

DAY 2 – *The Mercy Behind Surrender*

SCRIPTURE TO READ:

Romans 12:1 (NKJV)

“I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God, which is your reasonable service.”

(Optional Additional Reading: Romans 5:8; Lamentations 3:22–23)

THINK IT THROUGH:

Paul doesn't root surrender in guilt or fear but in mercy. He says, “by the mercies of God.” We don't climb onto the altar to pay God back—we surrender because He has already poured out grace upon grace. In Christ, He loved us while we were still sinners. His mercies are new every morning. Surrender is simply the reasonable response to a God who has held nothing back from us.

PUT IT INTO PRACTICE:

Begin today by thanking God for at least three specific mercies in your life. Write them down or say them out loud. Let gratitude fuel your surrender, remembering that God's call is not a burden but an invitation to live in His love.

PRAYER FOR TODAY:

“Father, thank You for Your endless mercy. Help me respond to Your grace with a willing heart that offers my whole life back to You.”

GO FURTHER

Share one way you've experienced God's mercy recently with a friend or family member as a testimony of His goodness.



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