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As for what was sown on good soil, this is the one who hears the word and understands it. He indeed bears fruit and yields, in one case a hundredfold, in another sixty, and in another thirty

Matthew 13:23



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GLORY BE ONLY TO GOD

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Praise God for using us to bring glory to His name. The purpose of this book, "SEED & SOIL", is reflected in it's title—to help both the readers and all those involved in its creation become deeply rooted in His Word. Our aim is to cultivate hearts that are good soil, allowing us to be firmly planted in Christ, grow in Him, and bear fruit for His kingdom.

As Jesus calls us to be new creations in Him, our first goal is to be transformed by His love and grace. In turn, we hope to help others experience that transformation as well, becoming new creations for His glory.

If you read through our daily devotions, you'll notice the diverse involvement of people. This reminds us that God can use anyone, regardless of age or background. If He can work through us, He can certainly work through you. So, don't hide the gifts and talents God has entrusted to you—use them for His kingdom. Let's leave behind our old ways and become new vessels for His glory.

We humbly ask for your prayers as we continue this journey.

Let His Name Alone Be Glorified.!!

1 March 2025 - Saturday

“A New Beginning in Christ”

The Sovereign Lord says, **"Forget the former things; do not dwell on the past. See, I am doing a new thing! Now it springs up; do you not perceive it? I am making a way in the wilderness and streams in the wasteland."**

This is the word of God, the only Savior of Israel. He reveals His mercy and faithfulness toward Israel and all of us. **Isaiah 43:18** states, **"Forget the former things; do not dwell on the past."** Despite repeatedly falling into sin and disregarding the Lord’s blessings and mercy, the people of Israel experienced God's unwavering faithfulness. He continued to choose them as His people and extend His mercy, demonstrating His steadfast love.

God’s word offers us hope—hope for life itself. In difficult times, we often dwell on the past, burdened by guilt and doubt. Yet, the Lord calls us to let go, for He is creating something new. **He promises a fresh start**, guiding us through the wilderness and refreshing our barren hearts.

Repentance is our only need, for the Kingdom of Heaven is near. Now is the time to embrace God’s will with gratitude, trusting Him to provide. Through unwavering faith, we receive a new beginning.

2 March 2025 - Sunday

"Not Every Good thing is for Me."

Genesis 17:19 – ***Then God said, "No, Sarah your wife shall bear you a son, and you shall call his name Isaac; I will establish My covenant with him for an everlasting covenant, and with his descendants after him."***

We often think **Ishmael** is the one God has kept for us. Even in our lives, we try to comprehend **God's plan** through our **own strength and current situation.** At times, it becomes even more difficult for us to let go of Ishmael because we believe that is what God has given us. In **Genesis 16**, Sarai, impatient for God's promise, gave Hagar to Abraham. But when Hagar conceived, conflict arose, and Sarai regretted her decision.

Likewise, in our lives, we may pursue opportunities, relationships, or decisions that seem good but aren't God's best. **Not every good thing is meant for us.** God has an Isaac prepared–whether it's a job, a spouse, or spiritual growth. ***We must trust His timing and wait for Him to act***.

If God fulfilled His promise to Abraham at 99 years old, **He can do the impossible in our lives too.** No matter what you're facing, trust Him. Even if you are struggling with a "Hagar," surrender it to God. **He cares for you and will provide the perfect Isaac at the right time.**

3 March 2025 - Monday

“Trusting God’s Perfect Plan”

"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future." – Jeremiah 29:11

We all have dreams, ambitions, and desires that we lift up in prayer, hoping God will bring them to pass. **But sometimes, despite our earnest prayers, things don’t unfold as we expect.** In those moments, doubt can creep in, and we may wonder why God seems silent.

Yet, Scripture reminds us that **God’s plans are always greater than our own.** While we see only a part of the picture, He sees the whole masterpiece. His plans are not meant to harm us but to lead us toward true prosperity–one that aligns with His perfect will.

Instead of insisting on our own way, we can surrender our desires to God, trusting that He knows what’s best. **The next time we pray, may we seek His will above all, knowing that whatever He has in store will always be for our good.**

Prayer: Lord, help me trust Your plans, even when they differ from mine. I know You have my best in mind. Amen.

