



**WEEK 3:**

**DAY 6:**

**READ:**

James 1:12: God blesses those who patiently endure trials. Afterward they will receive the crown of life that God has promised to those who love him.

**REFLECT:**

Take some time to reflect on steps you need to take to develop more grit. Maybe the step for you is carving out more time to get closer to God. Maybe you are thinking of walking away from God, from your marriage, kids, family, small group, church...from sobriety...your calling. Pray for whatever God's speaking into your life. Whether that's invite Jesus into your life. Or to start reorienting your life so that God becomes a bigger part. Or to take the great step to join a Ridge Group and/or regularly attend your Ridge Group and get the right people around you.

**PRAY:**

Father, I seek You and pray for my next step in developing more grit/perseverance in all areas of my life. Times when I think about walking away, I pray for strength to move toward You and not away. Times when my marriage, kids, family are challenging I pray to continually love them as You do. I pray for greater intentionality in seeking and knowing You and that I would continually reorientate my life so that You are a greater part of it. Lastly, I pray to persevere amidst a very busy season and staying connected to services and a Ridge Group.