

II. Cover the memory verses above with your hand and recite it from memory.

III. Read **Amos 8:11**. Based on what we've studied so far, what do you think it means?

IV. Read **2 Timothy 3:1-5** and **4:1-5** and list what you learn about the attitude to the Word of God in our days:

See why He so cherishes a heart that wants to handle His word well!

V. Write your prayer to God here:

VI. Use the reminder in your phone for two times a day to recite **John 1:1-2 NKJV** from memory and ask God to show you whatever He wants to about your relationship with His word.

*Week 3 Day 6.*

**Memory Verses:**

***John 1:1-2 NKJV***

*1 In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God,  
and the Word was God.*

*2 He was in the beginning with God.*

I. Pray through **Jeremiah 29:12** until your heart rests in His goodness.

II. What has He shown you this week?

III. What action does it prompt in you?

IV. Write your gratitude:

*Week 4 Day 1.***Memory Verses:****John 1:1-2 NKJV**

*1 In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God,  
and the Word was God.*

*2 He was in the beginning with God.*

I. Today introduces a new way of listening to the Author of the universe. Before we dive in, make sure you are present. If your mind is drifting, just call it back to acknowledge the purpose of this time and the presence of the Holy Spirit with you.

II. Cover the memory verses above with your hand and recite it from memory. This is the last week with this portion of Scripture, so be sure its tucked away in your heart.

III. Immanuel Journaling is taught in *Joyful Journey* by Jim Wilder, Anna Kang, John Loppnow, and Sungshim Loppnow. See [LifeModelWorks.org](http://LifeModelWorks.org). Read **Hebrews 1:1-3** and list all the ways God speaks:

IV. Read **John 14:26** and describe the Holy Spirit's role in speaking to us:

V. Read **Job 33:14** and describe ways you have personally perceived His voice:

VI. Now tune in to what in on your own heart today. What worry, preoccupation, or need for His guidance comes to mind?

*"casting all your cares [all your anxieties, all your worries, and all your concerns, once and for all] on Him, for He cares about you [with deepest affection," (1 Peter 5:7 AMP)*

write your two-way prayer letter simply complete each sentence. Don't stress about having perfect hearing; we are simply learning to tune into His still, small voice<sup>3</sup>.

Dear Lord (or other name for God) \_\_\_\_\_ ,  
I need your help with (briefly describe a specific situation of need)...

I appreciate that you (e.g., are emotionally present for me, empowering me, etc.)...

### Write God's Response

Dear \_\_\_\_ (Your Name)\_\_\_\_ ,  
I see you in this situation and notice your physical demeanor of (e.g., being busy, tossing and turning in bed, clenching your jaw, slumping your shoulders, crying)...

I hear what you're saying (out loud and/or in your mind)...

I understand that you're feeling (e.g., angry, afraid, anxious, guilty, sad, alone)...  
I realize this is really big for you because you want...

I'm glad to be with you and I'm proud of you for your (e.g., vulnerability, courage, perseverance, kindness)...

I want to encourage you and help you by (e.g., a Scripture promise)...

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<sup>3</sup> This Immanuel Journaling Worksheet is adapted from Jim Wilder and Sungshim Loppnow by Bill Gaultiere\* ~ [SoulShepherding.org](http://SoulShepherding.org)

*Week 4 Day 2.***Memory Verses:****John 1:1-2 NKJV**

*1 In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God,  
and the Word was God.*

*2 He was in the beginning with God.*

I. Breathe slowly and deeply. Release any tension in your body, God is here with you.

II. Cover the memory verses above with your hand and recite it from memory.

III. Read **Psalm 46:10** and describe what it means to be still and know that He is God:

IV. Read **Isaiah 55:2-3** and describe the invitation to listen to God:

V. Read **Revelation 3:22** and describe what it means to have ears:

VI. As you prepare for your Immanuel journaling, check for where your body or soul holds tension and describe the tension there:

*“This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to his will, he hears us.” (1 John 5:14)* To write your two-way prayer letter simply complete each sentence. Remember that the Living Word loves to communicate with His children<sup>4</sup>.

Dear Lord (or other name for God) \_\_\_\_\_ ,

I need your help with (briefly describe a specific situation of need)...

I appreciate that you (e.g., are emotionally present for me, empowering me, etc.)...

### Write God's Response

Dear \_\_\_\_ (Your Name) \_\_\_\_\_ ,

I see you in this situation and notice your physical demeanor of (e.g., being busy, tossing and turning in bed, clenching your jaw, slumping your shoulders, crying)...

I hear what you're saying (out loud and/or in your mind)...

I understand that you're feeling (e.g., angry, afraid, anxious, guilty, sad, alone)...

I realize this is really big for you because you want...

I'm glad to be with you and I'm proud of you for your (e.g., vulnerability, courage, perseverance, kindness)...

I want to encourage you and help you by (e.g., a Scripture promise)...

