



Day Two

Awakening to God's Presence

Make good use
of today.
In fact,
make the best use of it.
Time will not wait,
and this day—
as all of life—
will pass.
We can look behind us
at days gone by.
They can appear
as little more than
shadows passing,
or as drops into the ocean.
But we have today.
Seize it, use it,
and contribute
to making God's will
a part of the present moment,
every moment.
That won't be easy.
We need courage for now,
and hope for a better life,
for ourselves
and for everyone else.
If we accept today
the future is ours too.
Keep your eyes,
hands, and hearts
fixed on both.

Living by God's Grace

Be courageous and hopeful.

Acknowledging God's Gifts

May this night's rest
give me
energy and enthusiasm
for tomorrow and beyond.
I give you, Lord,
what I have done today.
Weave it with
your will for me
and for the world.
Let me take up tomorrow
with conviction,
courage, and confidence.
Let me make a difference.
I want to make a difference.
For this day, thank you.
Bless this night.
May tomorrow be a fresh beginning.

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