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# Resources



# Selected scripture verses that bring comfort to those who are hurting:

## Joshua 1:9

Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be terrified; do not be discouraged, for the LORD your God will be with you wherever you go.

## Psalm 5:1-4

Give ear to my words, O LORD, consider my sighing. Listen to my cry for help, my King and my God, for to you I pray. In the morning, O LORD, you hear my voice; in the morning I lay my requests before you and wait in expectation. You are not a God who takes pleasure in evil; with you the wicked cannot dwell.

## Psalm 46:1-3

God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble. Therefore we will not fear, though the earth give way and the mountains fall into the heart of the sea, though its waters roar and foam and the mountains quake with their surging.

## A prayer that offers hope...

In the Bible, we read in I Corinthians 13 that  
faith, hope and love  
are building blocks of our human existence.

Lord of all, grant us faith  
Faith to believe that with you all things are possible.

God of mercy, grant us hope  
Hope to claim tomorrow as a different day,  
full of new possibilities.

Prince of Peace, grant us love  
Love to empower others and to be empowered.

With faith, hope and love as our companions  
May we walk the journey of life with a renewed heart.

