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Submission and surrender are My requirements. Yet, do I experience a closed door and a bereaved Spirit in my encounters with you. You think you know, the Lord says you don't.

Who is crying out in their hearts for My presence? Who is weeping in the understanding of the hunger and nakedness they possess? Where is the repentance I have called you to embrace? It is written, yet there is no ear to hear what is being said. Arrogance and pride in knowledge has blinded you, the pride of life is your shield and strength.

For the sake of control, you will lie. For the sake of your perceived position and standing you will alienate and marginalize. What hope can be claimed in God when the first ordinance to seek first My Kingdom is forsaken for your pride of life?