

Your Brightest Moments



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OUR PURPOSE: To be a community of believers where, no matter who you are, you can experience life change through Jesus Christ.

Christians are to be DIFFERENT.

Your DARKEST hour can become your BRIGHTEST moments.

30 Now Lot went up out of Zoar and lived in the hills with his two daughters, for he was afraid to live in Zoar. So he lived in a cave with his two daughters. 31 And the firstborn said to the younger, "Our father is old, and there is not a man on earth to come in to us after the manner of all the earth. 32 Come, let us make our father drink wine, and we will lie with him, that we may preserve offspring from our father." 33 So they made their father drink wine that night. And the firstborn went in and lay with her father. He did not know when she lay down or when she arose. 34 The next day, the firstborn said to the younger, "Behold, I lay last night with my father. Let us make him drink wine tonight also. Then you go in and lie with him, that we may preserve offspring from our father." 35 So they made their father drink wine that night also. And the younger arose and lay with him, and he did not know when she lay down or when she arose.

—Genesis 19:30-35 (ESV)

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1. FEAR

He said to him, "Behold, I grant you this favor also, that I will not overthrow the city of which you have spoken. Escape there quickly, for I can do nothing till you arrive there." Therefore the name of the city was called Zoar.

—Genesis 19:21-22 (ESV)

Don't trust the PAIN of the past; instead, trust God's PROMISES in the present.

God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. Therefore we will not fear though the earth gives way, though the mountains be moved into the heart of the sea, though its waters roar and foam, though the mountains tremble at its swelling. "Be still, and know that I am God. I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth!"

—Psalm 46:1-3,10 (ESV)

The opposite of fear is FAITH

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2. ISOLATION

We are not meant to bear our burdens ALONE.

15 Rejoice with those who rejoice, weep with those who weep.

—Romans 12:15 (ESV)

The opposite of isolation is COMMUNITY.

31 And the firstborn said to the younger, "Our father is old, and there is not a man on earth to come in to us after the manner of all the earth.

—Genesis 19:31 (ESV)

3. SELF-CONSUMED

The opposite of self-consumed is OTHERS FOCUSED

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our affliction, so that we may be able to comfort those who are in any affliction, with the comfort with which we ourselves are comforted by God.

—2 Corinthians 1:3-4 (ESV)

God comforts the pain IN our lives in order to pour blessing THROUGH our lives.

Come, let us make our father drink wine, and we will lie with him, that we may preserve offspring from our father.”

—Genesis 19:32 (ESV)

4. ESCAPE IT

The opposite of escape it is ENGAGE IT

3 He was despised and rejected by men; a man of sorrows, and acquainted with grief; and as one from whom men hide their faces he was despised, and we esteemed him not.

—Isaiah 53:3 (ESV)