HELP YOUR FELLOW STRUGGLERS LUKE 23:39-43; II CORINTHIANS 1:3-11 Part 2 in the series, "Eight Steps to Surviving Life"

"Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in paradise."
Jesus

1.	LET GOD BE YOUR SOURCE OF Il Corinthians 1:3-7
	Comfort = "to call to one's side"
	Ask God to use you as a of encouragement and he will do it.
2.	LET GOD ENCOURAGE YOU THROUGH Il Corinthians 1:8-11
	"as you <u>help</u> us by your prayers." (vs. 11)
	Help = "working together under a burden to get the job done"
	We can accomplish together what we can never achieve
3.	LET GOD ENCOURAGE OTHERS THROUGH II Corinthians 1:3-4
	God does not want us to a single painful experience.
	Your most painful experience may become your most effective to others.



PARTICIPATION GUIDE

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~Being Prepared~

<u>Prayer</u> is our best preparation. Pray for your group and discussion time.
 <u>Community</u> is our highest goal. Come prepared to discuss and share.
 <u>Growth</u> is our greatest desire. Review the questions prior to group.

~Growth Discussion Questions~

<u>Central Idea</u>: Encouragement takes place when people strive to build each other up in Christ.

Read: 1 Thessalonians 5:11; Hebrews 3:12-13; Hebrews 10:24

- 1. How do you generally prefer to receive encouragement through words or actions? How do you tend to give encouragement?
- 2. What are some practical ways we can speak into other people's lives in a way similar to what these verses describe?
- 3. What can happen in our relationships when we aren't committed to the spiritual well-being of others?
- 4. What has the Lord spoken to your heart about this subject that we have not already discussed?

~Get Involved~

We encourage everyone to become connected with a group here at Grace!

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