

What to Do When You Feel Like God Doesn't Care (Part 2)

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Scripture References:

- Psalm 22:1
- Luke 12:6, 7, *NLT*
- Psalm 8:4, 5
- John 9:1-3
- Hebrews 11:35-40, *NLT*
- Isaiah 41:10, 13, *NLT*
- Isaiah 43:2, *NLT*
- Psalm 32:8, *NLT*
- 2 Timothy 3:12, *NLT*
- John 16:33
- 1 Peter 5:10, *NLT*
- Psalm 77:10-12
- Exodus 5:22, 23, *NLT*
- Psalm 42:9-11, *NLT*
- John 11:21, *NLT*

Summary:

*Pain and adversity are a shared experience for us all, and at times like these we sometimes wonder if God even cares what we are going through. Thoughts like this are a lie from the enemy; the truth is that God cares deeply for us. Trouble hits everyone; the difference between believers and the world is that when **we** go through it, we can have confidence in three things: God's assurance of His peace in the midst of the storm, His permanent presence, and eventual restoration of everything the devil stole or destroyed.*

Notes:

1. God loves and cares for us very much; the suggestion that He is uncaring is a lie. God has moved on the inside of us and always has time to talk to us.
2. Adversity strengthens us so that God can use us. Whatever we endure and suffer, God promises to make it right; He *will* recompense us.
3. Some steps to take when we're under emotional attack and we think that God doesn't care include having a flashback, being strengthened by others' faith, and knowing that you are in good company (Moses, David, and Martha all had their moments of questioning).

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