



Never Alone

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Scripture Meditation

“Be strong and courageous. ... Do not be afraid or terrified because of them, for the Lord your God goes with you; he will never leave you nor forsake you.”

Deuteronomy 31:16

30 Day Gratitude Journal

Write about the most awesome time when you knew you were in the presence of God.

30 Day Gratitude Challenge

Invite someone to have a meal with you.

Prayer Concentration:

Pray for your single friends who desire and are seeking to be in a loving relationship.

Prayer of Gratitude

Lord we thank You for the ability to be still. When we find ourselves in circumstances and situations beyond our control, remind us that You are in charge. Remind us that we are not helpless, nor our situation hopeless. Remind us that we have another choice. Help us to choose to be still. In Jesus Name we pray, **amen.**

Observation

Deuteronomy 31:16 is a Scripture that I lean on daily. GOD said that HE will never leave me, nor will HE ever forsake me. GOD has kept that promise to me over and over and over again.

When I feel weak and discouraged, I know that God is there. I've been in some scary and terrifying situations, but I was able to be courageous because I knew that God would always be there even in my darkest hour.

God is and always has been an amazing and very present God in my life, and He continues to be available. Think about it! What if God took a vacation? A nap even? Put HIS phone on Do Not Disturb? Decided to give up on us? Most of all, what if He decided to STOP FORGIVING? NOPE! HE is still in the forgiving business. Hallelujah! HE is NEVER too busy for me! No matter where I am or what I need, HE answers. It may not always be the answer that I want, but HE answers. I'm grateful for that.

I'm grateful that HE chose me by name, indeed. I trust HIM! I would have been eaten alive if it was not for GOD on my side. I would have overdosed on loneliness even though I was in a crowd of people. I'm grateful because He loves me enough to continue to deliver me from evil not just today but all the days of my life.

I'm grateful today because HE's always had me, but now I HAVE HIM. I'm grateful because during this upcoming season I'm not alone, I'm not afraid, and I'll stay strong if I continue to abide in HIM and HE in me.

GOD is and always will be my source of strength, and I stand boldly and firmly on HIS word. I'm working diligently to give HIM praise, honor, and glory in everything I say, everything I think and everything I do. When I don't make the mark, I ask for forgiveness and try to get it right again. Follow me as I follow Christ, and you will be able to Taste and See that the Lord thy God is Good. INDEED!

Questions to Ponder

Name a time when you felt alone or out of the presence of God. How did God reveal Himself to you?
