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Freedom!

Week 2—Freedom in the Present

Day 9—August 12, 2019

Freedom in Prayer

I write these things to you who believe in the name of God's Son so that you can know that you have eternal life. This is the confidence that we have in our relationship with God: If we ask for anything in agreement with his will, he listens to us.

1 John 5:13-14 (CEB)

Dear Lord, I always wake up with the best of intentions, especially at 6:30 in the morning. I want to give you the first hours of my day but I don't always succeed. I am easily distracted with the laundry, filling the bird feeders, or even deciding what to eat for breakfast. A few hours later, I finally sit with my Bible and notebook.

You remind me that your love for me is so faithful and gracious. I am free to be in prayer throughout the day. I have confidence that my words are important to you. No matter if I am in the car talking about my worries, or standing in the grocery line wishing that it would move quicker. You always listen to my heart.

As I go about my work, continue to slow me down so I may hear your voice. "If we ask for anything in agreement with his will, he listens to us." I want to know your perfect will. Show me the way so that I may truly be the hands and feet of Christ. Lord, thank you for being my best friend today.

Selah and Amen.

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