

*What you are going through may not
be punishment for your past but rather
positioning for your future*

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When going to a job interview many of us have been asked, “Do you have any experience?” While we may put great emphasis on a college education, employers are still very interested in our past experience. Reality is that many jobs still require a certain degree of experience even if we are well educated.

The benefit of past experience enables us to know what to do and what not to do and may prevent us from making costly mistakes more than once. Along life’s way we make mistakes, however, God is willing to use these mistakes to educate us and therefore better our position.

Prayer for Today

God, help me to change my thinking about my current situations and circumstances. Use them to teach me of Your faithfulness and love so that I will be better equipped to handle the greater things in life You have for me. Also, as I learn of You, I pray that You learn of me that I can be trusted for greater things because I am determined to pass my tests of life through Your power and Word.

Scriptures for Today

Genesis 50:20 You intended to harm me, but God intended it for good to accomplish what is now being done, the saving of many lives. (NIV)

Isaiah 48:10 See, I have refined you, though not as silver; I have tested you in the furnace of affliction. (NIV)

2 Corinthians 4:18 While we do not look at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen. For the things which are seen are temporary, but the things which are not seen are eternal. (NKJV)