

PERSECUTION MEANS BLESSINGS ARE ON THE WAY

Daily Meditation – Thursday September 3, 2026

The Bible says, “But thanks be to God, who *always* leads us in His triumph in Christ” (2 Cor. 2:14).¹

Many times, when heavy persecution comes it is because you are living right, and the Word is in you. The devil knows if he does not get it out, you are going to cause big problems to his kingdom. So, when heavy persecution comes, be happy and praise God because you are now one of God’s generals. God knows He can count on you to get big assignments done for His kingdom, so get excited.

It means you made it to the Olympics. Individuals work hard, for years, even decades, to make it to the Olympics. When they finally make it, they do not say, “Well, I am nervous I might fall down and break my ankle.” No, they get excited and practice what they have been called to do, even more. So, when persecution comes, rejoice!

I have red letters in my Bible. That means Jesus Himself said it. He said, “I have told you these things, so that in Me you may have [perfect] peace and confidence. In the world you have tribulation and trials and distress and frustration; but be of good cheer [take courage; be confident, certain, undaunted]! For I have overcome the world. [I have deprived it of power to harm you and have conquered it for you]” (Jn. 16:33 AMPC).

Meditate on that and get those verses deep in your spirit. He deprived the world of power for you. Do you recall the first verse I gave you? The Apostle Paul said, “But thanks be to God, who *always* leads us in His triumph in Christ” (2 Cor. 2:14).

¹ All Scripture quotations, unless otherwise noted, are from the *New American Standard Bible*.

PRAYER FOR SALVATION – Father God, I repent of all my sins, and I believe You raised Jesus from the dead. I confess that Jesus Christ is the Lord of my life. Jesus, wash me with your holy blood. Holy Spirit fill me so I can be a mighty witness for King Jesus!