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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

“Why me?” is one of life’s toughest questions to ask and to answer.

Few have suffered the way Richard did. During the Great Depression he lost his joy, his life-savings, his wife and his home. One day while out walking, he stopped to watch some men building a stone church. As one of them was chiseling a piece of rock, Richard asked, “What are you going to do with that?” The workman answered, “See that little opening way up there near the spire? Well, I’m shaping this down here so that it will fit up there.” Tears filled Richard’s eyes. It seemed as though God had spoken through that workman.

“We must go through many hardships to enter the kingdom of God.” Acts 14:22

Perhaps you have recently suffered a great loss. Or maybe you are experiencing physical or emotional pain, crying out, “Why? Why me?” Those who recognize the hand of God in their life have an answer to that question. He’s shaping us down here so we will fit up there – in heaven, that is. The Bible has many more answers to life’s toughest questions. Make Bible reading a daily habit.

Prayer: *Lord, teach me in all things to look to You for answers to my questions and help for my problems. Most of all, let me find peace and comfort in the forgiveness of my sins that Jesus Christ earned for me. Amen.*

Today is Memorial Day. We give thanks to the Lord for providing patriotic men and women who sacrificed their lives so that we can enjoy the freedoms of this blessed

nation, especially the freedom to worship our Lord the way the Lord wants us to worship Him. Thanks be to God. To God alone be the glory.

...See you in worship.

Keep looking up because the Lord is always looking down – Psalm 121

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