4 March 2025 - Tuesday

“Brokenness to Beautiful”

"And we know that all things work together for good to those who love God, to those who are called according to His purpose." **Romans 8:28.** Life’s struggles may feel like scattered puzzle pieces–confusing and painful. Yet, in God’s hands, every piece has purpose. When grief weighs heavy, remember: nothing is wasted. The God who shaped the stars also holds your tears (Psalm 56:8). Every struggle invites you to draw closer to Him, trade anxiety for His peace (Philippians 4:6-7), and witness His faithfulness rewrite your story.

You may not see the full picture today, but trust that God is weaving joy and pain into a tapestry of purpose. Like a mosaic, life’s beauty emerges from broken pieces carefully arranged. His love is your foundation, His promises your guideposts. Each day, He renews your mind (Romans 12:2), replacing doubt with hope, fear with courage, and weariness with rest. You are never alone–He will never leave you (Deuteronomy 31:6).

So, chin up–your story isn’t a mess; it’s a masterpiece in progress. **Hold tight to the One who turns brokenness into beauty**. His peace is your anchor, His love your foundation, and His promises will sustain you. Walk in hope–the best is yet to come. You are seen, loved, and cared for. God’s plan is perfect, even when the pieces don’t make sense–yet.

“Faith in the Midst of Uncertainty”

"I will seek what was lost and bring back what was given away, bind up the broken and strengthen what was sick." –Ezekiel 34:16. Life can feel overwhelming, filled with struggles that test our faith. A young woman eagerly began college, only to face persistent chest pain from gastric issues. Despite normal test results, fear gripped her, leading to panic attacks and sleepless nights.

For a year, anxiety consumed her, leaving her feeling lost. She questioned why she suffered while others lived carefree. Then, she came across ***Isaiah 60:22: "At the right time, I, the Lord, will make it happen."*** These words weren’t just ink on a page–they were God’s whisper of hope.Turning to prayer, she sought His healing. The answer wasn’t immediate, but in the waiting, she found something greater. ***As she poured out her heart, her faith deepened. Slowly, fear faded, replaced by peace and joy.*** God had been working all along, strengthening and restoring her.

If you’re facing darkness, remember: God sees your struggles, hears your cries, and walks with you. Even when we don’t feel Him, He is near–healing, restoring, and leading us home.

Prayer: Lord, in my moments of fear and uncertainty, remind me You are near. Strengthen my faith and help me trust Your perfect timing. Amen.

"Blue Tassels: A Reminder of God's Law"

In ***Numbers 15:37-41,*** God commands Moses to have the Israelites attach tassels with a blue cord to their garments as a reminder to obey His commands and live in holiness. I dislike tassels on my dupattas and sari pallus–they tangle and waste time. So, I can understand the importance of the Israeli tassel known as the **tsitsit**; such a simple but profound way of remembering God's law -remember God's law, keep it completely intact and make sure it doesn't get tangled up with the world's law, for God is holy.

In Jesus' time, many had reduced **tsitsit** to a mere display of religiosity **(Matthew 23:5),** missing its true purpose.Today, we have modern **tsitsits**–crosses on keychains, framed Bible verses–but, do we give more importance to how pretty and unique our external **tsitsits** look rather than dwell on if our soul is in tune with God?

The *tsitsit* reminded the Israelites to:

1. **Remember God's deliverance and obey Him.**
2. **Turn away from fleshly desires.**
3. **Stay consecrated and holy.**

Now, knowing Christ's sacrifice, let's examine our hearts. Are we truly living by God's law or just displaying religious symbols? Let's replace empty rituals with a genuine desire to love and serve God.

7 March 2025 - Friday

“The Power of Godly Friendships”

Biblical friendships offer powerful lessons through timeless examples. **Jonathan**, ***King Saul's son and rightful heir, recognized God had chosen David as the next king*** and made a covenant with him, symbolically surrendering his claim to the throne. When Saul sought to kill David, Jonathan risked his life to protect his friend, demonstrating that godly friendships are built on loyalty, love, and selflessness. ***In Babylon,*** **Daniel and his friends** ***refused to compromise their faith despite*** intense pressure, standing firm against eating forbidden food and bowing to idols, showing that godly friendships provide strength to resist worldly influences.

