

UNSTOPPABLE

THE GOSPEL IN MOTION

Devotion Info *Peace in Chaos*

DAY 1 Read Acts 7:51 and 7:54

[51] "You stubborn people! You are heathen at heart and deaf to the truth. Must you forever resist the Holy Spirit? That's what your ancestors did, and so do you!"

Acts 7:51 NLT

[54] The Jewish leaders were infuriated by Stephen's accusation, and they shook their fists at him in rage.

Acts 7:54 NLT

- Have you ever been called out on your sin? If so, how have you reacted?
- Is there someone, that trusts you, that you need to call out for their sin?
- How can you do that without hurting that relationship?

DAY 2 Read Acts 7:55-56

[55] But Stephen, full of the Holy Spirit, gazed steadily into heaven and saw the glory of God, and he saw Jesus standing in the place of honor at God's right hand. [56] And he told them, "Look, I see the heavens opened and the Son of Man standing in the place of honor at God's right hand!"

Acts 7:55-56 NLT

- When you're going through a chaotic situation, where do you turn?
 - If it's to the things of the world, how do you focus your eyes on Jesus?
- Is there a situation going on in your life now that you need to give to Jesus?

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DAY 3 Read Romans 8:22-25

[22] For we know that all creation has been groaning as in the pains of childbirth right up to the present time. [23] And we believers also groan, even though we have the Holy Spirit within us as a foretaste of future glory, for we long for our bodies to be released from sin and suffering. We, too, wait with eager hope for the day when God will give us our full rights as his adopted children, including the new bodies he has promised us. [24] We were given this hope when we were saved. (If we already have something, we don't need to hope for it. [25] But if we look forward to something we don't yet have, we must wait patiently and confidently.)

Romans 8:22-25 NLT

- When you're in the middle of chaos, how do you remind yourself to look to Jesus?
 - Remember, we have a hope, in Christ, that transforms all understanding!

DAY 4 Read Acts 7:57-58

[57] Then they put their hands over their ears and began shouting. They rushed at him [58] and dragged him out of the city and began to stone him. His accusers took off their coats and laid them at the feet of a young man named Saul.

Acts 7:57-58 NLT

- Have you ever acted like the religious leaders?
 - If so, is there someone you need to forgive that was on the receiving end of your anger?
- Do you have a trusted friend that will call your sin out?
 - If not, is there someone you can ask to do this for you?

DAY 5 Read Acts 7:59-60

[59] As they stoned him, Stephen prayed, "Lord Jesus, receive my spirit." [60] He fell to his knees, shouting, "Lord, don't charge them with this sin!" And with that, he died.

Acts 7:59-60 NLT

- Have you put your faith in Jesus?
- Do you have someone in mind that you need to share the gospel with?
- Is there someone in your life you need to forgive?

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