

Sermon Notes for October 3, 2021
The Problem of Evil & Suffering, Part 4
“Present Sufferings Do Not Compare To Future Glory”

By Comparison, Eternal Glory Outweighs Current Challenges **2 Corinthians 4:17**

“Our light and momentary troubles are achieving for us an eternal glory that far outweighs them all.”
2 Corinthians 4:17

The Pain Is Real **2 Corinthians 11:23b-30**

The Suffering Is Momentary **2 Corinthians 4:15-18**

The Glory Is Eternal **Romans 8:14-18**

Next Steps For Next Week, October 4 – October 10, 2021

Monday: Read 2 Corinthians 11:23b-30

Make a list of the troubles that Paul experienced in his life.
Make a list of the troubles you have had in your own life.

Tuesday: Read 2 Corinthians 12:7-10

What tormented Paul?
Have you ever felt tormented? If so, what were / are the circumstances?
Have you asked God to relieve you of that “torment?”
What has been God’s answer to your prayer?
How have you been living with God’s answer?

Wednesday: Read 2 Corinthians 4:7-18

How does Paul describe his on earth?
What is Paul’s attitude about his difficulties?
Where should you “fix your eyes?”

Thursday: Read Hebrews 12:1-14

The writer of Hebrews knows exactly what Paul has described to the church in Corinth.
What are the 3 “Let Us” statements in Hebrews 12:1-3
Where should you “fix your eyes?” How does this help you from day to day?

Friday: Read Romans 8:1-17

Who should be controlling our minds (thoughts)?
What is the result of living by the Spirit?

Saturday: Read Romans 8:18-27

Memorize Romans 8:18
Who helps us in our weakness?

Sunday: Read Romans 8:28-39

Make a list of the promises found in this passage.
What can separate us from “the love of God?”