As **Proverbs 13:20** says **"walk with the wise and become wise,"** choosing friends who draw us closer to God and support righteous living. **We're called to emulate Jonathan's selfless loyalty** by encouraging others in their faith, standing with them through trials, and putting their needs before our own. Through these examples, true friendship reflects God's love and strengthens our spiritual journey, helping us remain steadfast in our faith even when facing opposition or temptation.

So, let’s pray and ask God to equip us, helping us understand our calling and the calling of others, so we may support one another in growing in Christ.

8 March 2025 - Saturday

"The Power of Stillness"

We're busy people. Between work and home, family and friends, full schedules and unending tasks, it's tempting to hurry through our days without even stopping to look up. But, speaking through the psalmist, God said: **Be still, and know that I am God; I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth-Psalms 46:10**

When was the last time you were truly still–your body and mind quiet enough to acknowledge that God is God? Today, you can either check "time with God" off your to-do list or let His truth bring peace to your restless heart. Stillness draws us beyond ourselves, deepening our awareness of and need for God. It's one thing to acknowledge God with our words, but another **to put Him above every other good, bad, and distracting thing in our lives–to live in a way that honors and magnifies Him.**

One day, ready or not, **God reveals Himself fully**, every secret is exposed, and He is exalted above all. But you don't have to wait–worship Him now. But you don't have to wait –worship Him now. Make Him Lord and King of your life today.

So, You can be still –right now–and know that He is God.

9 March 2025 - Sunday

"THE MISSION"

In **Matthew 9:37-38** Then Jesus said to His disciples, **"The harvest truly is plentiful, but the labourers are few. Therefore, pray the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into His harvest."**

Here Jesus talks about how **there are many who need Jesus** but **few of them are willing to take this mission**. This might be due to uncertainty about the future or we might have questions like, ***Am I equipped? Will God use me? How will I manage financial needs.*** However, it is not we who do the work, but the One who is in us. Therefore, we must surrender ourselves to Him, allowing Him to work in and through us. ***As we know where He takes He provides.***

So, it is a call for action to contribute in our ways since we all have different gifts. We have abundance of opportunities to **share God's love every day**. It can be by sharing our faith, either through our acts of kindness or by being there for someone and praying for them when they are in need. We should all take part in this vast harvest as followers of Christ.

Let's think for a moment and question ourselves if we are part of this great mission - are we labouring for God in this harvest?

10 March 2025 - Monday

"God's Beloved"

Zephaniah 3:17 "The Lord your God is with you, the Mighty Warrior who saves. He will take great delight in you; in His love He will no longer rebuke you, but will rejoice over you with singing", is a powerful reminder of God's love, presence, and delight in His people.

It tells us that God is not distant but near, a Mighty Warrior who saves and rejoices over us. Often, we struggle with feelings of unworthiness, failure, or fear, but this verse assures us that God delights in us, **not because of what we do, but because of who we are—His beloved**. He takes joy in us, quiets us with His love, and even sings over us. Imagine the Creator of the universe singing with joy because of you!

This truth should bring comfort and peace, knowing that we are never alone. **No matter our struggles, God is fighting for us,** embracing us with His love, and celebrating us.

Today, let's rest in His presence, trust His promises, and rejoice in the fact that we are deeply loved by our Heavenly Father.

11 March 2025 - Tuesday

"Pressure Shapes, Not Breaks You"

Don't let the world around you squeeze you into its own mold, but let God re-mold your minds from within, so that you may prove in practice that **the plan of God for you is good,** meets all His demands, and moves towards the goal of true maturity.

To form a diamond, carbon needs to be subjected to a pressure of approximately 725,000 pounds per square inch, which is achieved deep within the Earth's mantle alongside high temperatures around 2,200 F, causing the carbon atoms to bond tightly together into a diamond structure.