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*Week 4 Day 3.*

**Memory Verses:**

**John 1:1-2 NKJV**

*1 In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God,  
and the Word was God.*

*2 He was in the beginning with God.*

- I. Read the familiar verses above and thank God for Giving you His Word.
- II. Cover the memory verses above with your hand and recite them from memory.
- III. Read **John 15:4-6** and in your own words describe abiding:
  
- IV. Read **John 17:21-23** and in your own words describe what it means to be one:
  
- V. Read **Psalms 139:1-6** and in your own words describe His closeness to you:
  
- VI. As His loving heart is searching yours, what does he find there today?

*“Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you.” (James 4:8 ESV)* By now you’re becoming familiar with writing your two-way prayer letter to God. Be aware that He is drawing near to you as you’re drawing near to Him.<sup>5</sup>

Dear Lord (or other name for God) \_\_\_\_\_ ,

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I appreciate that you (e.g., are emotionally present for me, empowering me, etc.)...

### Write God's Response

Dear \_\_\_\_ (Your Name) \_\_\_\_,

I see you in this situation and notice your physical demeanor of (e.g., being busy, tossing and turning in bed, clenching your jaw, slumping your shoulders, crying)...

I hear what you're saying (out loud and/or in your mind)...

I understand that you're feeling (e.g., angry, afraid, anxious, guilty, sad, alone)...

I realize this is really big for you because you want...

I'm glad to be with you and I'm proud of you for your (e.g., vulnerability, courage, perseverance, kindness)...

I want to encourage you and help you by (e.g., a Scripture promise)...

*Week 4 Day 4.***Memory Verses:****John 1:1-2 NKJV**

*1 In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God,  
and the Word was God.*

*2 He was in the beginning with God.*

I. Settle yourself into the wonderful reality that your best friend is with you, eager to commune with you today-

II. Cover the memory verses above with your hand and recite them to Him.

III. Read **Exodus 33:11** and describe how one speaks to a friend:

IV. Read **John 15:15** and describe what it means to be a friend of Jesus:

V. Read **Psalms 25:14** and describe what it means to you:

What do you want to confide to your Friend today?

*“Let us then with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.” ( [Hebrews 4:16 ESV](#) ) By now, you know what to do<sup>6</sup>.*

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I appreciate that you (e.g., are emotionally present for me, empowering me, etc.)...

### Write God's Response

Dear \_\_\_\_ (Your Name) \_\_\_\_ ,

I see you in this situation and notice your physical demeanor of (e.g., being busy, tossing and turning in bed, clenching your jaw, slumping your shoulders, crying)...

I hear what you're saying (out loud and/or in your mind)...

I understand that you're feeling (e.g., angry, afraid, anxious, guilty, sad, alone)...

I realize this is really big for you because you want...

I'm glad to be with you and I'm proud of you for your (e.g., vulnerability, courage, perseverance, kindness)...

I want to encourage you and help you by (e.g., a Scripture promise)...

*Week 4 Day 5.***Memory Verses:****John 1:1-2 NKJV**

*1 In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God,  
and the Word was God.*

*2 He was in the beginning with God.*

I. Our last day of memorizing the Scripture above. Take time to thank God for what He has taught you this month.

II. For the last time, cover this memory verses above with your hand and recite it from memory.

III. Read **Isaiah 54:5** and describe God's heart towards you:

IV. Read **Ezekiel 16:8-9** and briefly describe how God found you:

V. Read **Revelation 22:17** and describe the longing between Jesus and His Bride:

VI. What are the longings in your own heart today?

*“The king longs for your beauty. He is your Lord. Worship him.” (Psalm 45:11)* In today’s your two-way prayer letter pour out your worship to Him and listen for His response to you<sup>7</sup>.

Dear Lord (or other name for God) \_\_\_\_\_ ,

I love the way You (love me, fight for me...etc)...

I appreciate that You are...

### Write God’s Response

Dear \_\_\_\_ (Your Name)\_\_\_\_ ,

I receive your worship and notice your physical demeanor of (e.g., being busy, tossing and turning in bed, clenching your jaw, slumping your shoulders, crying)...

I hear what you’re saying (out loud and/or in your mind)...

I understand that you’re feeling (e.g., angry, afraid, anxious, guilty, sad, alone)...

I realize this is really big for you because you want...

I’m glad to be with you and I’m proud of you for your (e.g., vulnerability, courage, perseverance, kindness)...

I want to encourage you and help you by (e.g., a Scripture promise)...

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*Week 4 Day 6.*

**Memory Verses:**

**John 1:1-2 NKJV**

*1 In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God,  
and the Word was God.*

*2 He was in the beginning with God.*

I. Pray through **Jeremiah 31:1** until your heart rests in His unwavering affection for you.

II. What has He shown you this week?

III. What action does it prompt in you?

IV. Write your gratitude: