

January 24 Lesson

Wandering into Grace

January 31 Lesson

**Questions for Chapter 4:
It's Just a Backpack**

1. I wandered myself into grace on the day my backpack tumbled over the edge of the trail. Our guide and porter had every right to be furious with me. I was irresponsible, and they were responsible for our welfare; yet they demonstrated grace. Can you think of a time when you received grace upon grace?
2. What does it mean for you to live in day-tight compartments?
3. How does this quotation speak to you? "Change being inherent in life, disappointments and disasters are likely to happen, and when they do come, we should meet them with equanimity and a balanced response."⁴²
4. What is your precious stone? What is the one thing that is almost impossible for you to surrender or let go of and prevents you from living a full life?
5. How have the losses in your own life strengthened your faith and anchored your hope?