Commitment

Christus die Weg, Waarheid & Lewe Bediening
Commitment: 1. The act or process of entrusting or consigning for safe-keeping 2. An act of engagement or pledging 3. the act of doing; perpetration. 4. (Law) The state of being committed to a prison.

(Practical Standard Dictionary – Funk and Wagnalls)
Commitment: an engagement or obligation that restricts freedom of action.

(Oxford Dictionary)
“The Christian ideal has not been tried and found wanting. It has been found difficult, and left untried.”

(G.K. Chesterton)
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Jer 30:21  ...For who is this who pledged his heart to approach Me? says the LORD.

“Who is he who will devote himself to be close to me?”
Rev 3:15-16  "I know your works, that you are neither cold nor hot. I could wish you were cold or hot. (16) So then, because you are lukewarm, and neither cold nor hot, I will vomit you out of My mouth."
“Far better it is to dare mighty things, to win glorious triumphs even though chequered by failure, than to rank with those poor spirits who neither enjoy nor suffer much because they live in the grey twilight that knows neither victory nor defeat.”

(Theodore Roosevelt)
Rom 12:1-2  I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God, which is your reasonable service. (2) And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God.
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Luk 14:27 And whoever does not bear his cross and come after Me cannot be My disciple.
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Jer 29:11  For I know the thoughts that I think toward you, says the LORD, thoughts of peace and not of evil, to give you a future and a hope.
Hab 3:17-18 Though the fig tree may not blossom, Nor fruit be on the vines; Though the labor of the olive may fail, And the fields yield no food; Though the flock may be cut off from the fold, And there be no herd in the stalls— (18) Yet I will rejoice in the LORD, I will joy in the God of my salvation.
Gal 2:20  I have been crucified with Christ; it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me.