

ACCEPTING MY PURPOSE

7 Areas of Surrender

Area #1--Timing

In accepting our purpose, we must surrender to God's perfect timing. We must accept His timing and know that it will bless our lives when we choose to wait for Him to move.

Lord Jesus, I surrender to Your perfect will and timing. I keep trying to hold on to _____ and now, I give _____ to You. Bring PEACE.

Area #2--Time

In accepting our purpose, we must surrender our time to the Lord. We must accept that from now on, our time is to be given to God, and we must use it wisely. We must find a beautiful balance of resting and being poured into by God and serving and pouring our gifts into others. And before we say "yes" or "no" to anything, we must pray for His wisdom and direction and for His "yes" or "no". We must accept that He will start opening doors for us to use the gifts He has given us and we have to be willing to walk through them.

Lord Jesus, I surrender my time to you. I have such a hard time saying yes to _____ and no to _____. But I ask for your wisdom. Give me boldness to _____. And give me opportunities to _____. Bring BALANCE.

Area #3--Control

In accepting our purpose, we must surrender to God's sovereignty. We must accept that He is in control. He knows best, and we don't.

Lord Jesus, I surrender to Your control. I keep trying to control _____ and now, I give _____ to You. Bring FREEDOM.

Area #4--Comparison

In accepting our purpose, we must surrender to God's unique purpose for us. We must accept that our purpose is going to be different than someone else's and therefore, our strengths will be

different than someone else's and that's OK. We must embrace our unique gifts and strengths and be confident in how He created us.

Lord Jesus, I surrender to Your unique purpose for me. When I start to compare my life to someone else's, remind me that _____ . Bring CONFIDENCE.

Area #5--Fear

In accepting our purpose, we must surrender our fear to God. We must accept that fear is simply the enemy lying to us to keep us from the calling God has for us. We must be determined to live in faith instead of fear and not let anything stop us!

Lord Jesus, I surrender my fear to you. I especially want to give _____ to you. Remind me _____ . Bring FAITH.

Area #6--Mind

In accepting our purpose, we must surrender our minds to the Lord. We must accept that our minds are a battleground and we must protect it with the Sword of the Spirit...the word of God.

Lord Jesus, I surrender my mind to You. When I feel my mind being under attack, I will protect it with these words _____ . Bring TRUTH.

Area #7--Life

In accepting our purpose, we must surrender our entire lives to God. We must accept that our circumstances will never take away our purpose and that no matter what happens, God's purpose for us will prevail! When every aspect of our lives is given to God, we will find His specific purpose for us will always shine through in all we do. And no matter what life brings our way, we can always serve our greatest purpose to love God, to love ourselves, and to love others.

Lord Jesus, I surrender my entire life to you. I love you. I trust you with _____. I accept Your _____. I receive Your _____. I thank you for _____. Bring PURPOSE.