

God Never Said That

Week 4: Does It Really?

Romans 8:28; Genesis 50:20

1. God Is Sovereign, but Not the Author of Suffering

- God is _____, but He is not the source of _____.
- We live in a _____ world marked by sin and pain.
- Scripture gives us permission to _____, not explain away suffering.
- Assigning reasons to pain can _____ God's heart.

2. God Works to Redeem and Bring Good from Brokenness

- Not all things are _____, but God is at work in _____ things.
- God weaves _____ into even the most painful situations.
- God's power is greater than _____ and suffering.

3. Living in Hope When Life Doesn't Make Sense

- Faith does not require _____ to trust God.
- We bring our pain _____ before the Lord.
- We trust God is _____ even when we cannot see it clearly.
- We respond to others with _____, not clichés.

God never promised everything would make _____,
but He did promise to be _____ and at work for _____.