

THURSDAY

There are so many truths in the Bible for you as a child of God. It is so important to tuck these into your minds... especially when doubt, fear, anxiety, or depression hits. Here are some of the truths that the bible gives us.

- The very moment you accept Jesus, he sets up His home within you through the Holy Spirit. **(Galatians 2:20)** "Christ lives in me!" Your relationship is NOT long distance.
- Because Jesus lives in you, you have hope! And He will not, cannot, ever leave you. Where you go, He goes. You are united or fused with Christ. **(Colossians 1:27)** "Christ in you, the hope of glory."
- Listen to God! He NEVER changes with the times, fads, popularity, or theories. He always gives the same advice. Go to Him for advice. He lives in you, so talk to Him. Open your Bible and see what He thinks about everything.
- God created you! **(Psalm 139:13)** "You formed my inward parts; you knit me together in my mother's womb." Think: The creator of everything, knows what He created inside and out, and knows what He created you for. He created you to know and love Him, and His son Jesus, to respond to God, not to your flesh or the world. We were made for God – to love and be loved by Him. You are on the same team!
- You no longer have to fear death! **(Hebrews 2:14)** "He... frees those who all their lives were held in slavery by their fear of death."
- You do not need to fall apart or give up when you go through hard times. Everything will work out in the end if you love Jesus. If it's not working out, it's not the end. **(Romans 8:28)** "All things work together for good for those who love the Lord..." God is not the author of pain and suffering. That comes from our broken, sinful world.

Questions:

1. As a child of God, what is true about your identity in Him?
2. In your own life, how have you seen God as a good Father?
3. What does it mean to know that you can always trust in what God says is true?
4. What are some truths that God says about you?
5. Is there a truth that God is speaking to you right now during your current circumstances that are hard for you to believe?