



PURSUING
追求 **与神亲密** 的关系
INTIMACY WITH GOD

1 亲密关系
Intimacy

2 成熟生命
Maturity

3 合而为一
Unity

4 复兴荣耀
Glory

就是
现在!
THE TIME IS
NOW!

**神啊，你是我的神，我要切切的寻求你，
在乾旱疲乏无水之地，我渴想你；我的心切慕你。
我在圣所中曾如此瞻仰你，为要见你的能力和你的荣耀。**

**○ God, You are my God; Early will I seek You; My soul thirsts for You;
My flesh longs for You In a dry and thirsty land Where there is no water.
So I have looked for You in the sanctuary, To see Your power and Your glory.**

Ps 诗 63:1-2

**神啊，我的心切慕你，如鹿切慕溪水。
我的心渴想神，就是永生神；我几时得朝见神呢？**

**As the deer pants for the water brooks, So pants my soul for You, ○ God.
My soul thirsts for God, for the living God.
When shall I come and appear before God?**

Ps 诗 42:1-2

章伯斯写到 Oswald Chambers wrote,

“一个人花时间与耶稣亲近，是祂无比喜悦的事。圣经中也告诉我们，我们与耶稣的关系有多亲密，显现于我们的生命所结的果子。”

“It is a joy to Jesus when a person takes time to walk more intimately with Him. The bearing of fruit is always shown in Scripture to be a visible result of an intimate relationship with Jesus Christ”

(My Utmost for His Highest, January 7)

诗人写到 The Psalmist wrote,

“我的心渴想神，就是永生神...”

“My soul thirsts for God, for the living God,” (Psa 诗 42:2)

在那亲密之处，宁静的交接，涌流出炙热的热忱，能力与命定，足以震动改变整个世界。

These men experienced what few know today - from that place of intimacy & quiet communion flowed great passion, power, and purpose, changing our world forevermore.

亲密
INTIMACY

—
顺从
OBEDIENCE

—
荣耀
GLORY

A. 竭力追求 **P**ASSIONATE PURSUIT

你们寻求我，若 **专心寻求** 我，就必寻见。 Jer 耶 29:13
You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart.

与神亲密 不是一个机遇，而 **是一个选择**
Intimacy with **God** happens not by chance but **by choice**.

我们 **需要竭力追求神**，

把生命里 **一切拦阻我们与神的关系** 的东西都去掉 -

无论是好的还是不好的 - 因为我们的“好”有时会成为“最好”的仇敌。

It demands that we pursue God passionately, removing from our lives that which hinders our relationship with Him--the good as well as the bad--for the "good" sometimes becomes the enemy of the "best."

A. 竭力追求 PASSIONATE PURSUIT

1. 祷告一颗追求神的心 HEART

Pray for a heart to pursue God passionately

“如果我们不渴求神，我们一定要祷告对祂更大的渴望”

“If we do not have a hunger for God, we must PRAY FOR A HUNGER FOR HIM.”

- Jenny Buckman, a pastor's wife from Virginia.

2. 一个简单却满有能力的祷告 - “吸引我” PRAY

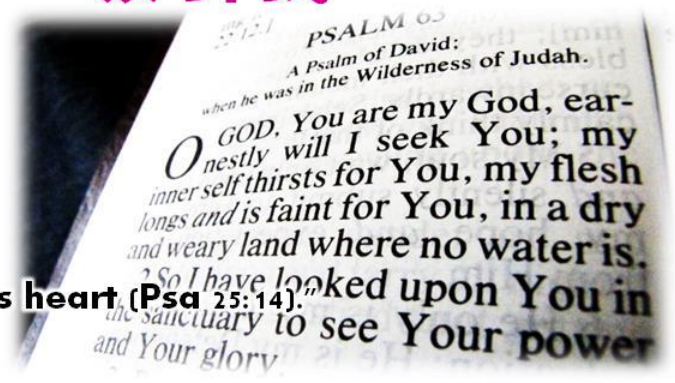
A simple but powerful prayer to pray is 'DRAW ME.'

我恳求王带我进入内室 (歌 1:4)

愿我成为祂可以指示自己的约的人 (诗 25:14)

I pray for the King to bring me into His chambers (Son 1:4)

that I would be one with whom He can share the secrets of His heart (Psa 25:14).



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3. 自律的生活-使我们更亲近神 **D**ISCIPLINE

We draw near to God through a **DISCIPLINED LIFE**.

