

Snippets to Cope

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I must be honest, I'm a little behind in my devotions, thank the Lord, He doesn't rule with an iron fist. In reading through and catching up, there were some encouraging parts I'd thought I'd share with our readers. They were hope to cope to my soul and I pray yours as well.

“While we must hate evil and work to overcome it, we must love everyone, including those who do evil, because God loves them.”

Psalms 109:4 – I love them, but they try to destroy me with accusations even as I am praying for them!

I'm thinking that if we just loved and understood that was our highest calling, that there would be less to complain about. I wanna learn to love without fear and to even love knowing it may never be reciprocated.

On another note, learning to be self-less is a struggle. Trying to come out of myself and feelings long enough to realize that if God isn't glorified, what's the point? Knowing He hears our prayers regardless of our humanity is relieving.

Psalms 116:1-2 – I love the Lord because He hears my voice and my prayer for mercy. Because He bends down to listen, I will pray as long as I have breath!

I like this last one I'm going to share. I know the scripture about a merry heart doing good like medicine, but this one is just a little different. “The Bible is like medicine – it goes to work only when we apply it to the affected areas.”

Psalms 119:125 – Give discernment to me, your servant; then I will understand Your laws.

I pray your Thursday is inspired by the truth of His word and the depth of God's love in Jesus name, Amen.

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