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Teaching Outline

Series: Our Journey - Week 3

Psalm 23:4 (NKJV)

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; For You are with me; Your rod and Your staff, they comfort me.

Psalms 23:4 (NLT) Even when I walk through the darkest valley, I will not be afraid, for you are close beside me. Your rod and your staff protect and comfort me.

Valley of the shadow of death: **really rough time (including death itself)**

Evil: something bad, tragedy, trouble, distress, wickedness

We've all had our share of _____ .

The _____ of trouble doesn't equal the
_____ of God!

Rod:

2 Tim 3:16-17 (NLT)

¹⁶ All Scripture is inspired by God and is useful to teach us what is true and to make us realize what is wrong in our lives. It corrects us when we are wrong and teaches us to do what is right. ¹⁷ God uses it to prepare and equip his people to do every good work.

The more we _____ God's Word, the better
_____ we are.

Psalms 139:23-24 (NLT)

Search me, O God, and know my heart; test me and know my anxious thoughts. ²⁴ Point out anything in me that offends you, and lead me along the path of everlasting life.

Staff:

ASV John 14:16 And I will pray the Father, and He shall give you another Comforter, that He may be with you for ever.

NIV John 14:26 But the Counselor, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you all things and will remind you of everything I have said to you.

For God to _____ us, we must let Him in.

Main take away: God is with us through really tough times, so we don't have to be afraid.

Closing Song: Trust in You, by Lauren Daigle