

PHILADELPHIA CHURCH

All Things Work Together For Good

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JOHN 14:6

⁶ Jesus answered, “I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.

1 CORINTHIANS 15:1-11

Now, brothers and sisters, I want to remind you of the gospel I preached to you, which you received and on which you have taken your stand. ² By this gospel you are saved, if you hold firmly to the word I preached to you. Otherwise, you have believed in vain. ³ For what I received I passed on to you as of first importance: that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, ⁴ that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures, ⁵ and that he appeared to Cephas, and then to the Twelve. ⁶ After that, he appeared to more than five hundred of the brothers and sisters at the same time, most of whom are still living, though some have fallen asleep.

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⁷ Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles, ⁸ and last of all he appeared to me also, as to one abnormally born.⁹ For I am the least of the apostles and do not even deserve to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. ¹⁰ But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace to me was not without effect. No, I worked harder than all of them—yet not I, but the grace of God that was with me. ¹¹ Whether, then, it is I or they, this is what we preach, and this is what you believed.

ROMANS 8:28-29

²⁸ And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose. ²⁹ For those God foreknew he also predestined to be conformed to the image of his Son, that he might be the firstborn among many brothers and sisters.

4 THINGS GOD DOES THROUGH OUR PROBLEMS:

1- He brings us Direction

2- He brings us Correction

- Hebrews 12:5-6- ⁵ And have you completely forgotten this word of encouragement that addresses you as a father addresses his son? It says, “My son, do not make light of the Lord’s discipline, and do not lose heart when he rebukes you,⁶ because the Lord disciplines the one he loves, and he chastens everyone he accepts as his son.

4 THINGS GOD DOES THROUGH OUR PROBLEMS:

3- He brings us Protection

- Proverbs 18:10- ¹⁰ The name of the LORD is a fortified tower; the righteous run to it and are safe.

4- He brings us Perfection

- Philippians 1:6- ⁶ being confident of this, that he who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus.

OBSERVATION

We often judge what we cannot see by
what we can see.

ROMANS 8:28

28 And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose.

EPHESIANS 2:10

¹⁰ For we are God's handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do.