

# Writing Your Covenant Plan

- Step One:** Pray. Invite God into your heart to guide you in examining each of the Ten Timeless Values. Thank God for his constant presence in your life and for continuing to be at work in the world. Offer to God a confession for the times you may not have responded fully to Him, choosing instead to walk alone as though you could live independent of God. Now, ask God to reveal to you the unique ways you can return to obedience in each of the ten values. Thank God for his message to you.
- Step Two:** Examine each value. Ask yourself: “Where am I now in my practice of this value? Does my life bear out God’s call to obedience?” This may be tough to confront, but it is necessary in order to begin a process of change.
- Step Three:** Next, ask yourself: “Where should I be in the practice of this value?” Very often, people fail in their endeavors because they first fail to describe the goal they desire to reach.
- Step Four:** As you gain a vision of where God would have you be in relationship with each value, ask yourself: “What actions can I take to change my current behavior back toward the path of discipleship?” Consider both short-term and long-term goals. Be careful at this stage. It’s easy to make lofty goals but the purpose of the Covenant Plan is to set a course you can achieve. Make your goals lofty, yet attainable. Record your plans.
- Step Five:** Begin living into them. Keep in mind that changes often come slowly so you might want to select one value to begin with. Let that change become habit, then add another. Over time, you will be living your whole plan.

# My Covenant Plan

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# Church Covenant Plan

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