Week Twenty: "YEARN"

- 1. According to Romans 1:11, what was Paul's yearning in relation to the Christians in Rome? How did he intend to strengthen and establish them?
- 2. How would you define the concept of yearning? What are some things in your life that you persistently long for?
- 3. What is the significance of having a yearning that is fueled and directed? How does it contribute to our sense of purpose and mission?
- 4. What motivates you to get out of bed in the morning? Is there a persistent longing in your life that drives your actions and shapes your goals?
- 5. How can being prepared help fuel and sustain our yearning? How does being unprepared contribute to feeling like we're running on empty or running behind?
- 6. In Jackson Browne's song "Running on Empty," what does the line "Gotta do what you can just to keep your love alive" mean to you? How does it relate to the concept of yearning?
- 7. What is the connection between having passion and yearning in our lives and finding our purpose and direction?
- 8. How can we ensure that our yearning is grounded in truth and aligns with God's kingdom? What role does trust play in determining the road we find ourselves on?
- 9. What does it mean to have a yearning that makes us and God smile? How can we prepare ourselves to have a yearning that brings joy and fulfillment?
- 10. How does being prepared for our yearning help us avoid running blindly or feeling like we're running on empty? What steps can we take to ensure that our yearning is supported by a solid foundation?