

FRIDAY SOLO MEETING 9/22/99  
" WINDY WIFE 2/01  
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LEARNING TO PLAY, HURT GEN 32:24-32

LIMPING FOR LORD

" THAT IS  
JOB MAN'S BORN OF WOMAN IS OF FEW DAYS AND FULL OF TROUBLE " 14:3

JOB 5:7 YET MAN IS BORN UNTO TROUBLE  
I CAN'T PROMISE YOU PROSPERITY - I WISH I COULD. BUT I CAN  
PROMISE PAIN. CAN'T PROMISE HEALTH, BUT PAIN YES. CAN'T PROMISE  
LIFE, BUT IF YOU LIVE, HURT, I PROMISE, WILL  
COME YOUR WAY.

THE WORD OF GOD IS FILLED WITH ACCOUNTS OF ~~MAN~~ <sup>YOUNG &</sup>  
OLD, WISE, UNWISE <sup>YOUNG, OLD, WISE, UNWISE</sup> RICH, POOR, JUST, UNJUST  
WOMEN, BOYS, GIRLS WHO HAD HURT COME INTO  
LIVES.

SONG SAYS "NEVER MET ONE MAN WITHOUT SORROW, NEVER  
LOOKED INTO EYES WITH NO PAIN."

SO, WITH ALL THESE ACCOUNTS OF HURT, WITH ALL  
THE PROMISES OF HURT, ASSURANCES OF HURT,  
TESTIMONIES OF HURT THIS CONGREGATION COULD GIVE,  
WHAT ARE WE GOING TO DO ABOUT HURT?  
RUN; HIDE? SLOW DOWN? QUIT?  
MOPE AROUND IN SELF-PITY? ARE WE GOING  
TO COMPLAIN, ADVERTISE <sup>OUR</sup> HURT AND DRAG OTHERS  
DOWN? BLAME GOD?

JACOB LIMPED AWAY INJURED, HURT, IN  
PAIN, INCONVENIENCED BUT AT LEAST HE WENT  
ON, HE NO QUIT, SIT DOWN, CUE-UP,  
BAD ATTITUDE. HE LEARNED TO PLAY HURT.

WILL SENSITIVE WOMAN NOT SAY A WORD ABOUT PLAYING

FULL SPEED, BUT WILL PLAY. HE HAS THAT  
SPRAINED ANKLE, BUT WILL PLAY.

WHAT'S WRONG WITH GOD'S PEOPLE ??

" " " GOD'S ARMY ??

" " " GOD'S MIGHTY HOST ??  
THE REDEEMED ??

WHY CAN'T WE PLAY HURT.

JACOB LEARNED TO PLAY HURT.

• JOB (HURT BY <sup>HIS</sup> GOD) see JOB 42:11

CHAP 1

CHAP 19 (SKIN OF TEETH)

CHAP 42 GREAT END-HE LEARNED TO PLAY HURT !!

• JOSEPH (HURT BY <sup>HIS</sup> FAMILY)

GEN 37

GEN 39 BOUGHT OF WAGON

CHAP 41, 42 GREAT END-HE LEARNED TO PLAY HURT !!

• DAVID (HURT BY <sup>HIS</sup> SIN)

II SAM 11 SIN, SWORD NEVER DEPART

II SAM 11:20 ARROSE

II SAM 22:29-39 VICTORY- SOME MAN

WOUNDED !!

HURT (HURT BY my SIN)

HURT

"IT IS EARNING"

GOD'S THOUGHTS OF YOU ARE AS THE SANDS OF THE SEA.  
GOD KNOWS YOUR HURT. DR. JESUS KNOWS YOUR  
AILMENT, SORROW, PAIN.

- STOP LOOK @ OPPONENT - LOOK @ OPPORTUNITY
- " " FOR PAIN - LOOK FOR PROMISES
- " " FOR SORROW - LOOK FOR SO ~~ON~~
- " " WOUND - WORD

JACOB LIMITED BUT KEPT COMING -  
HE PLAYED HURT.