

Dont Be Offended By Trouble Part 2

Mark 4:17 (AMPC)

And they have no real root in themselves, and so they endure for a little while; then when trouble or persecution arises on account of the Word, they immediately are offended (become displeased, indignant, resentful) and they stumble and fall away.

1 Peter 5:9 (AMPC)

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Isaiah 61:3 (AMPC)

To grant [consolation and joy] to those who mourn in Zion—to give them an ornament (a garland or diadem) of beauty instead of ashes, the oil of joy instead of mourning, the garment [expressive] of praise instead of a heavy, burdened, and failing spirit—that they may be called oaks of righteousness [lofty, strong, and magnificent, distinguished for uprightness, justice, and right standing with God], the planting of the Lord, that He may be glorified.

1 Thessalonians 5:18 (NIV)

give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.

Ephesians 5:20 (NIV)

always giving thanks to God the Father for everything, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Daniel 3:16-18 (NIV)

Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego replied to him, "King Nebuchadnezzar, we do not need to defend ourselves before you in this matter. If we are thrown into the blazing furnace, the God we serve is able to deliver us from it, and he will deliver us from Your Majesty's hand. But even if he does not, we want you to know, Your Majesty, that we will not serve your gods or worship the image of gold you have set up."FootnotesDaniel 3:17Or If the God we serve is able to deliver us, then he will deliver us from the blazing furnace and

Philippians 4:13 (NIV)

I can do all this through him who gives me strength.

Philippians 4:11 (NIV)

I am not saying this because I am in need, for I have learned to be content whatever the circumstances.

Luke 6:40 (NIV)

The student is not above the teacher, but everyone who is fully trained will be like their teacher.