



# St Barnabas

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# THE GOSPEL





**JESUS IS THE GOOD NEWS!**

Matthew, Mark, Luke & John

A person wearing a bright yellow jacket is holding a large white sign on a city street. The sign has the text "EVERY FOLLOWER OF JESUS HAS GOOD NEWS TO SHARE" written on it. The word "HAS" is written in red, while the other words are in black. The background is a blurred city street with a brick sidewalk, a person pushing a stroller, and a white van.

**EVERY  
FOLLOWER  
OF JESUS  
HAS  
GOOD NEWS  
TO SHARE**

A lighthouse on a cliff overlooking the ocean under a cloudy sky.

**MY LIGHTHOUSE**

*shining in the darkness  
I will follow you*

**MY LIGHTHOUSE**

*I will trust the promise  
You will carry me*

**safe to shore**

**WE ARE**



**TOGETHER**

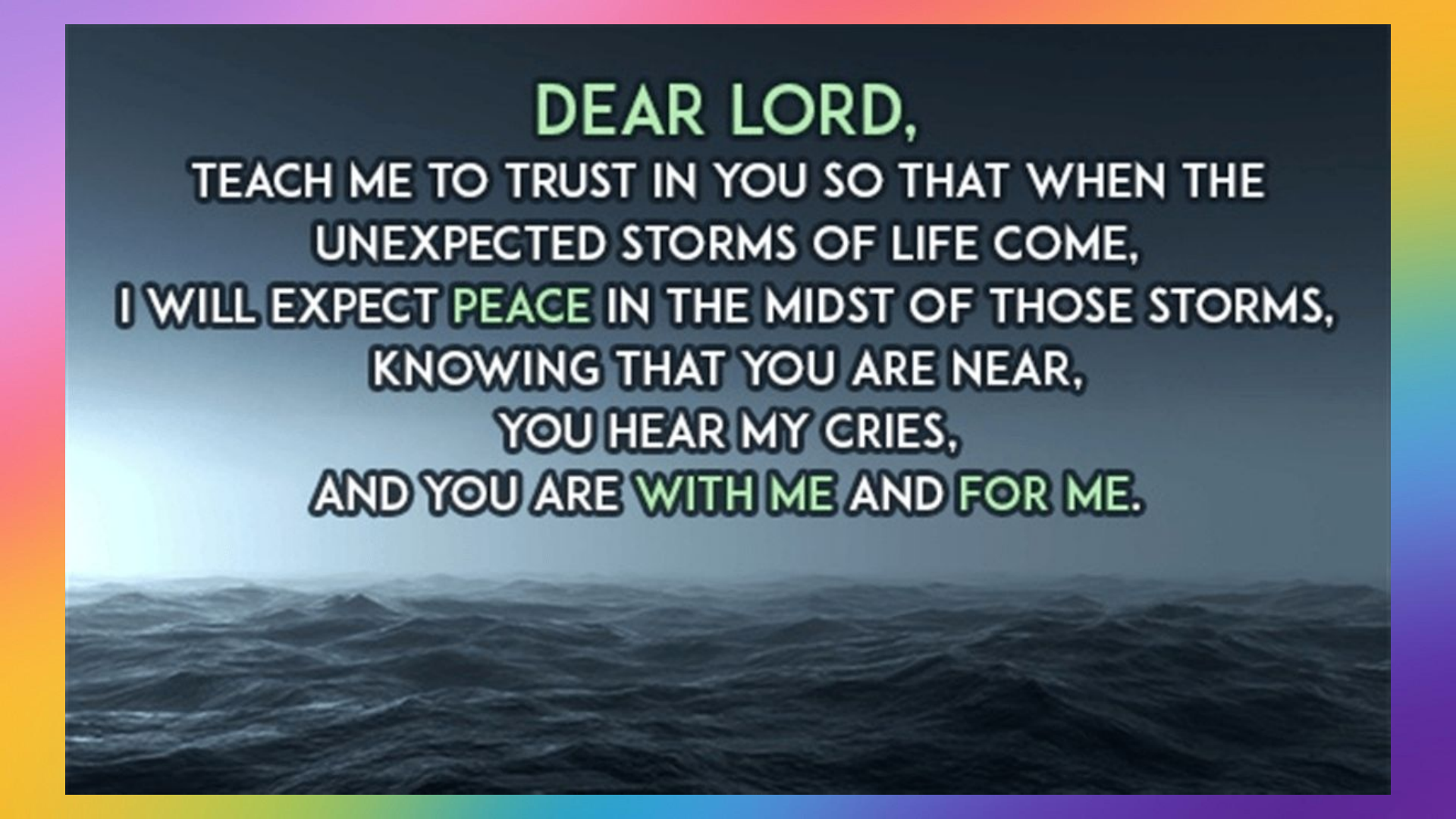
and we will get through this, together



"God puts rainbows in the clouds so that each of us - in the dreariest and most dreaded moments - can see a possibility of hope." ~ Maya Angelou





The background of the image shows a dark, stormy sea with white-capped waves. In the distance, a bright light, likely the sun or moon, is visible on the horizon, creating a lens flare effect. The overall mood is one of hope and faith amidst adversity.

**DEAR LORD,**  
TEACH ME TO TRUST IN YOU SO THAT WHEN THE  
UNEXPECTED STORMS OF LIFE COME,  
I WILL EXPECT **PEACE** IN THE MIDST OF THOSE STORMS,  
KNOWING THAT YOU ARE NEAR,  
YOU HEAR MY CRIES,  
AND YOU ARE **WITH ME AND FOR ME.**

Dear Lord,

The world is full of good news and bad news.

Our own lives are filled with good and bad experiences.

Even within ourselves, we make good choices and we make bad choices.

Help us to find the good among the bad,

Like a flower growing alone on a rubbish tip.

Help us to celebrate good wherever we find it.

Help us to support those who do good whenever we meet them.

Help us to be the good and reject the bad by following Jesus' example.

Amen.



# Reflection

I wonder what good news you can share and celebrate this week?

I wonder what good news you can be thankful for in the world this week?

**KNOW ME  
LOVE ME  
FILL ME  
SEND ME**

# The Grace ...

May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
And the love of God,  
And the fellowship of the Holy Spirit  
Be with us all,  
Now and forever more.

Amen

