## BEING STILL

**PSALM 46:10** 



"Be still and know that I am God: I will be exalted among the heathen, I will be exalted in the earth."

### OUTLINE

Introduction

• Lesson 1: We Need to Be Still When We are TROUBLED

• Lesson 2: We Need to Be Still When We are OVERWHELMED

• Lesson 3: We Need to Be Still When We are DESPERATE

Conclusion

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#### BE STILL...WHEN TROUBLED

ARE YOU WORRIED, AGITATED, OR UPSET?

• 2 Corinthians 4:8- Trouble will happen but we need not let it negatively impact us. John 14:1; 18

• Psalm 3:1-6-We might feel "outnumbered," but we need not lose heart. 2
Thessalonians 1:7

• Luke 10:41- Life is full of cares and responsibilities, but we must keep our priorities. 2 Chronicles 15:4

# BE STILL...WHEN OVERWHELMED DO YOU FEEL LIKE LIFE IS "FLOODING" YOU OUT?

• Jeremiah 1:6- We can feel overwhelmed for time. Matthew 10:19; Luke 21:15

• Luke 1:29-34-We might feel overwhelmed because of responsibility.

• When we feel overwhelmed, think like Peter. Matthew 14:30

• James 1:2-4- We must see trials as God does. 2 Peter 1:6

#### BE STILL...WHEN AT THE POINT OF DESPERATION

#### WHAT IS A CHRISTIAN TO DO WHEN HOPELESSNESS SETS IN?

• Numbers 9:8- Moses did not "solve" the issue by himself.

• 1 Samuel 9:27- Samuel did not "take it upon" himself.

• **Job 37:14-** How can we show God the proper reverence?

• **Psalm 46:10-** Do not lose confidence in God. Do not try to "work out" life's problems by yourself.

### CONCLUSION

"Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye stedfast, unmoveable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord."

1 Corinthians 15:58

#### INVITATION

"Repent therefore of this thy wickedness, and pray God if perhaps the thought of thine heart may be forgiven thee."

Acts 8:22