# **Divin' In** – Wednesday Night Bible Study

THE CHURCH OF THE SPRINGS - 10/2/24

"'How long, O Lord, must I call for help? But You do not listen!' 'Violence is everywhere,' I cry, 'but You do not come to save!'"

NLT

- from Habakkuk 1:2

# God, it's YOUR fault!





"O God, why have You **rejected** us so long? Why is Your anger so intense against the **sheep** of Your own pasture?"

#### Job 7:19-20 NCV

"Will You never look away from me or leave me **alone** even long enough to swallow my spit? Why have You made me Your **target**? Have I become a heavy load for you?"

# 2 Timothy 4:9-10a,16 NLT

"Please come as soon as you can. Demas has **deserted** me because he loves the things of this life and has gone to Thessalonica....the first time I was brought before the judge, no one was with me. Everyone had **abandoned** me. I hope it will not be counted against them."

#### Psalm 22:1-2 [A Psalm of David] ESV

"My God, my God, why have You **forsaken** me? Why are You so far from saving me, from the words of my **groaning**? O my God, I cry by day, but You do not answer, and [I cry] by night, but I find no rest."

#### Mark 15:33-34 ESV

"And when the sixth hour had come, there was **darkness** over the whole land until the ninth hour. And at the ninth hour Jesus cried with a loud voice, "Eloi, Eloi, lema sabachthani?" which means, "My God, my God, why have you **forsaken** Me?"

# **Genesis 21:15-17** NIV

"When the water in the skin was gone, [Hagar] put the boy under one of the bushes. Then she went off and sat down about [a hundred yards] away, for she thought, "I cannot watch the boy die." And as she sat there, she began to sob. God heard the boy crying, and the angel of God called to Hagar from heaven and said to her, "What is the matter, Hagar? Do not be afraid; God has heard the young Ishmael crying as he lies there."

#### 2 Corinthians 11:17, 24-25; 12:9b VOICE

"What I am saying now is not in character with our Lord but is the **bragging** of a self-assured fool.....Five times I have withstood **thirty-nine** lashes from Jewish authorities, three times I was battered with rods, once I was almost **stoned** to death, three times I was shipwrecked, and I spent one day and night adrift on the sea.... I have survived toil and hardships, **sleepless** nights, hunger and thirst without a crumb in sight, **shivered** in the cold.... So now I am glad to boast about my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ can work through me."

## **Job 40:2,8** VOICE

"Shall a faultfinder contend with the Almighty? He who argues with God, let him answer it. Will you even put Me in the wrong? Will you **condemn** Me that you may be in the right?"

### Deuteronomy 29:29 NLT

"The Lord our God has **secrets** known to no one. We are not accountable for them, but we and our children ARE accountable forever for all that He HAS **revealed** to us, so that we may obey all the terms of these instructions.

### James 5:10-11 NLT

"For examples of **patience** in suffering, dear brothers and sisters, look at the prophets who spoke in the Name of the Lord. We give great **honor** to those who endure under suffering....you know about Job, a man of great endurance. You can see how the Lord was kind to him at the end, for the Lord is full of tenderness and **mercy**."

