

# DEEPLY ROOTED

The goal is to be so aware of the character of God, that you'll be able to stand firm in drought and storm, because you understand how leaning into and trusting Him, benefits you and makes you stronger. Here are some reasons and ways to do that. Ask the following questions as a prayer. Read the verses below, then read the prayer in the margin.

## #YELLOWBOOTWISDOM

*Listening and Learning in my yellow boots, while gleaning truths about God and His character.*

### WHY SHOULD I BE ROOTED?

"...so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith—that you, being **rooted** and grounded in love may have strength to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth, and to know the love of Christ ..." Ephesians 3:17-19 ESV

"Therefore, as you received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in him, **rooted** and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving." Colossians 2:6 & 7

*Pray: Lord, set my roots in the truth of who you are.*

### WHERE SHOULD I BE PLANTED?

"He is like a tree **planted** by streams of water that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither. In all that he does, he prospers." Psalm 1:3

"He is like a tree **planted** by water, that sends out its **roots** by the stream, and does not fear when heat comes, for its leaves remain green, and is not anxious in the year of drought, for it does not cease to bear fruit." Jeremiah 17:8

*Pray: Lord, plant me near you, my source. You are the Living Water.*

### HOW AM I GRAFTED?

"But if some of the branches were broken off, and you, although a wild olive shoot, were **grafted** in among the other and now share in the nourishing root of the olive tree, do not be arrogant toward the branches. If you are, remember it is not you who support the root, but the root that supports you." Romans 11:17-18

*Pray: Lord, Thank you for grafting me, adopting me, into your forever family.*

### HOW DO I STAY READY?

"Stay dressed **for action** and keep your lamps burning..." Luke 12:35

"Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his might. **Put on the whole armor of God**, that you may be able to stand against the schemes of the devil. Ephesians 6:10-11

*Pray: Lord, urge me to stay ready, clothed in your protection.*

### WHERE DO I GET WISDOM?

"If any of you lacks **wisdom**, let him ask God, who gives generously to all without reproach, and it will be given him." James 1:5 ESV

"Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing one another in all **wisdom**, singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, with thankfulness in your hearts to God." Colossians 3:16 ESV

*Pray: Lord, I want to go to your wisdom before the world's.*



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