

Comfort

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Introduction

1. Isaiah 40:1-2
2. God is concerned and wants His people comforted
3. God is the God of all comfort 2 Corinthians 1:3
4. Christ is the Comfort giver and Comforter 1 John 2:1; John 14:16 Another Comforter; Luke 2:25 The consolation
5. The Holy Spirit is a Comforter John 14:26; 16:7-12
6. But how does this benefit the church?

II Discussion

1. The man that was guilty of sin is to be comforted 2 Corinthians 2:7 (Many 2:6 church, community, companion)
 1. Acts 16:40
 2. 1 Thessalonians 5:11, 14
 3. 2 Corinthians 7:6-7 cast down
2. The command to be comforted 1 Thessalonians 4:18 Luke 16:25
 1. 10 times in the books of 1 and 2 Thessalonians we find the word in the Greek comforted (3870)
 2. 1 Thessalonians 2:11 exhorted (3870) comforted (3888) how
 3. 3:2 be comfort others can 2 Corinthians 1:4ff
 4. 3:7 we are comforted in the time of trouble
 5. 4:1 beseech how we are to do
 6. 4:10 beseech to increase more and more
 7. 4:18 comfort a command
 8. 5:11 comfort community
 9. 5:14 comfort the feeble
3. Co-operation 2 Corinthians 6:1 beseech
4. Compassion 2 Corinthians 2:7-8

III Conclusion

1. God will comfort us
2. We can comfort one another
3. We must obey God to have this comfort

Sources: PC study bible; Thompson chain reference 785; Sincere service sermon outlines from 2 Corinthians by Tom Holland