

DAY 4 – *Fervent in Spirit, Serving the Lord*

SCRIPTURE TO READ:

Romans 12:11

(Optional Additional Reading: Colossians 3:23–24; 2 Timothy 1:6–7)

THINK IT THROUGH:

Spiritual health doesn't just serve—it serves with passion. Paul calls believers to be “fervent in spirit,” meaning boiling over with zeal for God. It's the image of heat that never cools because the fire comes from within, not from circumstances. True spiritual fervor isn't emotional hype—it's sustained devotion. It's what happens when surrender fuels your service. When your heart belongs fully to God, your hands follow willingly. This isn't about personality or pace; it's about posture—a spirit that stays alive to God, even when life feels heavy. A surrendered man doesn't burn out; he burns bright, because the flame comes from the Holy Spirit.

PUT IT INTO PRACTICE:

Pause today and take inventory of what stirs your spirit for God. What renews your fire for Him—Scripture, worship, prayer, serving others? Write down two practices that help you stay “fervent in spirit.” Then make a plan to prioritize one of them this week. Protect the things that keep your fire alive.

PRAYER FOR TODAY:

“Lord, keep my spirit alive to You. Fan into flame the passion I've let grow cold. Help me to serve You with joy, not out of duty, but from the overflow of a surrendered heart.” Amen.

GO FURTHER

Reach out to someone whose zeal for God encourages you. Ask how they stay spiritually renewed, and let their story inspire your own.



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