
Scriptures on Suffering

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New Testament passages that bring comfort when we suffer. (New King James Version)

Romans 8:18 “For I consider that the **sufferings** of this present time *are* not worthy to be compared with the glory which shall be revealed in us.”

2nd Corinthians 1:5 “For as the **sufferings** of Christ abound in us, so our consolation also abounds through Christ.”

2nd Corinthians 1:6 “Now if we are afflicted, *it is* for your consolation and salvation, which is effective for enduring the same **sufferings** which we also suffer. Or if we are comforted, *it is* for your consolation and salvation.”

2nd Corinthians 1:7 “And our hope for you is steadfast, because we know that as you are partakers of the **sufferings**, so also you *will partake* of the consolation.”

Philippians 3:10 “. . . that I may know Him and the power of His resurrection, and the fellowship of His **sufferings**, being conformed to His death . . .”

Colossians 1:24 “I now rejoice in my **sufferings** for you, and fill up in my flesh what is lacking in the afflictions of Christ, for the sake of His body, which is the church . . .”

Hebrews 2:10 “For it was fitting for Him, for whom *are* all things and by whom *are* all things, in bringing many sons to glory, to make the author of their salvation perfect through **sufferings**.”

1st Peter 1:11 “. . . searching what, or what manner of time, the Spirit of Christ who was in them was indicating when He testified beforehand the **sufferings** of Christ and the glories that would follow.”

James 5:13 “Is anyone among you suffering? Let him pray.”