内心-默想, 祷告, 禁食和读经; **Inward - meditation, prayer, fasting, and study;**
外在-单纯, 独处, 降服和服事; **Outward - simplicity, solitude, submission, and service;**
全体-宣告, 敬拜, 指引和欢庆 **Corporate - confession, worship, guidance, and celebration**

4. 不间断的祷告-不住的祷告 **C**ONSISTENCY

Consistent Prayer - "Pray without ceasing" (1Th 帖前 5:17)

与神亲密需要 we 不间断的祷告, 为着神多方面的荣美-赞美, 敬拜, 祈求, 代求, 认罪和感恩。让祷告成为我们爱的表现, 带领我们进入神的同在, 可以听见祂对我们说话, 可以感受祂的心意。 **Intimacy with God requires CONSISTENT PRAYER, in all of its multifaceted beauty--praise, worship, petition, intercession, confession, and supplication. Prayer becomes the language of love, ushering us into the presence of God, where we hear His voice and feel His heart.**

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5. 学习安静聆听-聆听神的心意与声音 LISTENING

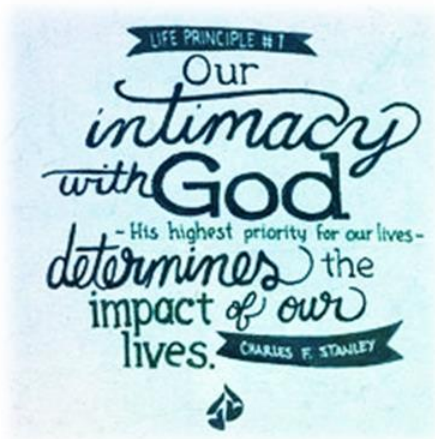
We must enter that place of QUIET LISTENING, where we learn to hear the heart and voice of God.

“很重要的一点是，我们需要**安静等候神**。最好的方式是独处，然后把圣经展开在我们面前。当我们这么做的时候，我们就能与神越来越亲近，开始听见祂对我们的心说话。” - 陶恕《渴慕神》

“It is important that we GET STILL TO WAIT ON GOD. And it is best that we get alone, preferably with our Bible outspread before us. Then if we will we may draw near to God and begin to hear Him speak to us in our hearts” - A.W. Tozer (The Pursuit of God)

神的话语告诉我们祂喜爱的是我们“**内里诚实**” (诗 51:6)，这需要我们以最真实的自己来到祂的面前，卸下一切的伪装，敞开自己的心最脆弱的一面。我们若有一点点不愿意的话都会拦阻我们与神亲近。

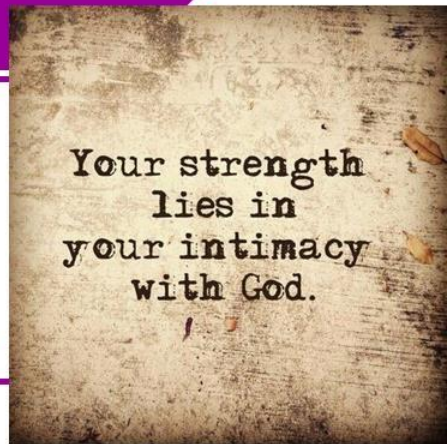
God's Word tells us that He desires "truth in the inner parts" (Psalm 51:6, NIV), requiring that we come to Him with our authentic selves, stripped of pretense, our hearts exposed and vulnerable. Anything less hinders our intimacy with God.



B. 刚强行事 Powerful Works

作恶违背圣约的人，他必用巧言勾引；
惟独认识神的子民必刚强行事。 Dan 但 11:32

Those who do wickedly against the covenant he shall corrupt with flattery;
but the people who know their God shall be strong, and carry out great exploits.



当我们 流连于神的同在，

我们的 渴望 被转化， 祂的渴望 成为 我们心所渴望 的

As we linger in God's presence, our DESIRES are TRANSFORMED; His heart's desires become ours.

在“亲密内室”

我们领受我们的“进军指示”

明白到我们的命定在世界立定前就已为我们预备

在至圣所

我们被“差派出去”

就像旧约里的使徒们被圣灵激励，为基督赢得失丧的灵魂

为什么只有少数人得以进入真正与神亲密的关系？

Why so few enter into true intimacy with God?

因为这需要 **付上代价** *Because it comes with a PRICE:*

1. 需要 **治死肉体的情欲与今生的骄傲**

Death to the flesh and our prideful ways

2. 需要 **委身, 纪律和奉献**

It requires discipline and devotion

把生命里需要付上许多精力却没有相等的永恒的价值的事情筛选剔除。

Culling from our lives those things that bear little fruit for eternity yet demand large chunks of physical and emotional reserves.

3. 需要重新 **安排我们的时间表和优先事项**

Rearranging our schedules and our priorities

以便我们可以投入时间追求上帝，寻求他的计划和我们的生活的目的。

So that we can devote time to the pursuit of God, seeking His plan and purpose for our lives.

I SEEK YOU
with all my heart

DO NOT LET ME STRAY
FROM YOUR COMMANDS

- PSALM 119:10 -

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总结 Conclusion

你是否立定心志 追求与神亲密的关系？

祂邀请你进入祂的内室，在那里祂要坚定你的信心，以祂的爱为印证，然后以圣灵的大能差派我们出去。

Are you putting off nurturing an intimate relationship with God?

He invites you into His inner chamber, where you will be strengthened in your faith, affirmed in His love, and sent out in the power of His Holy Spirit.

你会怎么回应？

How will you respond?