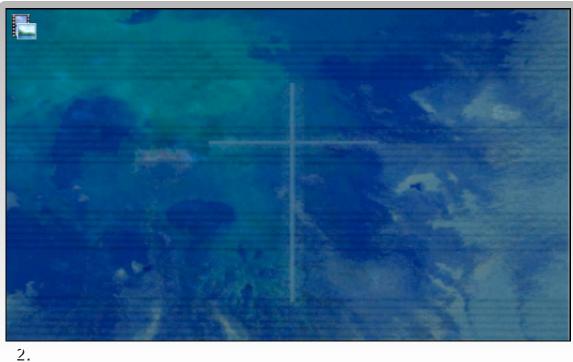
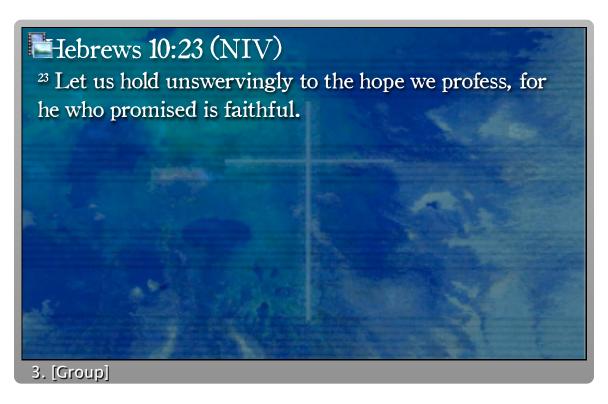
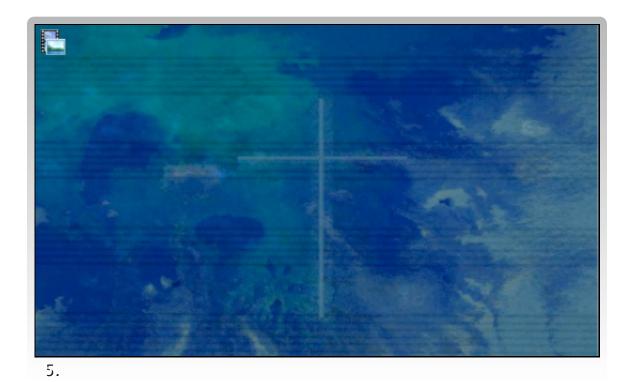


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Luke 22:42-44 (NLT)

⁴² "Father, if you are willing, please take this cup of suffering away from me. Yet I want your will to be done, not mine." ⁴³ Then an angel from heaven appeared and strengthened him. ⁴⁴ He prayed more fervently, and he was in such agony of spirit that his sweat fell to the ground like great drops of blood.

God is the source of hope

7.

Trust the source of hope

Romans 15:13 (NLT)

¹³ I pray that God, the source of hope, will fill you completely with joy and peace because you trust in him. Then you will overflow with confident hope through the power of the Holy Spirit.

9.

Acts 27:18-20 (NLT)

- ¹⁸ The next day, as gale-force winds continued to batter the ship, the crew began throwing the cargo overboard.
- ¹⁹ The following day they even took some of the ship's gear and threw it overboard. ²⁰ The terrible storm raged for many days, blotting out the sun and the stars, until at last all hope was gone.

Acts 27:21-22 (NLT)

²¹ No one had eaten for a long time. Finally, Paul called the crew together and said, "Men, you should have listened to me in the first place and not left Crete. You would have avoided all this damage and loss. ²² But take courage! None of you will lose your lives, even though the ship will go down.

11.

Acts 27:23-24 (NLT)

²³ For last night an angel of the God to whom I belong and whom I serve stood beside me, ²⁴ and he said, 'Don't be afraid, Paul, for you will surely stand trial before Caesar! What's more, God in his goodness has granted safety to everyone sailing with you.'

The Source of Hope is available any time, any place

13.

Acts 27:25-26 (NLT)

²⁵ So take courage! For I believe God. It will be just as he said. ²⁶ But we will be shipwrecked on an island."

Psalm 46:1 (NIV)

¹ God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble.

15.

[Most people] lead lives of quiet desperation.

~ Henry David Thoreau

Little faith that eats away our hope

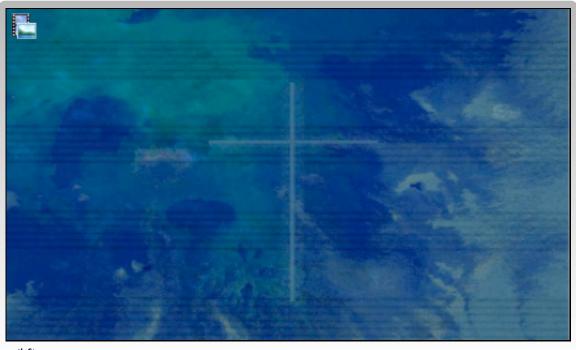
worry & anxiety (Mt 6:30) fear (Mt 8:26) doubt (Mt 14:31) understanding & knowledge (Mt 16:8) weakness (Mt 17:20)

17.

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John 16:31-33 (NLT)

Jesus asked, "Do you finally believe? ³² But the time is coming—indeed it's here now—when you will be scattered, each one going his own way, leaving me alone. Yet I am not alone because the Father is with me. ³³ I have told you all this so that you may have peace in me. Here on earth you will have many trials and sorrows. But take heart, because I have overcome the world."



19.

Hebrews 4:14-16 (NLT)

¹⁴ So then, since we have a great High Priest who has entered heaven, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold firmly to what we believe. ¹⁵ This High Priest of ours understands our weaknesses, for he faced all of the same testings we do, yet he did not sin. ¹⁶ So let us come boldly to the throne of our gracious God. There we will receive his mercy, and we will find grace to help us when we need it most.

Romans 8:28 (NLT)

28 And we know that God causes everything to work together for the good of those who love God and are called according to his purpose for them.

1 Corinthians 15:58 (NLT)

⁵⁸ So, my dear brothers and sisters, be strong and immovable. Always work enthusiastically for the Lord, for you know that nothing you do for the Lord is ever useless.

21.

Psalm 42:5 (NLT)

⁵ Why am I discouraged? Why is my heart so sad?

I will put my hope in God!

I will praise him again—my Savior and my God!

Hebrews 10:23 (NIV)

²³ Let us hold unswervingly to the hope we profess, for he who promised is faithful.

