





Romans 12:11, 1 Corinthians 10:31, Colossians 3:22

“Not slothful in business; fervent in spirit; serving the Lord” Ro. 12:11 (KJV)

“So eat your meals heartily, not worrying about what others say about you—you're eating to God's glory, after all, not to please them. As a matter of fact, do everything that way, heartily and freely to God's glory.” 1 Corinthians 10:31 (MSG)

“Servants, do what you’re told by your earthly masters. And don’t just do the minimum that will get you by. Do your best.” (Col. 3:22 MSG)



Good Times / Bad Times

Giving God our best in good times and in bad times, and especially in the worst of times, is the way to reap the best of God in all times.

Learning from the nation of Israel...



When the Israelites crossed the Red Sea



The Israelites march around Jericho





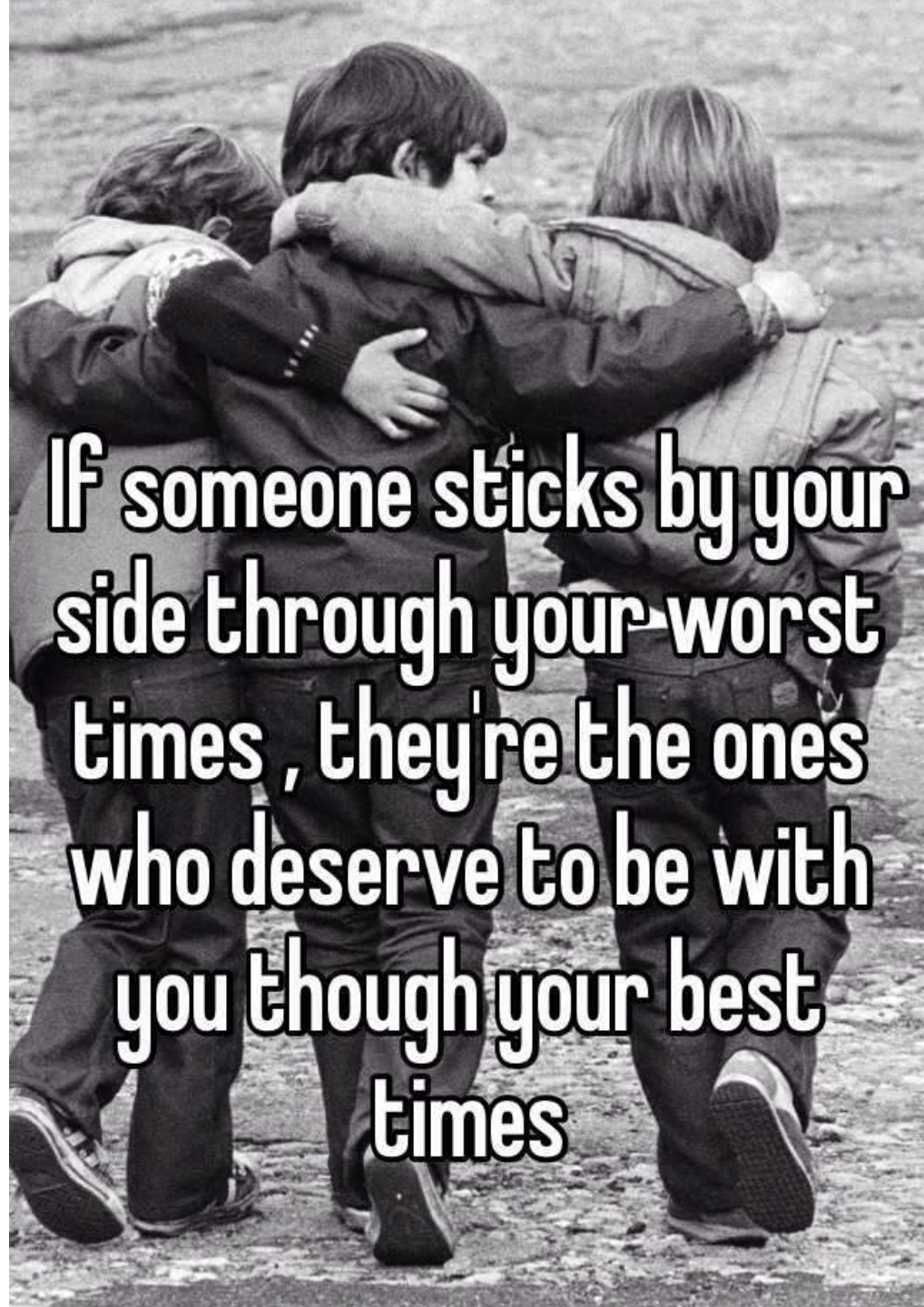
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Learning from the worst of
times will prepare you for the
best of times.

