



Word of God Fellowship

THE VERSION OF *You They Deserve*

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PSALM 78:5-7 (KJV)

5. For he established a testimony in Jacob, and appointed a law in Israel,
which he commanded our fathers, that they should make them known to their children:
6. That the generation to come might know them, even the children which should be born;
who should arise and declare them to their children:
7. That they might set their hope in God, and not forget the works of God,
but keep his commandments.



MAIN THOUGHT

God never intended for His truth, His works, and His promises to stop with one generation. The people connected to your life deserve the healthiest, strongest, most Christ-centered version of you. Your healing, growth, discipline, and obedience are not just for your benefit. They become part of your legacy.

1

THEY DESERVE A HEALED VERSION OF YOU



Psalm 147:3 (KJV)

"He healeth the broken in heart, and bindeth up their wounds."

- **Reflection:** Unhealed wounds often become inherited struggles. God desires to heal what hurt you so you can freely love, lead, and serve others.
- **Ask Yourself:**
 - What areas of my life still need God's healing?
 - Have I allowed past hurts to influence my relationships?

2

THEY DESERVE A DISCIPLINED VERSION OF YOU



1 Corinthians 9:27 (KJV)

"But I keep under my body, and bring it into subjection..."

- **Reflection:** Discipline creates consistency. The people watching your life need to see a faith that is practiced, not just professed.
- **Ask Yourself:**
 - What habits are helping me grow spiritually?
 - What habits are hindering my growth?

3

THEY DESERVE A PRESENT VERSION OF YOU



Deuteronomy 6:6-7 (KJV)

"And these words, which I command thee this day, shall be in thine heart: And thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children..."

- **Reflection:** Influence requires presence. The greatest lessons are often taught through daily interactions and intentional moments.
- **Ask Yourself:**
 - Am I fully present with those God has entrusted to me?
 - What distractions are competing for my attention?

4

THEY DESERVE A GODLY VERSION OF YOU



Joshua 24:15

"But as for me and my house, we will serve the Lord."

- **Reflection:** Your decisions establish direction for your family and those who follow your example. A godly life points others toward Christ.
- **Ask Yourself:**
 - Does my lifestyle reflect my faith?
 - What example am I setting for the next generation?

5

THEY DESERVE THE VERSION OF YOU GOD SAW FROM THE BEGINNING



Jeremiah 1:5

"Before I formed thee in the belly I knew thee..."

- **Reflection:** God saw your purpose before you ever saw your potential. He is calling you to become who He created you to be, not who life tried to make you.
- **Ask Yourself:**
 - Am I living according to God's purpose for my life?
 - What is God calling me to surrender, develop, or pursue?

Notes

WEEKLY CHALLENGE



Pray Daily

"Lord, help me become the version of myself that reflects Your purpose, Your character, and Your heart. Heal me, discipline me, keep me present, make me godly, and help me walk in the purpose You established for me from the beginning." In Jesus' name, Amen."

TAKEAWAY



The next generation doesn't need a perfect version of you. They need a surrendered version of you that is continually becoming who God created you to be.