

Be Optimistic

Romans 8:1-39

Jesus said, "...I have come that you might have LIFE, and have it to the FULLEST!" John 10:10

I can live Optimistically because...

1. I am no longer Condemned.

Therefore there is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. Romans 8:1

2. I am no longer a Captive. (v. 2-17)

Through Christ Jesus, the law of the Spirit of Life has set me free from the law of sin and death. Romans 8:2

To have your mind controlled by human nature results in death; to have your mind controlled by the Spirit results in life and peace. Romans 8:6 GN

3. I am no longer Hopeless. (v.18-27)

...our present sufferings are not worth comparing with the glory that will be revealed in us. Romans 8:18

4. I am no longer Doubting.

And we know that in ALL things God works for the good of those who love Him, who have been called according to His purpose. Romans 8:28

Since he did not spare even his own Son for us, but gave him up for all, won't he also surely give us everything else? Romans 8:32 LB

And my God will supply every need of yours according to his riches in glory in Christ Jesus. Philippians 4:19

5. I am no longer Homeless. (v. 15, 31, 33-34)

What, then, shall we say in response to this? If God is for us, who can be against us? Romans 8:31

You haven't received the spirit of slaves that leads you into fear again. Instead, you have received the spirit of God's adopted children by which we call out, "Abba! Father!"

Romans 8:15

...real life is to be found only in his Son... any man who has genuine contact with Christ has this life; and if he has not, then he does not possess this life at all. 1 John 5:11-12 PH