



Luke 17:5 NLT The apostles said to the Lord,  
"Show us HOW TO INCREASE OUR FAITH."

Enlarging our ability to confidently trust in God and in His power  
IN Favor Resources video teaching series

## #16 HOLDING ON TO OUR FAITH: IN PAIN AND SUFFERING

Job 13:15 Though he slay me, yet will I trust in him: (KJV)

Warren Wiersbe: "This is one of the greatest declarations of faith found anywhere in Scripture."

Pain and suffering are \_\_\_\_\_; they do not \_\_\_\_\_.

2 Corinthians 4:17 For our light and momentary troubles are achieving for us an eternal glory that far outweighs them all.

Revelation 21:4 'He will wipe every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death' or mourning or crying or pain, for the old order of things has passed away. (and 7:17)

Pain and suffering can \_\_\_\_\_ us \_\_\_\_\_. They offer a \_\_\_\_\_.

Psalm 119:71 It was good for me to be afflicted so that I might learn your decrees.

Pain and suffering can bring us \_\_\_\_\_ to God's \_\_\_\_\_.

Psalm 34:18 The LORD is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit.

Pain and suffering can make our \_\_\_\_\_.

Isaiah 40:31 But those who hope in the LORD will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint.

Dr. Michelle Bengtson: "In the face of adversity, human beings have always sought solace and strength from various sources, including faith in God. Faith in God offers an unparalleled comfort, especially in times of intense pain and suffering. Whether grappling with loss, facing chronic illness, or navigating through tumultuous times, faith has proven to be a beacon of hope and a source of inner strength for many. God provides extraordinary comfort during life's most challenging moments which provides solace, reinforces resilience, and inspires transformation in times of pain ... For millions around the world, their belief in God becomes a source of support, offering them renewed hope, resilience, and a guiding light through the darkest days."

(from [drnichellebengtson.com/finding-strength-god-pain](http://drnichellebengtson.com/finding-strength-god-pain), retrieved 3/9/24)

### **Pressing In:**

From the funeral notebook of Rev. Jerry Peaster: "You cannot understand ... but you can trust."



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