

THE CRUCIFIXION

PRECEPT

2 Corinthians 4:18

¹⁸ We don't look at the troubles we can see now; rather, we fix our gaze on things that cannot be seen. For what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal.

PROMISE

Did you know that God promised to be with us and help us was mentioned in the bible? The problem with us is that despite God communicating His promises and plan, we tend to neglect His promises, and when we are struggling with life, we tend to reject God's promises. If we listen to Jesus and trust His promises for us, we can spare our lives from negative feelings when going through seasons of doubts and confusion. The season of doubts and confusion is expected to happen at some point in our lives, we just have to know and be assured that even in that season, Jesus is with us.

TRUST HIS PROMISES. Hebrews 10:23 says, "Let us hold on firmly to the hope we profess because we can trust God to keep his promise." God's promises are unchanging anchors in shifting seasons. Whatever season you are in today, God's promises are always applicable to you, and His promises are trustworthy, for the God who gives His promise is faithful and true.

TRUST HIS PROCESS. Romans 5:3-5 tells us, "We can rejoice, too, when we run into problems and trials, for we know that they help us develop endurance. And endurance develops strength of character, and character strengthens our confident hope of salvation. And this hope will not lead to disappointment. For we know how dearly God loves us." In the season of doubts and confusion, continue to trust the process. God is more concerned about your character than your comfort. He is letting you go through the process of character-building. Even when things don't make sense, God is working through the process to refine and strengthen us.

TRUST HIS PLAN. Jeremiah 29:11 says, "For I know the plans I have for you," says the Lord. "They are plans for good and not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope." God's plan for you is amazing and beyond your imagination. If God didn't allow you to go through the season of doubts and confusion, you wouldn't have experienced His redemption, salvation, and a great plan for your life. Don't focus on what season you are in but focus on who God is for you. When you are going through this season of feeling lost and confused remember that this is all temporary. Focus on the unchanging character of God, and surely, Redemption is near. Salvation is here. Trust His promises, trust His process, and trust His plan because Jesus has overcome the grave.

PRACTICE

1. **Season.** What season are in right now? How do you feel being in this season?

2. **Doubts & Confusion.** Are you experiencing any doubts? confusion right now? And how can we encourage and pray for you regarding this?

PRAYER

I. Ministries

- Pray that God will empower all of our ministries with His strength, grace, and guidance.

II. Life Worship

- May they continue to wholeheartedly serve God and His people.

III. Life Kids

- Pray for more dedicated volunteers who will teach our children the Word of God.

IV. Life Sports

- Thank God for a healthy body, abilities, and the gift of sports.

V. Life Link

- Pray tht our ushers will serve our brethren gracefully and be filled with the Spirit.

VI. Members

- Pray for our community to grow in relationship with God and others.

VII. Worship Services

- May more new people come and experience God in a personal way.