

**Empower Syllabus for Spiritual Formation**  
**September 17, 2022, 1pm-4pm**  
**Dr. Wanda Walborn**

**Required Reading: Walborn, Wanda. Spiritual Journey: Can I Really Get Close to God?** (Franklin, TN: Carpenter's Son Publishing, 2020).

**Paper Formatting:** For all writing assignments: double-space, one-inch margins, Times-New Roman 12 font.

There is one pre-class assignment for this class and one post-class assignment. The Pre-class assignment is due on Sept. 16, 2022 and the Post-class assignment is due on Oct. 7, 2022. Assignments may always be turned in early!

**Pre-class Assignment: Due September 16, 2022**

As you read the book, *Spiritual Journey*, obstacles are discussed that can block your intimacy with God. Identify your top 3 obstacles and write a 3 page reflection paper explaining how these obstacles affect your relationship with God and how you can intentionally remove them to draw near to God.

**Post-Class Assignment: Due October 7, 2022**

**Prayer Model Summary**

In one paper, using the prayer model we learned in class, pray for a total of 8 people (pray for at least 2 people who do not know the Lord) and give a thorough summary of what happened during **each** of these prayer times. Include the date, time, place and first name of the person you prayed for. Include all specifics regarding how you received the word to pray (word, phrase, picture, song, scripture, spontaneous, etc), the response of the person receiving prayer, interview process mid-way and then what happened when you prayed again? What was your post-prayer counseling for the person? How do you know if the person walked away feeling loved by the Father?