

Control vs Surrender

He Gets Us - Part 1 (Resurrection Sunday)

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What if what you try to control the most actually reveals where you trust God the least?

“This High Priest of ours (Jesus) understands our weaknesses, for He faced all of the same testings we do, yet He did not sin.” Hebrews 4:15 (NLT)

“³⁶Then Jesus went with them to the olive grove called Gethsemane, and He said, ‘Sit here while I go over there to pray.’ ³⁷He took Peter and Zebedee’s two sons, James and John, and He became anguished and distressed. ³⁸He told them, ‘My soul is crushed with grief to the point of death. Stay here and keep watch with me.’ ³⁹He went on a little farther and bowed with His face to the ground, praying, ‘My Father! If it is possible, let this cup of suffering be taken away from me. Yet I want your will to be done, not mine.’” Matthew 26:36-39 (NLT)

You don’t always have the power to control, but you always have the power to surrender.

“And we know that God causes everything to work together for the good of those who love God and are called according to His purpose for them.” Romans 8:28 (NLT)

“But God raised Him from the dead!” Acts 13:30 (NLT)

God took the greatest **evil ever committed and transformed it into the greatest **hope** ever offered.**