Date: **Podcast Worksheet**
                              What do you Want? Why Everyone Needs Healing

Scriptural Texts:
Isaiah 57:18; Malachi 3:2-3

Main Points:
1. *I am bold in saying this, but I believe that no one is ever changed, either by doctrine, by hearing the Word, or by the preaching or teaching of another, unless the affections are moved by these things. Jonathan Edwards*
2. When our passions are ignited, we will automatically move in that direction, no matter the cost.
3. Because there are things in our hearts and minds that need to be cleaned up, we need healing before we can live as the person God created us to be.
4. Just like Joseph, Moses, David, and Paul needed healing before they launched their life-purpose, so do we.
5. We all need the refiner's fire, the purifying process of healing that prepares us to live the life God has called us to live.
6. Trying to serve God while our heart is full of pain and sadness is like trying to run a race with broken legs.
7. God is passionate about us living the life he created us for, but we've got to trust him to get there. To succeed, we must be under his authority and control.
8. The healing process takes us to fulfillment, contentment, and satisfaction.
9. Nothing compares to having a real relationship with God and living the life for which he has created us.
10. Don't let life distract you from the purpose for which God created you.

Questions:

1. What are the passions that move your will to act? What do you get excited about doing?

2. What areas of your life need the healing and restoration of the refiner's fire?

3. What first steps do you need to take in order to get on track with God's plan for your life?

Prayer of Response:
Lord God, I want my life to go the way you have designed, so please direct my passions according to your will. I agree to allow your refining fire to work in me to become the person you made me to be. Give me a heart for healing. In Jesus name, amen.

Commitment: After prayerful meditation on this podcast, I am going to: