

# MADE WHOLE: DRIVEN LIFESTYLE

## HOW TO USE THIS DEVOTIONAL?

Each daily engagement is to help you begin your journey to freedom from feelings of helplessness and brokenness to living with hope and expectation for Wholeness.

There are three components to each day of the devotional. You are not prescribed to a time expectation. What you might realise is that the more you invest in thought, openness and truthfulness, the the greater will be the return on that investment of time. Note that in some instances you will read that there *is* a time frame. This is for those particularly challenging moments where overspending time could begin to detract from the process. The 3 components are built upon the acronym WIN - this is to reinforce what Jesus has made possible in seeing more wins than losses as you discover more of his thoughts about you!

## WORD

*Bible verses to focus thought*

## INTROSPECTION

*Personal reflection or question that requires an open contribution from you*

## NEXT MOVE

*The response required to take forward steps wisely and purposefully, like crossing a river over stepping stones - taking firm steps is necessary.*

## DAY 1

### WORD

*Matt 6:19-34  
Luke 4:5-6  
1 John 2:15-17  
1 Tim 6:6-10*

### INTROSPECTION

*What is it that you really love about the world God has created? How do you bring glory to God for this? Consider the value you place on him compared with the things of the world and note anything that stands out to you.*

### NEXT MOVE

*Talk to God about these observations and surrender anything to him that you see could come into conflict with his desire for you.*

### NOTES

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## DAY 2

### WORD

Luke 12:15  
John 1:16  
Romans 8:31-32  
Ephesians 1:2-3, 11; 2:4-10;

### NEXT MOVE

Where are there spaces of emptiness in you? Invite God to fill these gaps with his presence on awareness of his purposes.

### INTROSPECTION

Your value has been established in God's measure of you and not in the possessions to be owned or the statuses to attain. This liberates us from need for performance and approval, from a spirit of entitlement as we live from the perspective of God on who we are.

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## DAY 3

### WORD

Romans 8:14;  
Philippians 2:13;  
Galatians 5:16; 22-23;  
Ephesians 5:15-18

### NEXT MOVE

Pray "Come, Holy Spirit." And wait. See what he does. Invitation is simple and opens the doorway of expectation in our hearts.

### INTROSPECTION

When was the first time you realised God's spirit is real and desires to fill you? When was the last time you asked him to fill you again with thoughts which are from above and not below? This is one way that he works in us to bring out the treasure he created within.

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## DAY 4

### WORD

John 8:32  
Romans 8:1-17  
2 Timothy 1:7

### INTROSPECTION

*What have you experienced during the last week that can be identified as a distraction from the things God has worked through you? How can you make sure that that doesn't take away if it happens again?*

### NEXT MOVE

*Think of a person you trust and can ask to help check in with you on one of these things and who will also pray for you, that you will always focus on what is true, right and honourable.*

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## DAY 5

### WORD

Luke 15:1-7  
Acts 26:18  
2 Corinthians 4:4

### INTROSPECTION

*The value God places on human life is critical to our own measurements of worth. It is not enough for the good of our hearts to think only materially, professionally and finitely. As Jesus gave up himself to redeem humanity, giving ourselves to first is our redemption of self.*

### NEXT MOVE

*Pray in a quiet place: Jesus, I again commit myself to you and invite you to shape and reshape my thinking so that I see and recognise your plans of value and worth in this world through my life. Come, Holy Spirit. Amen.*

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## DAY 6

### WORD

John 10:10  
2 Corinthians 5:7  
Hebrews 11:8

### INTROSPECTION

*Faith. What does this look like to you? If you want life more abundantly, then all it takes is asking Jesus. This doesn't depend on how easy or difficult life is at the moment. He wants to fulfil his promises and is generous to do so.*

### NEXT MOVE

*Write all the things you consider good and abundant in your life already. Give gratitude to God. Thank him that as you ask for certain things he knows what you need right now and trust these things to him.*

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