

...if you seek God, your God, you'll be able to find him if you're serious, looking for him with your whole heart and soul. [Deuteronomy 4:29, The Message]

Dear God,

I'm writing this covenant because I know how important my relationship with you is. I believe your promises – that you want to be in my life in a rich and powerful way – but I also know myself, and how easily I can become distracted and lose focus. This covenant is my plan on how I'm going to maintain my walk with you in the coming year. I'm not making any promises to be perfect, but with your help, I will follow through with these commitments. And the result, I know, will be a year of blessing. This is my plan for personal time with you for Spiritual Growth [i.e., classes, reading, personal devotions, prayer time, etc.]

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\_\_\_\_\_ These are the people (person) that I know will walk with me in this journey. I will allow them (as best I can with your help) access to my inner self, and will encourage them to speak the truth in love to me: \_\_\_\_\_

2. You have instructed us 'not to neglect the assembling of ourselves together' (Hebrews 10:25); so then, this is my plan for making Corporate Worship a priority in my life. I'm trusting that in these sacred times you will bind us together as a congregation, and us with you:

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3. Your word tells us that every believer has a special gift to be utilized in some way for service. In this way the Good News will be made known to our world, and our church will be unified. I'm coming to see that my special gift is

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And, this is where I am going to use it:

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\_\_\_\_\_ 4. The biggest challenge of a consecrated life is resolving our financial stewardship. Jesus talked more about money than any other single subject, so I know it is very important. I also know that these times are difficult for many, yet I want to be faithful, and I want to invest in things that will last forever. With all of that in mind, this is what I plan to give financially to your church in the coming year: \_\_\_\_\_

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5. Here's something that has been on my mind. Would you please help me with:

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[Please seal in the envelope provided, write your address on the front and bring it to the altar for consecration of this Covenant. The Church will store them safely and return them to you unread in about 6 months as a way to measure your progress.]