

## Reflection and Discussion Questions

1. Describe God's will in general and in a few particulars for your life.
2. Is there a particular Bible character whose life of surrender is especially encouraging to you? Who is it and why are they an encouragement?
3. O, LORD, I know the way of man is not in himself; it is not in man who walks to direct his own steps. (Jeremiah 10:23) Can you share an example from your life where this verse was proven true?
4. Unless a grain of wheat falls into the ground and dies, it remains alone; but if it dies, it produces much grain. He who loves his life will lose it, and he who hates his life in this world will keep it for eternal life. (Jn 12:24-45) Think about how the Lord has worked in your life to help you surrender to His will and share your thoughts.
5. The teaching brought out some obstacles that get in the way of our surrender - Fear, Stubbornness, Pride, Selfishness, \_\_\_\_\_. What are some obstacles that get in our way of surrender? Give one example of how the Lord helps us overcome these obstacles.
6. What does this verse mean to you personally? For it is God who works in you both to will and to do for His good pleasure. Phil. 2:13
7. During the last week, how have you seen that God ordered your steps and stops? (Ps. 37:23)
8. How have you been changed and encouraged to grow in the area of surrender to God's will?

I delight to do Your will, O my God, and Your law is within my heart. Psalm 40:8

## Discussion Questions

1. How did the Lord speak to you through the teaching?
2. Did you learn anything new about this topic or see it in a new light?
3. What struggles do you face related to this topic?
4. What is the Lord asking you to do as a result of the teaching?
5. Give an example of how you have grown spiritually related to this topic.
6. How do you guard against the influence of the world regarding this topic?
7. What can we learn from the life of Jesus about this topic?
8. Was there anything you did not understand from the teaching?
9. What Scripture is most helpful to you regarding this topic?
10. What did you learn about the Lord's character from the teaching?
11. How can we pray for you regarding this topic?
12. What encouragement do you have for other women related to the teaching?

*Oh, how I love Your instructions! I think about them all day long. Your commands make me wiser than my enemies, for they are my constant guide. Psalm 119:97-98 NLT*