Moses went through pressure from 600,000 men, Pharaoh's army and the Red Sea to show the Israelites God's Glory, **David** had to face Goliath to step towards the throne, and **Elijah** was threatened to be killed by Queen Jezebel which ended up in a cool victory after a pressurized and tensioned situation. ***In the same way in our Life, whatever we are going through, is a period of shaping us into a diamond to shine for His Glory.***

I would like Holy Spirit to conclude on my behalf for He understands and knows your situation better for **it is God moulding us through every tough times.** Be encouraged in Jesus' name AMEN.

12 March 2025 - Wednesday

"Finding Strength in Surrender"

Isaiah 30:15-This is what the Sovereign Lord, the Holy One of Israel, says: In repentance and rest is your salvation, in quietness and trust is your strength. But you would have none of it.

In this verse, God speaks to His people through the prophet Isaiah, offering them a path to peace and strength. Despite their desire for other solutions, God's prescription for salvation and strength is clear: **repentance, rest, quietness, and trust.** But the people reject this offer, preferring their own ways.

The verse begins with **repentance**–acknowledging our **need for God's mercy and turning back to Him in humility**. **Rest** is not laziness but **surrendering our burdens to Him**. **Quietness** comes in **His presence, and trust is having faith in His promises.** The Israelites rejected this peace, leading to their downfall.

In our busy lives, we may also reject God's invitation to rest and trust in Him. We often try to do everything ourselves, relying on our own strength and wisdom. **But true strength comes from resting in God's presence and trusting in His ability** to handle every situation.

13 March 2025 - Thursday

"Abide in Him"

John 15:4-11 After Jesus had finished the last supper with His disciples, He turned to them and gave His final instructions and frankly, it's something we just read over for most of the time. It's interesting because he does not tell them to perform miracles, cast out demons or heal the sick.

He tells them-Abide in me. (John 15:4). It is repeated in two more verses showing how important it is to cling on to Jesus every moment. He doesn't say come and visit me once in a while. Rather, ***Jesus tells the disciples, who believed in Him, to remain in Him.***

Daily, we are invited to anchor every aspect of our lives in Jesus. When we depend on Him, **He imparts His likeness to us, bearing the fruit of the Spirit within us.** Jesus calls us to abide in His love—never forgetting the sacrifice He made for our eternal life.

Faith isn't just for Sunday worship; it's for every moment. Invite Him into the messy, broken, and ordinary parts of life—not just in altar calls, but while resting, cooking, caring for others, or enjoying time with loved ones. **In Him, all you need is provided.**

14 March 2025 - Friday

“Serving God”

Romans 12 :11-12 motivates us **Never be lacking in zeal, but keep your spiritual fervor, serving the Lord. Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer.**

We are called to serve God, at times we feel incompetent to fulfil his purpose but God is guiding us to do it with **diligence, eagerness, and passion.**

Rejoicing in hope is difficult but with daily communion with God through **steadfast prayer** yes, we can!

When we start God’s work in our lives, we will face obstacles and sufferings but he reminds us in **Exodus 14:14 “The Lord will fight for you; you need only to be still.” God is asking us here to be patient during our sufferings and he will fight for us.**

Be Diligent, Passionate to serve God. Always Rejoice in Hope, faithful in prayer and patient in tribulations.

So, let's pray and ask our Father in heaven to fill us with the Holy Spirit. As the Bible says, He is our Helper, guiding us to understand God's will, be rooted in Christ, and serve Him according to His purpose.

15 March 2025 - Saturday

“Turn our chances into right choices”

He does not retain his anger forever because he delights in MERCY-Micah 7:18

The story of Jonah is a powerful example of God's willingness to **give second chances**. It shows God's character as the God of second chances.

Despite **Jonah's** initial disobedience, God rescued Jonah, gave a second chance and blessed Jonah's obedience. He used Jonah's preaching to bring about repentance in Nineveh. **Adam, Eve, Abraham, Sarah, David** made mistakes. Yet God gave them another chance.

This encourages us to acknowledge our failures and seek God's mercy. We know that Jesus Christ has given us grace to overcome the sins of this world, setting an example of how to live. As in **2 Corinthians 12:9** says,**“My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness.”** So, **Grace is not a license to sin** but a power to overcome sin.

