



CALVARY BIBLE CHURCH

ROMANS 8:18-25

IN THIS LIFE, THERE WILL
BE **TRIBULATION** (TROUBLE)
BUT IT'S **NOT FINAL**
(FOR THOSE IN CHRIST)



**SOMETIMES THE DAY SEEMS LONG
OUR TRIALS HARD TO BEAR
WE'RE TEMPTED TO COMPLAIN
TO MURMUR AND DESPAIR,
BUT CHRIST WILL SOON APPEAR
TO CATCH HIS BRIDE AWAY
ALL TEARS FOREVER OVER
IN GOD'S ETERNAL DAY**



**AT TIMES THE SKY SEEMS DARK
WITH NOT A RAY OF LIGHT
WE'RE TOSSED AND DRIVEN ON
NO HUMAN HELP IN SIGHT
BUT THERE IS ONE IN HEAVEN
WHO KNOWS OUR DEEPEST CARE
LET JESUS SOLVE YOUR PROBLEMS
JUST GO TO HIM IN PRAYER**



**IT WILL BE WORTH IT ALL
WHEN WE SEE JESUS
LIFE'S TRAILS WILL SEEM SO SMALL
WHEN WE SEE CHRIST
ONE GLIMPSE OF HIS DEAR FACE
ALL SORROW WILL ERASE
SO BRAVELY RUN THE RACE
TILL WE SEE CHRIST**



**EVERYTHING IN THIS LIFE IS
GROANING AND LONGING
FOR THE FUTURE HOPE OF
ETERNITY IN HEAVEN WITH
OUR HEAVENLY FATHER**



**BELIEVERS IN CHRIST
DON'T MOURN LIKE THE
REST OF THE WORLD**



THE VERY SAME POWER
THAT RAISED JESUS FROM
THE DEAD (THE POWER OF
THE HOLY SPIRIT) THAT
POWER LIVES IN US!



**ALL OF US
(AS A CHILD OF GOD)
HAVE ACCESS TO THE
GREATEST HELPER
EVER**



**THERE'S NOTHING IN THIS
LIFE THAT WE ARE MEANT
TO FACE ALONE**



THE HELPER



**FOR US FILTHY HUMANS TO
COME TO THAT FLAWLESS
GOD, TOOK GOD SENDING
HIS SON TO TAKE OUR
PUNISHMENT AND PENALTY
OF SIN**



EPHESIANS 2:1-10

WE LIVE IN A WORLD
THAT IS DEVASTATED BY
THE IMPACT OF SIN



**PRESENTLY, WHILE WE
WAIT, GOD HAS GIVEN US
THE HOLY SPIRIT TO HELP
IN OUR WEAKNESSES**

ROMANS 8:26-27



“HELPS” = TO ASSIST;
TO COME **ALONGSIDE**
ANOTHER; TO AID IN
CARRYING A LOAD



**NONE OF US ARE
EXPECTED TO HANDLE
OUR LOADS ALONE
(THERE IS ONE WHO HELPS
IN OUR WEAKNESS)**



“WEAKNESS” = OUR LACK
OF STRENGTH; OUR
INFIRMITY; OUR DISEASE;
OUR **FRAILTY**;
OUR FEEBLENESS



I DON'T JUST NEED
JESUS CHRIST FOR MY
ETERNITY, I DESPERATELY
NEED JESUS CHRIST
FOR MY **PRESENT**



WHEN WE **DO** PRAY, BUT
WE JUST **DON'T** HAVE THE
WORDS, THE HELPER,
INTERCEDES FOR US WITH
GROANINGS TOO DEEP
FOR WORDS



**THE HOLY SPIRIT MAKES
SURE WHEN WE APPROACH
THE THRONE THAT WE
HAVE INTELLIGIBLE WORDS
(HE DESCRAMBLES
OUR GROANINGS)**



**WHEN WE COME BEFORE
GOD WITH A BROKEN AND
HUMBLE HEART,
THE HELPER MEETS US
RIGHT THERE AND CARRIES
US TO THE FATHER**



**THE BOLDNESS WE HAVE IS
NOT BASED ON OUR ABILITY
(BECAUSE WE'RE WEAK), IT'S
BASED UPON THE **LIMITLESS**
ABUNDANT GRACE OF GOD**

JAMES 1:5

