

Change your Worry to Trust

- **1 Pet 5:5-7**
- **5** Young men, in the same way be submissive to those who are older. All of you, clothe yourselves with humility toward one another, because, "God opposes the proud but gives grace to the humble."
- **6** Humble yourselves, therefore, under God's mighty hand, that he may lift you up in due time.
- **7** **Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you.**

- God is getting you ready for what he has ready for you.

- **John 10:27-29**
- 27 My sheep listen to my voice; I know them, and they follow me.
- 28 I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish; no one can snatch them out of my hand.
- 29 My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all; **no one can snatch them out of my Father's hand.**

- **John 10:17-18**
- 17 The reason my Father loves me is that I lay down my life-- only to take it up again.
- **18 No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord.** I have authority to lay it down

- John 19:10-11
- 10 "Do you refuse to speak to me?" Pilate said. "Don't you realize I have power either to free you or to crucify you?"
- 11 Jesus answered, **"You would have no power over me if it were not given to you from above."**
- Even Jesus had to submit his plans and expectations to the will of God. He had to face a death to personal comfort.

- **Look at all the expectations of how God was going to move that Naaman had.**
 - **Elisha would come out and see him. Maybe put some oil on him. Wave his arms.**
 - **Take his money.**
 - **There are better waters in my homeland.**
 - **Why seven times.**

- Psalm 84
- 5 Blessed are those whose strength is in you, who have set their hearts on pilgrimage.
- As they pass through the Valley of Baca,
- **Baca means weeping**
- they make it a place of springs; the autumn rains also cover it with pools.
- **7 They go from strength to strength, till each appears before God in Zion.**

- **Isa 1:18-20**
- 18 "Come now, let us **reason together**," says the LORD. "Though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they are red as crimson, they shall be like wool.
- **19 If you are willing and obedient, you will eat the best from the land;**
- 20 but if you resist and rebel, you will be devoured by the sword." For the mouth of the LORD has spoken.