So, let's ask Him for His forgiveness and a second chance, and **turn our chances into right choices.**

16 March 2025 - Sunday

"Keeping God Close in a Busy Life"

I learned a great lesson when I read through the book of Daniel.

Daniel was appointed as a ruler of a huge kingdom, but **he never refused to pray to God**, even though he held a position of great authority.

Even when King Darius punished him and sent him to the lions' den because of his prayers, he didn't stop. In fact, we might even say that **Daniel was not in the lions' den– rather, the lions were in Daniel's praying den!** In the face of danger, Daniel did not waver in his devotion to pray and seek the One who shut the mouths of the lions.

We have work, families, hobbies, and our health to manage. So how do we put God first, like Daniel, when it feels impossible, time-consuming, or nearly unachievable?

As the Bible says in **1 Thessalonians 5:16-18**: ***"Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances."***

Are we staying connected with God in our busy lives? Like Daniel, in the midst of all he had to do, his eyes were always on God. So, let us all turn toward God and draw closer to Him.

17 March 2025 - Monday

“Waiting with Faith and Peace”

Isaiah 53: 10 -The will of the LORD shall prosper in his hands. **How to get to know about God's plans for your life?** **Submit your plans to Jesus. Pray and Wait!!** Wait for the timing, wait for the signs, wait for the answers, wait for the spiritual peace. Moreover, confess the verses over your life.

Sometimes we convince ourselves by seeing **the 'temporary happiness' and concluding that as God's will.** God's Will and His plans in your life present with **'No doubts' and enormous PEACE.** Regularly seek God's guidance and wisdom in your decisions and endeavors. Strive to align your actions and goals with God's will, as revealed in scripture. Cultivate trust in God's sovereignty even in uncertain or challenging circumstances.

Sometimes, **God breaks your plan** because he knows your plan is going to break you. As bible says in **Jeremiah 29:11, For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the Lord, “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.**

So, I just want to remind you that God has the best future planned for you, so hold on to the process with the assurance that He has kept the best for you.

18 March 2025 - Tuesday

“The Power of Choice in Serving God”

Joshua 24:15 And if it seems evil to you to serve the Lord, choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve. In our daily life, we make a lot of decisions whether it be big or small. It all starts from the thoughts that we choose to dwell on and ultimately the corresponding steps are taken.

Whether the decisions be good or bad, we all have been **given the power of choice**. The power to choose thoughts, what to eat and drink, what to wear, whom to spend my time with and the most importantly whether to love and serve God or not.

But the problem comes when we're indecisive and continue to remain in that state of mind not choosing for ourselves whom we will serve! **Friend there's no middle ground it's either Jesus or Satan**. If it's not Jesus then we're automatically on the enemy's side!.

Thus Jesus says, therefore choose life, that both you and your descendants may live; that you may love the Lord your God, that you may obey His voice, and that you may cling to Him, for He is your life and the length of your days.

19 March 2025 - Wednesday

"PUSH"

Pray
Until
Something
Happens

Even though God knows what is going to happen, that doesn't mean He will shut his ears to our prayers. **God changed his mind when he saw the tears of Hezekiah**. King Hezekiah's tears and earnest prayers moved God to action. **He added 15 years to Hezekiah's life.**

The Bible says in **2 Kings 20: 5, "I have heard your prayers, I have seen your tears, Behold I will heal you"**

Remember our **tears are precious in God's sight, He bottles them up.** This verse reminds us that we should earnestly pray with all our heart, If God can heal Hezekiah, He can heal us as well, and He is faithful to answer our prayers.

Mathew 17: 20 says **Faith can move mountains!!** And faith comes from hearing Gods word. **So let's PUSH with faith.**

20 March 2025 - Thursday

“LEAVE IT IN TO HIS MIGHTY HANDS”

Are you feeling sad all the time? Do you feel alone? Do you overthink things? Have you been betrayed by anyone? Are you feeling tired because of what's happening around you? Do you feel lost? In today's fast-paced world, **it's almost a miracle if we don't face any of these challenges.** Everyone will likely experience at least one of these situations at some point.

