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4. Why is Paul so focused on the work of the Spirit as the way to live a free life in these chapters? What do you struggle to understand about the Spirit's work intellectually or experientially?
5. What is more likely to diminish your hope: trials or comfort? Why? What do you do to yield to the hope the Spirit has to give in these circumstances?
6. Describe a time when you succeeded in yielding to the love the Spirit put in you. Describe a time when you failed to do so. What made the difference between these two times?

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