



The Expectation Dilemma often leads to the question of **'what am I missing'**.

We get our **perspective** from God. But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you all things and will remind you of everything I have said to you. John 14:26

Discuss how guidance from the Holy Spirit changed your perspective of a situation, another person, etc. How did coming to know **God's will** in that situation influence what you believed?

What **truth** did the Holy Spirit guide you to understand about the person, or situation?

How have your expectations of (your needs from) Jesus become a driving factor in your relationship with Him I.E., the amount of time you spend with Him, what and how you pray?

Pause and reflect: do you ever have a sense of missing something in your relationship with Jesus; a sense of 'there's more' to be known? Good! That's a nudge from the Holy Spirit. Decide right now to spend 10-15 minutes a day for three weeks and read the gospels; write out His many names; say (sing) praises for who He is. Tell someone what you're going to do, ask them to do it with you and check in on you daily.

We gain **experience** through relationships: Godly leaders point us toward **Jesus**.

Who or what currently influences your relationship with Jesus? Is it a family member, friends, co-worker, Pastor, a Podcast speaker, an author, specific verses from the Bible, lyrics from praise music, etc. If a person: how often are you with them (have you even met?) *What have you learned from the way they live, serve, speak, give, and love others that is being reproduced in you? How are they different because of their relationship with Jesus?

Godly leaders **reproduce** Godly **leaders**. Who are you currently pouring into? Who do you want to influence, to become a Godly leader?

What is the **one ingredient** that changes everything? How was your life changed when that 'ingredient' became a part of your day-to-day recipe for life? There's only one thing you need. Mary has made the right choice, and that one thing will not be taken away from her. Luke 10:42

What is the Holy Spirit leading you to do this week?