

WALKING WITH GOD THROUGH SUFFERING
1 Peter 4:12-19

¹² Beloved, do not be surprised at the fiery trial when it comes upon you to test you, as though something strange were happening to you. ¹³ But rejoice insofar as you share Christ's sufferings, that you may also rejoice and be glad when his glory is revealed. ¹⁴ If you are insulted for the name of Christ, you are blessed, because the Spirit of glory and of God rests upon you. ¹⁵ But let none of you suffer as a murderer or a thief or an evildoer or as a meddler. ¹⁶ Yet if anyone suffers as a Christian, let him not be ashamed, but let him glorify God in that name. ¹⁷ For it is time for judgment to begin at the household of God; and if it begins with us, what will be the outcome for those who do not obey the gospel of God? ¹⁸ And "If the righteous is scarcely saved, what will become of the ungodly and the sinner?" ¹⁹ Therefore let those who suffer according to God's will entrust their souls to a faithful Creator while doing good.

1 Peter 4:12-19 (ESV)

WHEN FACED WITH SUFFERING...

...BE _____ ! (v12)

...BE _____ ! (v13-14)

...BE _____ ! (v15-17)

...BE _____ ! (v19)

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WHAT IS GOD SAYING TO ME TODAY?

WHAT I'LL DO ABOUT IT NOW:

MY ADVOCATE(S) IN THIS WILL BE:

ADDITIONAL SCRIPTURE REFERENCES

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