As a Christian or Christ believer, is it okay to feel alone, depressed, or stressed? No, because Jesus says, **"Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest" (Matthew 11:28).** Jesus isn't promising to eliminate all our problems, but rather inviting us to give Him our worries.

When we feel lonely, stressed, or guilty, it's a sign we've distanced ourselves from Jesus. So, He says, **"Come to me."** He invites us to bring our burdens to Him, promising us rest and guidance.

We may feel distant from loved ones, lacking someone to share our moments with. We may have been betrayed or feeling isolated and hurt. But Jesus promises, **"I will never leave you nor forsake you" (Hebrews 13:5).** No matter what, don't lose hope. Lay your worries at His feet. Trust Him to take care of everything, and find rest in His mighty hands.

21 March 2025 - Friday

“The Ultimate Weapon”

A weapon provides both attack and protection–so does **prayer**, the powerful gift from God. Many fail to see its strength, losing hope when prayers seem unanswered. But **faithful prayer** requires patience and unwavering trust in God's perfect timing. Stay steadfast, for He moves at the right time.

Mark 11:24 says, “Therefore I tell you, whatever you ask for in prayer, believe that you have received it, and it will be yours.” Whenever we pray earnestly for things to happen according to God’s will, Satan on the other hand tries to pull us down by doubting the will of God. God allows such trials to strengthen our faith which prepares us to fight tougher battles. **Psalm 27:3, “Though an army besieges me, my heart will not fear; though war breaks out against me, even then I will be confident”.** prayer strengthens our faith. In a world that seeks quick answers, we often wonder why God's response takes time. Yet, He answers at the perfect moment.

We all have **The Ultimate Weapon–prayer–** but setbacks test our faith. Today, let’s commit to standing strong, trusting in God’s timing, and wielding this powerful weapon with unwavering belief.

22 March 2025 - Saturday

"The Love of God Revealed in the Cross"

A weapon provides both attack and protection—so does ***"I have loved you," says the Lord. But you ask, "How have you loved us?"*** **(Malachi 1:2)** In Malachi, God reminds Israel of His love, yet they ask, **How have You loved us?** Today, we ask the same amid struggles. But the answer is clear—**God's love is fully revealed in the cross of Jesus Christ.** God tells Israel, **I have loved you,** but they doubt Him, forgetting His goodness in struggles. Like them, we often focus on hardships and overlook His deep love. When we feel forgotten or rejected, we must remember **Jesus Christ on the cross—the ultimate expression of God's love.**

Malachi points to God's past love, but **Jesus' death fully reveals it**. God gave His Son, declaring, **I have loved you,** even when undeserved. The cross is **His ultimate proof** of sacrificial, unconditional, and eternal love. No matter our struggles, His love remains constant, rooted in His **unchanging nature.**

Malachi reminds us of **God's unwavering love,** even when we fail to see it. The cross is its clearest display. Through Jesus' sacrifice, God declares, **I have loved you** with incomprehensible love. May we always remember the love of God displayed on the cross and respond by living lives that honor Him.

23 March 2025 - Sunday

“Expectations Only from God”

"I have loved you with an everlasting love." – Jeremiah 31:3 Disappointment often comes when our expectations are not met. We pour our hearts into people, hoping for the same energy in return, but sometimes, **it's not reciprocated.** In those moments, we feel unimportant, unseen, and alone. We’ve all been there.

But when I reflect on the times my expectations were fulfilled, I realize the joy was often fleeting. It never truly satisfied me. Then I came across a simple yet profound truth: **"Only God can truly satisfy."**

That changed everything. **God’s love is not conditional.** His reassurance–like a **whisper of peace in a storm**, an unexpected act of kindness from a stranger, or a long-awaited prayer answered–fills our hearts in ways that no human ever could.

True satisfaction doesn’t come from what others do for us but **from the love God has already given us.** He calls us to serve, to love without expecting anything in return, because He first loved us.

Instead of placing our hopes in people, let’s put our trust in the One who never fails–the One whose love is everlasting.