-Billy Cox-

Oft times the best times to show true friendship are in the worst of times.

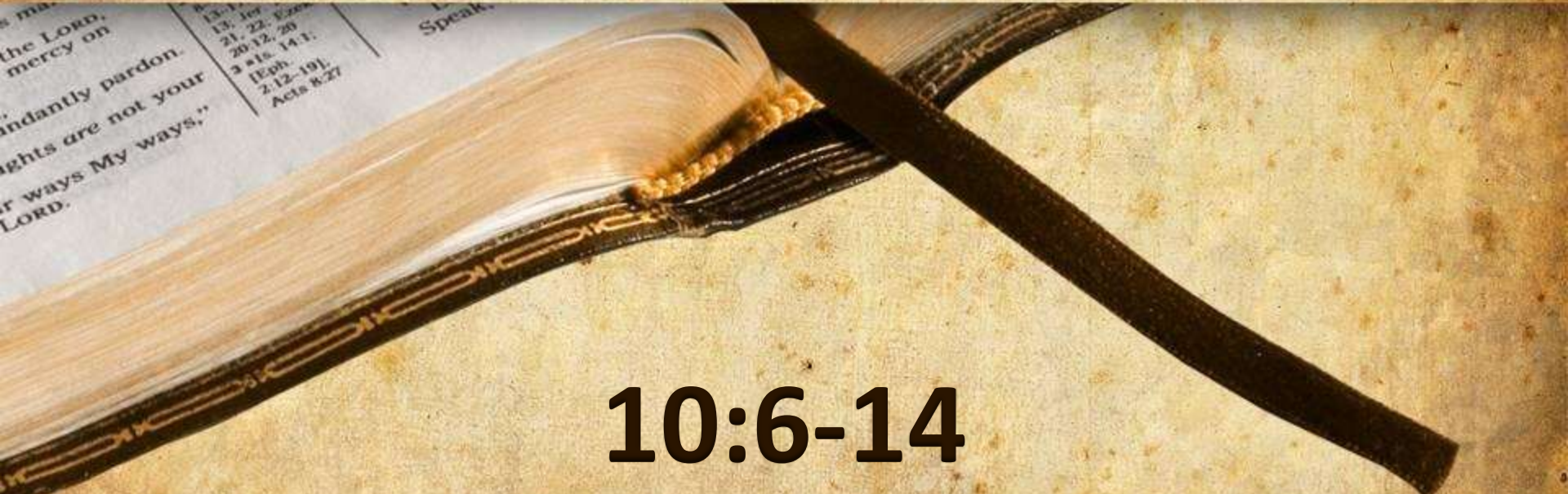
Oft times, the best time to share the gospel is in the worst times.



If someone sticks by your side through your worst times, they're the ones who deserve to be with you though your best times



JOSHUA



10:6-14

Defining ↔ Moments



Decisions that define your life

²⁴ For we were saved in this unseen hope, for hope that is seen is not hope; for why does one still hope for what he sees? ² But if we hope for what we do not see, we eagerly wait for *it* with perseverance.

²⁶ Likewise the Spirit also helps in our weaknesses. For we do not know what we should pray for as we ought, but the Spirit Himself makes intercession for us with groanings which cannot be uttered.



Romans 8:24-36

²⁷ Now He who searches the hearts knows what the mind of the Spirit *is*, because He makes intercession for the saints according to *the will of God*. ²⁸ **And we know that all things work together for good to those who love God, to those who are the called according to *His* purpose.** ²⁹ For whom He foreknew, He also predestined *to be* conformed to the image of His Son, that He might be the firstborn among many brethren.



Romans 8:24-36

³⁰ Moreover whom He predestined, these He also called; whom He called, these He also justified; and whom He justified, these He also glorified. ³¹ What then shall we say to these things? If God *is* for us, who *can be* against us? ³² He who did not spare His own Son, but delivered Him up for us all, how shall He not with Him also freely give us all things? ³³ Who shall bring a charge against God's elect? *It is* God who justifies.




Romans 8:24-36

³⁴ Who *is* he who condemns? *It is* Christ who died, and furthermore is also risen, who is even at the right hand of God, who also makes intercession for us. ³⁵ Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? *Shall* tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? ³⁶ As it is written: "*For Your sake we are killed all day long; We are accounted as sheep for the slaughter.*"



Romans 8:24-36

A glowing Earth with a rainbow-like aura. The Earth is the central focus, showing continents and oceans. It is surrounded by a bright, multi-colored ring of light that transitions from blue on the left to red on the right, with yellow and orange in the middle. The background is a dark, starry space.


