The journey is your friend

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It is the journey which prepares us to operate at destiny capacity. Without becoming great in the ordinary everyday challenges of life, we may never qualify for the truly extraordinary opportunities which come our way every now and then. The daily journey of life, along with its common struggles and perplexities, is the exercise our soul needs to get ready for the greater tests of life.

Neither Joseph nor David, not Ruth or Esther, Peter or Paul could have been prepared to fulfill their destined role in life had it not been for the stretching and shaping pressures of the journey which took them there. The journey is not your enemy ... it is your friend. Stop complaining and start growing.

Prayer for Today

Dear God, I am sorry for the times I have complained or gotten angry about my journey. I know that You have plans for my life and that all things will work for good. Help me to understand, give me the grace to endure, and strength for my journey. You be the potter and I'll be the clay.

Scriptures for Today

Jeremiah 29:11 For I know the thoughts that I think toward you, says the LORD, thoughts of peace and not of evil, to give you a future and a hope. (NKJV)

Romans 8:28 And we know that all things work together for good to those who love God, to those who are the called according to His purpose. (NKJV)