



# NEW LIFE TODAY

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## TITLE: DIVINE HELP

*“Likewise the Spirit also helpeth our infirmities: for we know not what we should pray for as we ought: but the Spirit itself maketh intercession for us with groanings which cannot be uttered. <sup>27</sup> And he that searcheth the hearts knoweth what is the mind of the Spirit, because he maketh intercession for the saints according to the will of God. <sup>28</sup> And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are the called according to his purpose. <sup>29</sup> For whom he did foreknow, he also did predestinate to be conformed to the image of his Son, that he might be the firstborn among many brethren.” (Romans 8:26-29)*

## INTRODUCTION \_\_\_\_\_

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*“Ye are of God, little children, and have overcome them: because greater is he that is in you, than he that is in the world.” (1 John 4:4)*

*“And I will pray the Father, and he shall give you another Comforter, that he may abide with you for ever; <sup>17</sup> Even the Spirit of truth; whom the world cannot receive, because it seeth him not, neither knoweth him: but ye know him; for he dwelleth with you, and shall be in you.” (John 14:16-17)*

## 1. \_\_\_\_\_ Prayer

A. \_\_\_\_\_

B. \_\_\_\_\_

HE INTERCEDES PERSONALLY

HE INTERCEDES KNOWINGLY

*“For what man knoweth the things of a man, save the spirit of man which is in him? even so the things of God knoweth no man, but the Spirit of God.” (1 Corinthians 2:11)*

*“But the Lord said unto Samuel, Look not on his countenance, or on the height of his stature; because I have refused him: for the Lord seeth not as man seeth; for man looketh on the outward appearance, but the Lord looketh on the heart.” (1 Samuel 16:7)*

*“Who is he that condemneth? It is Christ that died, yea rather, that is risen again, who is even at the right hand of God, who also maketh intercession for us.” (Romans 8:34)*

*“My little children, these things write I unto you, that ye sin not. And if any man sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous.” (1 John 2:1)*

## 2. \_\_\_\_\_ Perspective

### A. \_\_\_\_\_ in Trials

#### THE CERTAINTY

*“Beloved, think it not strange concerning the fiery trial which is to try you, as though some strange thing happened unto you.” (1 Peter 4:12)*

#### THE EXTENT

**Quote:** “God is always in charge; even our enemies are His tools.”

**Quote:** “Satan wishes to destroy our faith through suffering. God desires to refine it.”

*“And not only so, but we glory in tribulations also: knowing that tribulation worketh patience; <sup>4</sup> And patience, experience; and experience, hope: <sup>5</sup> And hope maketh not ashamed; because the love of God is shed abroad in our hearts by the Holy Ghost which is given unto us.” (Romans 5:3–5)*

#### THE SYNERGY OF TRIALS

*“All the paths of the LORD are mercy and truth unto such as keep his covenant and his testimonies.” (Psalm 25:10)*

**Quote:** “Yes, in the maddening maze of things, and tossed by storm and flood, to one fixed trust my spirit clings; I know that God is good!”—**John Greenleaf Whittier**, *The Eternal Goodness*

**B. \_\_\_\_\_ in Trials**

*“And Jacob their father said unto them, Me have ye bereaved of my children: Joseph is not, and Simeon is not, and ye will take Benjamin away: all these things are against me.” (Genesis 42:36)*

*“But as for you, ye thought evil against me; but God meant it unto good, to bring to pass, as it is this day, to save much people alive.” (Genesis 50:20)*

*“Unless thy law had been my delights, I should then have perished in mine affliction.” (Psalm 119:92)*

**3. \_\_\_\_\_ Purpose**

**A. For the \_\_\_\_\_**

WE ARE FOREKNOWN

WE ARE PRE-DESTINED FOR A PURPOSE

*“Having predestinated us unto the adoption of children by Jesus Christ to himself, according to the good pleasure of his will, <sup>6</sup> To the praise of the glory of his grace, wherein he hath made us accepted in the beloved.” (Ephesians 1:5-6)*

**B. For Our \_\_\_\_\_**

IN THIS LIFE

*“My little children, of whom I travail in birth again until Christ be formed in you,” (Galatians 4:19)*

IN ETERNAL LIFE

*“Beloved, now are we the sons of God, and it doth not yet appear what we shall be: but we know that, when he shall appear, we shall be like him; for we shall see him as he is.” (1 John 3:2)*

**C. For His \_\_\_\_\_**

**Quote:** “God’s glory is the highest good of the universe.”

*“And he is before all things, and by him all things consist. <sup>18</sup> And he is the head of the body, the church: who is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead; that in all things he might have the preeminence.” (Colossians 1:17-18)*

*“For our light affliction, which is but for a moment, worketh  
for us a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory.”  
(2 Corinthians 4:17)*

## CONCLUSION

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