

## Pastor's Weekly Devotional- September 22, 2016

### **“God's Providence”**

In the arena of human experience — whether Christian or non-Christian — we do face the good, the bad and the ugly from time to time. But during those “bad times,” we often wonder: “Where is God?” “Why did He allow this?” But looking at the scriptures, we find that this was often a common experience for many of God's children.

For instance: Joseph was betrayed by his brothers, accused of rape, thrown in prison, but in God's Providence became the second in leadership in Egypt. Moses was rejected by Pharaoh and driven out, but it led to the deliverance of Israel. Job faced unassumingly odds, but in the end he became twice as rich. Jesus was crucified and buried, but He rose triumphantly from the grave. Paul was beaten and imprisoned at Philippi, but he established a great church at Philippi.

So, whenever things are not working out the way you want it to be, hang tough! Trust God! Wait for His intervention! In His good and wise Providence, He will turn your troubles into triumphs and your trials into testimonies.

Have a nice day!  
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