24 March 2025 - Monday

"Jehovah Ropheca"

In **Exodus 15:26** the Israelites had just crossed the Red Sea. They encountered bitter water at Marah, which God miraculously made sweet. Here, God reveals Himself as **Jehovah-Rapha**, "The Lord who heals." ***He promises protection and healing if they remain obedient to Him.***

This reveals God's great desire and ability to provide healing for His people with no limitations. To heal is what He does. Healing is God's loving nature in manifestation. ***Obedience to God's word determines whether life tastes bitter or sweet.*** At Marah, the people had to drink from the same source which had brought them such disappointment. The difference was that what had been bitter was now sweet.

Faith and Obedience Lead to Blessings: God's promise of healing and protection is tied to obedience. This principle applies to believers today, emphasizing the importance of living according to God's will. Healing comes from God– through miracles, medicine, or spiritual restoration. **Trusting God in Difficult Times:** Like the Israelites at Marah, we all face challenges, but faith in God brings renewal and transformation.

Jehovah-ropheca: I am the Lord Who heals you! He was, is, and will continue to be the Healer for His people.

25 March 2025 - Tuesday

"The Power of Patience"

Psalm 37:7-Be still in the presence of the Lord, and wait patiently for him to act. Don't worry about evil people who prosper or fret about their wicked schemes. In this world of loving yourself and putting yourself first in everything as a mere survival skill–in this world that thinks of you as incapable of handling the slightest setbacks–this is a very hard verse to follow.

To not worry about other people succeeding in a field you desire is better than fretting about schemes that can be just or sometimes unjust too. To have acceptance of whatever comes your way and wait for **The Potter to mold you into the perfect pot is tedious**. But the Bible asks us to be still: let them win that award you put your fullest efforts into, let them get the promotion you were waiting for, let them be the face of the work in which you're the backbone–let them, just let them.

For the Lord asks us to ***be still and wait patiently for Him***, a promise He made for us, and we all know and have seen the fate of the wicked and the ones who were patient. Noah, Moses, Hannah, Hagar, Job, etc. waited.

They waited for His intervention, and when He did intervene, we all know how it turned out to be a blessing. Keeping this in mind, have a happy and calm day with a mind of faith and acceptance.

26 March 2025 - Wednesday

“A Leap into the Unknown”

LUKE 8: 42 -48 We read about a woman who was bleeding for 12 years. She obviously would have visited all doctors and tried all kinds of treatment, but no one could heal her. She was hopeless - **until she took a leap of faith.**

Even in the midst of the crowd, she reached out and touched **the edge of Jesus' cloak**, believing that this small act would bring healing. She didn't demand for a miracle - she simply trusted. And instantly she was healed.

But the story doesn't end here. Jesus stops and **asks "Who touched me?”** Not because he didn't know but maybe because He wanted her to come forward. She might have been frightened. Yet she came up to testify what had happened.

This woman's faith was bold. She took a leap into the unknown, not knowing how the crowd would react but believing that **He was her only hope.** And Jesus responded with love saying **"Daughter, your faith has healed you. Go in peace."**

Sometimes, God calls us to ***step out even when we are not sure of the outcome.*** Like this woman, our faith may seem small, but what matters is Who we place our faith in and yeah not doubting the faith as well.

27 March 2025 - Thursday

“God Our Provider”

Philippians 4:19 says, "And my God will supply all your needs according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus," this tells that our God will meet all our needs according to the riches of his Glory by Christ Jesus.

As human beings we often worry about the future of our lives, it might be regarding our education, our financial situation or even regarding our job. But **Jesus often asked us to not worry about the things of the world** and to always put trust in him.

In **Matthew 6:26**, says**, "Look at the birds of the air; they do not sow or reap, nor gather into barns, yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not much more valuable than they?** He tells us that we are valuable to him and asks us not to worry about our needs.

Instead, He asks us to submit our needs in prayer through faith and we will receive from God **(Matthew 21:22).** When we trust in Him and pray, He will fulfil his sovereign plan in our lives and meet all our needs **according to the riches of His Glory.**

28 March 2025 - Friday

“Where does my strength come from”

How many of us have scars? The visible ones? Let me change the question–how many of us have never had a scar? Even a newborn carries a tiny round scar, the umbilicus, formed when the placenta is detached. So, if you think you don’t have one, you actually do.

