

Tuning In: When God is silent

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Jeremiah: "Why is my pain perpetual and my wound incurable, which refuses to be healed? Will You be to me like a deceitful brook, like waters that fail?"

Jeremiah 15:18 ESV

Paul: "Three times I pleaded with the Lord about this, that it should leave me. But He said to me, 'My grace is sufficient for you, for My power is made perfect in weakness.'"

2 Corinthians 12:8-9 ESV

David: "How long, O Lord? Will You forget me forever? How long will You hide Your face from me?"

Psalms 13:1 ESV

Truly I tell you, among those born of women there has not risen anyone greater than John the Baptist; yet whoever is least in the kingdom of heaven is greater than he.

Matthew 11:11 NIV

When Jesus heard that John the Baptist had been put in prison, He withdrew to Galilee. Leaving Nazareth, He went and lived in Capernaum...

Matthew 4:12-13 NIV

When John, who was in prison, heard about the deeds of the Messiah, he sent his disciples to ask Him, "Are You the One who is to come, or should we expect someone else?" Jesus replied, "Go back and report to John what you hear and see: The blind receive sight, the lame walk, those who have leprosy are cleansed, the deaf hear, the dead are raised, and the good news is proclaimed to the poor."

Matthew 11:2-5 NIV



REFLECTION QUESTIONS

1. What issue do you feel that God has been silent about in your life?
2. How would you provide encouragement to someone who is experiencing silence from God?