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Questions for Reflection

When do I feel the most separated from God? When do I feel closest to God?

Household Prayer: Morning

Dear God,
today I will be tempted
to wander away from you.
By your Spirit, guide me
in the ways you want me to go.
I may become discouraged
by my own limitations
or by interactions I have with others.
Direct my thoughts and words and actions
so that they reflect your love,
not only for me,
but also for those around me.
Remind me
today and every day
that, in Jesus Christ,
I belong to you.
That will be enough. Amen.

Household Prayer: Evening

Creator of day and night,
as shadows lengthen
let me gather my thoughts
and feelings before you.
Thank you for your presence today.
Watch over me through the night.
Be with those who are wakeful,
either because they are doing their work,
caring for others,
or because of trouble
that will not let them rest.
Grant to all your peace,
and the promise that your kingdom is coming
as surely as the morning light.
In this hope let all your people trust,
giving you thanks and praise
tonight, tomorrow, and forever. Amen.