

LORD have YOUR way in me

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The HOLY SPIRIT spoke to me in a very unique manner this morning because of the Bible plan I am using for the year 2020.

My readings currently are from Genesis & Job. This is what the HOLY SPIRIT showed me this morning-

1) **BEAUTY**- This is how Genesis Chapter 1 Begins & Ends-

The earth was formless and empty, and darkness covered the deep waters. And the SPIRIT of GOD was hovering over the surface of the waters.

Then GOD looked over all he had made, and HE saw that it was very good! And evening passed and morning came, marking the sixth day.

Genesis 1:2, 31

Think about that- Formless, Empty, Dark to it was very good

GOD is able to turn a colossal scene of disorder into a magnificent piece of beauty.

2) **BROKENNESS**- This is how Job's story unfolds

There once was a man named Job who lived in the land of Uz. He was blameless - a man of complete integrity. He feared GOD and stayed away from evil.

Then they sat on the ground with him for seven days and nights. No one said a word to Job, for they saw that his suffering was too great for words.

Job 1:1 & 2: 13

Think about this- Blameless, Integrity, Fear of the LORD, stayed away from evil to Suffering too great to explain (Job lost his- Fam- ily/ Health/ Wealth in quick succession)

The story of Job is one where GOD allows HIS child to experience Complete Brokenness from a position of Complete Blessedness.

Ponder this-

- 1) I must confess that I like the Beauty out of Brokenness story but do not want to hear the Blessedness to Brokenness story.
- 2) GOD is on the throne in both instances- HE is in total Control
- 3) The Key is to realise that GOD is writing HIS grand story & HE may take us through seasons of Beauty or Brokenness in order to fulfill HIS good & perfect will & plan
- 4) Let's begin our year by surrendering our all to the Omnipresent, Omnipotent & Omniscient GOD
- 5) Let us ask HIM to have HIS way in our lives.