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# WELCOME

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A cup of coffee on a table with a newspaper and some items.

A white ceramic mug filled with coffee, topped with a layer of brown foam, sits on a light-colored wooden surface. The background is a dark, blurred wooden table.

For what does it profit a man to gain the  
whole world and forfeit his soul?

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Mark 8:36 ESV

*"The most important thing in life is not what you do, it's who you become. That's what you'll take to eternity."*

—Dallas Willard

<sup>11</sup>One day, when Moses had grown up, he went out to his people and looked on their burdens, and he saw an Egyptian beating a Hebrew, one of his people. <sup>12</sup>He looked this way and that, and seeing no one, he struck down the Egyptian and hid him in the sand.

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Exodus 2:11-15 ESV

<sup>13</sup>When he went out the next day, behold, two Hebrews were struggling together. And he said to the man in the wrong, "Why do you strike your companion?" <sup>14</sup>He answered, "Who made you a prince and a judge over us? Do you mean to kill me as you killed the Egyptian?" Then Moses was afraid, and thought, "Surely the thing is known."

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Exodus 2:11-15 ESV

<sup>15</sup>When Pharaoh heard of it, he sought to kill Moses. But Moses fled from Pharaoh and stayed in the land of Midian. And he sat down by a well.

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Exodus 2:11-15 ESV

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**When things fall apart,  
God sets us apart to heal.**

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And Moses was content to dwell with the man, and he gave Moses his daughter Zipporah.

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Exodus 2:21 ESV




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**In Solitude God teaches us  
to be content with the now.**

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She gave birth to a son, and he called his name Gershom, for he said, "I have been a sojourner in a foreign land."

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Exodus 2:22 ESV

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**In Solitude God enables us  
to realize what is within.**

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Then the Lord said, "I have surely seen the affliction of my people who are in Egypt and have heard their cry because of their taskmasters. I know their sufferings.

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Exodus 3:7 ESV

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**In Solitude God is able to  
speak His heart.**

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Come, I will send you to Pharaoh that you  
may bring my people, the children of  
Israel, out of Egypt.

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Exodus 3:10 ESV

*“The great illusion to leadership is to think that man can be led out of the desert by someone who has never been there.”*

—Henri Nouwen

*“The worker is more important than  
the work.”*

—Watchman Nee