SURROUNDED

Finding God's Strength for Your Greatest Struggle

Part Two of Series: YOU WILL GET THROUGH THIS

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"Then he sent horses and chariots and a strong force there. They went by night and surrounded the city. When the servant of the man of God got up and went out early the next morning, an army with horses and chariots had surrounded the city. 'Oh no, my lord! What shall we do?' the servant asked. 'Don't be afraid,' the prophet answered. 'Those who are with us are more than those who are with them.' And Elisha prayed, 'Open his eyes, LORD, so that he may see.' Then the LORD opened the servant's eyes, and he looked and saw the hills full of horses and chariots of fire all around Elisha." 2 Kings 6:14-17 (NIV)

When you feel overwhelmed, ask God to open your eyes.

I. GOD IS NEVER SURPRISED BY YOUR CIRCUMSTANCES.

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II. GOD <u>SURROUNDS</u> YOU WHEN YOU FEEL <u>SURROUNDED</u>.

"Don't be afraid,' the prophet answered. 'Those who are with us are more than those who are with them.'" 2 Kings 6:16 (NIV)

You're Surrounded by

God's protection

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- God's purpose
- God's presence

"...God has said, 'Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you." Hebrews 13:5 (NIV)