

Encounter Him

Luke 4:18-19 “The Spirit of the Lord is on me, because he has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim freedom for the prisoners and recovery of sight for the blind, to set the oppressed free, to proclaim the year of the Lord’s favor.”

Isaiah 1:5-6 Why should you be beaten anymore? Why do you persist in rebellion? Your whole head is injured, your whole heart afflicted. From the sole of your foot to the top of your head there is no soundness—only wounds and welts and open sores, not cleansed or bandaged or soothed with olive oil.

_____ wounds have always distorted humanity’s view of who our Father in Heaven is and how deeply He loves us.

The plan is to make you _____ your Father in Heaven to people in your life; and formulate an opinion of who He is based on what others say and do instead of trusting solely on the Word of God empowered by the Holy Spirit.

He attacks your _____ by making you doubt your beliefs instead of believing your beliefs and doubting your doubts.

He uses catastrophes, calamities, conflict, condemnation, and corruption to shape and _____ your heart, mind, and soul.

He throws the following terrible D’s at you:

Disappointment

Discontent

Discord, Division, and Disdain

Discouragement

Difficulty

Delay

Desperate

Doubt

Detours...The devil will always provide an illegitimate route to get a legitimate _____ met.

Doing, Doing, Doing

Disbelief

Disillusionment

Deception

Disobedience

Despair

Destruction

John 10:10 the thief comes to steal, kill, and destroy but I have come that they may have life and life abundantly.

James 5:16 Therefore confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective.

The easiest way to understand grace is to see yourself in your _____ before Christ and to see yourself changed as a result of grace and the finished work of Christ.

Hebrews 4:16 Let us therefore come boldly to the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

