Personal Year End Reflection Template: (Half Day Reflection last week of Dec or first week of Jan)

1- **Prayer** to prepare- Sit still, pray, worship, seek Him...

"God meet me now. Might I see what You want me to see. Hear what you want me to hear. Help me rejoice.... grieve... repent with You. God I want to receive what You have planned as I reflect on the last year and seek to live for you in the coming year..."

- 2- Consider two main areas, **journaling in reflection**: a. Personal b. Vocational
  - a. Write "Personal/Family" top of one page, "Vocational" at top of another page- Let these "categories" capture last year's reflections.
  - b. Just think over last year- What sticks out? Highlights. Lowlights.
  - c. Consider last year's word/resolved, goals, events, feelings, etc. What did God do in the areas of my focus last year?
  - d. Review Google Calendar week by week writing in both areas.
  - e. Review Journals from the year, page by page, writing in both areas.
  - f. Scroll through my pictures from the year, what people marked it?
  - g. Summarize: What are major take-aways from last year? ex. God you are... God I see you...
  - h. Does anything surface for the coming year focuses? One Word Focus? ex. Vocationally- Losses Freed Me; Work On Not In; Do Less, Better ex. Family- I can get a new church, I can't get a new family; Listen Up ex. Word- "Deeper" "Listen" "Present" "Risk" "Slow"
- 3- **Resolve** in the coming year: One Word, Identity, Vocation, Resolved, Summary
  - a. One word focus? Where am I sensing God focusing my coming year? Write my one word focus- as I \_\_\_\_\_\_ I hope/expect that...
  - b. Identity: I belong to Jesus... I am His Son... Servant... Herald... Write out who I am in Christ, in the last year and the one to come.
  - c. Vocation: a. I'm Court's... and the kid's... b. I serve Him at The Well by.... Write out how I will serve Him in my vocational spheres.
  - d. I am resolved to do the following: Personal, Home/Family, Work, the Lost. Write out any major resolved/goals, and how I'll pursue them.