

## **Day 8: Saturday, June 28**

*“But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.” (Matthew 6:33 NIV)*

Missing the beauty of the simple things in life is so easy for us these days. I am the world's worst! Sometimes the self-imposed pace of schedules keeps us from seeing how God may speak when we tune our ears to His voice. As we have learned through our recent digital fast, the world would like nothing more than to determine for us those things to which we should listen.

Hopefully this week we have heard the voice of God in the small things along the road: a conversation with someone we did not know; a talk or prayer with someone we got to know; or a quiet moment in the beauty of God's creation.

Perhaps things in your life are cluttered and out of order and the mess is driving you crazy and preventing you from simply enjoying the presence of God deep in your spirit.

If your life is like mine, there is so much that needs attention. I hope that you have listened carefully this week to what the Holy Spirit may have said to you as you have observed, listened, and waited for that still small voice.

Food for Thought – *“Simplicity is the only thing that sufficiently reorients our lives so that possessions can be genuinely enjoyed without destroying us.”*