



Words for the Journey

Podcast of the Week: **Victim Identity Part 3: Self-Acceptance**

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Journey App

This week's blog: **Holding the Paradox**

2024/25 Leader Letter Week 19

To Healing Journey Leaders:

Lesson 19, "Our Season in the Wilderness," tells of Joseph's healing journey and is a little easier territory than where we've been recently. As we are wrapping up the Victim Behavior Worksheet this week, we are preparing our students for deep processing which begins with Healing Step 2 (more on that next week).

One of the beautiful things that occurs every year in *Healing Journey* is how God forms our small groups (when we obediently use the lottery system). It is a wonder to behold how he perfectly arranges our groups. Most years it was evident to me within the first weeks why he did what he did—and sometimes not so clear. Most years my groups were a joy to work with—but not always! He threw some tough situations at me.

When that happens, the temptation exists to doubt God, or to think nothing good is happening, or that this is not working. Resist that temptation, because God is ALWAYS working for a good result, even if we don't see it. Nothing is ever wasted in *Healing Journey*. God will use everything and anything to rescue his children.

*Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up
(Galatians 6:9 NIV).*

That highly resistive student that God "blessed" you with this year is definitely receiving a lot from the class—whether you see it or not! **Your job is to be patient, prayerful, and persistent.** Stay calm and don't give up. God is working in their heart and mind to bring them to healing and you need never doubt that. You might consider leading a *Healing Journey* retreat; this is often the place where resistive students finally break through in their healing, if they will come.

I pray the Lord will bless you for your perseverance with your group each week.

... Relax in the Lord and enjoy the journey!

Boot Camp:

Before we know it Boot Camps will be here again. I cannot express too strongly the VITAL importance of every

leader attending Boot Camp. It is an amazing, life-changing, four-day experience. It is beneficial even for trained leaders to come back every few years. No one absorbs everything their first time. Our dates this year are May 16-19 (New York) and June 2-5 (Colorado). The Information and Registration forms are on our [website](#). **Please support Boot Camps and grow your ministry by inviting anyone the Lord prompts you to invite.**

Blessings,



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