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# Where Does Gur Hope Come From?

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## QUESTION

Where does our hope come from?

# WE SOMETIMES PLACE OUR HOPE IN

- >Our relationships or friends
- > Politicians or parties
- > Financial success or stability
- >Health and strength
- >Our home or place of residence

#### PSALM 20:7 NKJV

<sup>7</sup> Some *trust* in chariots, and some in horses; But we will remember the name of the LORD our God.

### JOB 1:21

And he said: "Naked I came from my mother's womb, And naked shall I return there. The LORD gave, and the LORD has taken away; Blessed be the name of the LORD."

#### JOB 13:15

<sup>15</sup> Though He slay me, yet will I trust Him. Even so, I will defend my own ways before Him.

#### **ROMANS 15:13**

Now may the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, that you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.

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Do You place your Hope in God in the middle of the storm?

#### ABOUND SYNONYM

Flourish, overflow, thrive, proliferate.

#### 2 CORINTHIANS 4:16-18

Therefore we do not lose heart. Even though our outward man is perishing, yet the inward man is being renewed day by day. <sup>17</sup> For our light affliction, which is but for a moment, is working for us a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory,

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while we do not look at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen. For the things which are seen are temporary, but the things which are not seen are eternal.

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#### HEBREWS 11:6

6 But without faith *it is* impossible to please *Him*, for he who comes to God must believe that He is, and *that* He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him.

#### **ROMANS 8:6-8**

<sup>6</sup> For to be carnally minded is death, but to be spiritually minded is life and peace. <sup>7</sup> Because the carnal mind is enmity against God; for it is not subject to the law of God, nor indeed can be. 8 So then, those who are in the flesh cannot please God.

#### DEFINITION

Enmity- opposed or hostile to someone or something.

#### 1 CORINTHIANS 2:14

14 But the natural man does not receive the things of the Spirit of God, for they are foolishness to him; nor can he know them, because they are spiritually discerned.

#### ROMANS 8:24-25

<sup>24</sup> For we were saved in this hope, but hope that is seen is not hope; for why does one still hope for what he sees? <sup>25</sup> But if we hope for what we do not see, we eagerly wait for *it* with perseverance.

#### DEFINITION

**Hope** - a feeling of expectation and desire for a certain thing or things to happen. A feeling of trust.

### QUOTE

True Faith means holding nothing back. It means putting every hope in God's devotion to his promises.
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