

When God says No in Faith-Testing Moments

2 Corinthians 12:7-10

Pastor Jesse Waggoner – September 21, 2008 AM

Part 5 of the *Faith-Testing Moments* Series

1. When it Sounds Like God is Saying “No” (vs. 7-9a)

- A. He is really saying “I want you in a perfect place”
- B. He is really saying “I want you to live in grace”
- C. He is really saying “I want to display my strength in you”

So: Don’t Take “No” as His Answer

2. When it Sounds Like God is Saying “No” (9b-10)

- A. You should brag about your weakness
 - 1. Because His power is more important than your pain
 - 2. Because His power is more apparent than your pain
- B. You should take pleasure in troubles
 - 1. Because there is a purpose for our troubles
 - 2. Because there is a plan for our troubles

So: Do Make Joy Your Goal

Conclusion:

When it Sounds Like God is Saying “No,”
He is Really Saying “I love you”

Order of Service

September 21, 2008

Sunday: 9:00 AM • 10:45 AM

(9:30 AM - WCHS-580 AM) • Wednesday: 7:00 PM

The Contemporary Service at 9:00 AM features songs of praise and worship, including
Beautiful One; Everyday; Reign in Me; What Can I Do

PASTOR WAGGONER PRESENTS THE SAME MESSAGE AT EACH OF THE MORNING SERVICES.

ORDER OF SERVICE FOR 10:45 AM WORSHIP SERVICE

Call to WorshipWorship Choir
You Lift Me Up - Soloist: Jonathan Tucker

Hymn Medley Congregation
No. 682: *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah*
No. 686: *O God, Our Help in Ages Past*

Welcome & Prayer Pastor Lee Walker

Choral AnthemWorship Choir
Great and Awesome God

Announcements, Tithes & Offerings Pastor Walker

Hymn No. 693 Congregation
A Shelter in the Time of Storm

Greeting Pastor Jim McQuerrey

Special Music Women's Vocal Ensemble

Morning Message Pastor Jesse Waggoner

Closing Song Chad Skiles
Blessing in the Thorn



SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE

6:00 PM

PRAISE THE LORD

PSALM 100

PASTOR RICHARD THOMPSON

Age-appropriate nurseries are provided during all services. Please see a greeter for locations.