THE EARTH IS
THE LORD'S,
& ALL ITS FULLNESS,
THE WORLD
AND THOSE WHO
DWELL THEREIN.

PSALM 24:1

Turn to Jesus!



He won't turn you away.

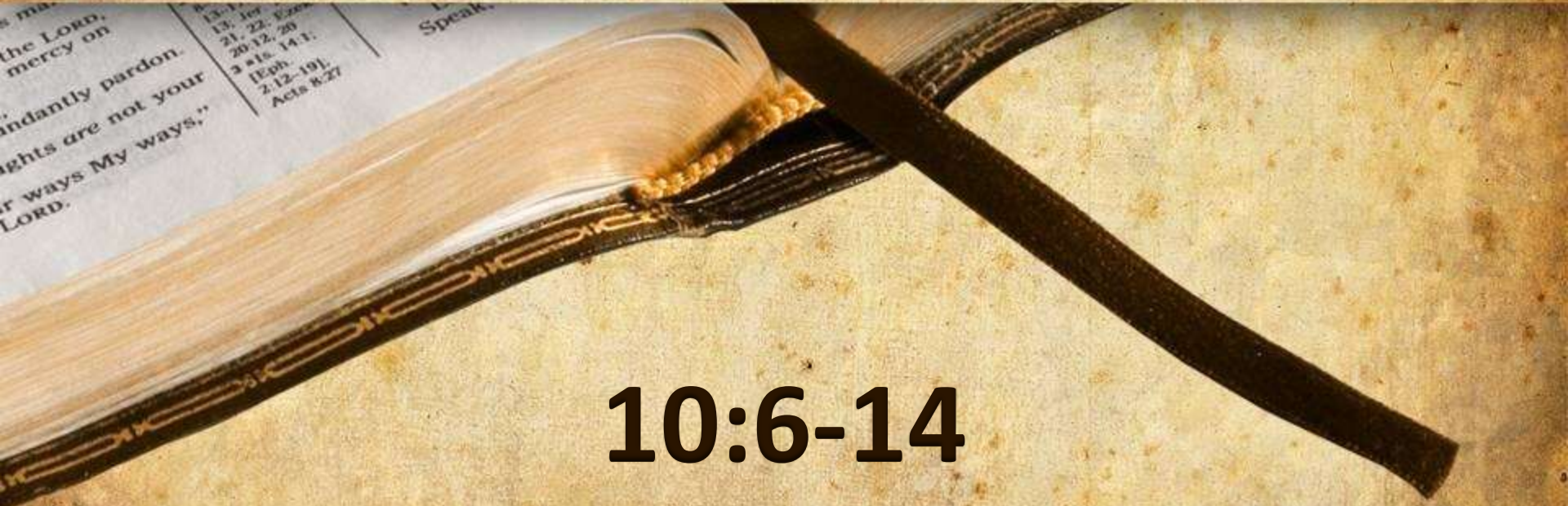


For I know well the plans I have in mind for you,
says the Lord,
plans for your welfare, not for woe!
plans to give you a future full of hope.
When you call me, when you go to pray to me,
I will listen to you.
When you look for me, you will find me.
Yes, when you seek me with all your heart,
you will find me with you, says the Lord.

Jeremiah 29:11-14



JOSHUA



10:6-14



"WHEN EVERYTHING SEEMS TO BE GOING AGAINST YOU, REMEMBER THAT THE AIRPLANE TAKES OFF AGAINST THE WIND, NOT WITH IT." ~HENRY FORD



THE GOSPEL



(n) good news,
how God rescues the world through Jesus

A silhouette of a person jumping joyfully against a sunset sky over a beach. The person is in mid-air, with arms and legs spread wide, suggesting a moment of pure happiness or freedom. The background shows a sunset with warm orange and yellow tones, transitioning into a darker blue sky. The beach and ocean are visible in the foreground, with the sun low on the horizon.

**“I CAME THAT
THEY MAY HAVE
LIFE AND HAVE IT**

ABUNDANTLY”

- JESUS

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John 10:10

Isaiah 61:1

The SPIRIT of the Lord GOD is upon ME
Because the LORD has anointed Me.

The Sovereign Lord GOD has sent Me:-

To bring good news to the afflicted

To bind up the broken-hearted,

To proclaim liberty to captives

And freedom to prisoners..



And the angel said
unto them, Fear not:

for, behold, I bring you good tidings of
great joy, which shall be to all people.

¹¹For unto you is born this day in the
city of David a Saviour, which is Christ
the Lord. - Luke 2:10-11





Give God
your **BEST**
because
He gave you
His **BEST**