People often ask, “What’s this? How did you get it?” I smile and say, “Ah, I was a little naughty as a kid.” Falls, scrapes, and bruises–life is like that. You fall, bleed, cry, but healing follows, leaving a scar. In pathology, skin regenerates as the epidermis protects, the dermis senses, and the hypodermis insulates. Minor wounds heal in days, deeper ones in weeks, but hypodermal damage prolongs recovery. Secondary infections? Another challenge.

What if skin couldn’t regenerate? You know the answer. Healing takes time. Just like physical wounds, emotional and mental wounds scar us too. But thanks be to the Creator, who designed scar tissue formation–a restoration process.

We try to erase scars, calling them ugly. But each one tells a story–not of weakness, but of strength. We have endured. Scars remind us of humility in restoration and strength in weakness. **In pain, lift your eyes to the Lord–your help comes from Him (Psalm 121:1-2).**

29 March 2025 - Saturday

“How Weakness Becomes Strength”

Think of a situation you wish you could change, then imagine what the apostle Paul must have felt in **2 Corinthians 12.: 9. But he said to me, “My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness.” "Therefore I will boast all the more gladly about my weaknesses, so that Christ’s power may rest on me."**

Paul begged God to remove his pain, but God replied, **"My grace is enough."** The Greek word *charis* signifies **God's favor,** fully revealed when He sent Jesus for us. Before Jesus, people couldn't approach God directly. But through Him, anyone can experience intimacy with God. This relationship isn't earned–**it’s a free gift through His death and resurrection.**

When God tells Paul, **“My grace is sufficient,”** He means, **“I am enough for you.”** Paul’s strength came from God’s power in his weakness. Like Paul, we can embrace our struggles so God gets the glory. Our prayer shifts from, **“Take this suffering away,” to, “Use this for Your glory and my good.”**

Whatever you’re facing, know that God is near. He sees you, loves you, and empowers you. Draw near to Him and let Him strengthen you.

30 March 2025 - Sunday

"Rising Again with Hope"

Micah 7:8-"Do not gloat over me, my enemies! Though I have fallen, I will rise. Though I sit in darkness, the Lord will be my light." This powerful verse from Micah reminds us that even **in our lowest moments, God is our source of hope and light.** The psalmist speaks confidently, declaring that despite falling, there is always the opportunity to rise again through God's grace. ***The darkness we face is never permanent because God's light can restore and guide us.***

Like Micah, we may experience defeat, discouragement, or struggle. Life can sometimes feel like a season of darkness, where hope seems distant. But Micah's words restore us is not limited. His light shines brightest in our darkest times, offering us the strength to rise again.

We are called to embrace God's promise that He will be our light in these moments. He will guide us through the darkness, and when we feel lost, He will lead us back to healing and restoration. Our enemies, external challenges or internal doubts may try to discourage us, but **God's victory is sure.**

No matter the depth of the struggle with God, there is always hope for a new beginning.

31 March 2025 - Monday

"GOD'S GRACE"

Ephesians 2:1-10-Meditating on this passage while listening to a podcast deeply moved me. It opened my heart to God's grace, which I'd love to share with you. I encourage you to read it and let God work in you. **Grace** is receiving something **we do not deserve.**

In our sinful nature, we do not deserve God's love, kindness, or a relationship with Him (vs. 1-3). ***But God, rich in mercy and great love, saved and restored us through Jesus Christ*** *(vs. 4-6)*. ***His grace is a gift.*** The beautiful part is that it does not stop there. Verse 7 proclaims, ***"in the ages to come He might show the exceeding riches of His grace in His kindness toward us in Christ Jesus."*** God's grace is not only for salvation but also for sanctification.

Too often, we try to follow Jesus, walk in holiness, and d**o good works in our strength.** However, **humility** is the key to receiving **His grace**. We may wonder why things don't change despite our efforts–reading the Bible, attending church, and doing good. Yet, pride, guilt, and unforgiveness linger, still in need of His healing grace.

It is impossible to serve God, overcome sin, or love others without His grace. We need it in every area of our lives. Let us pray, inviting the Holy Spirit to reveal where we need His divine grace and submit humbly to His will.

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