

What To Do When We're Totally Done!

More Great Buts #4

1. Realize it's okay to Feel Done.

²⁷ Why do you complain, Jacob? Why do you say, Israel, "My way is hidden from the LORD; my cause is disregarded by my God"? ²⁸ Do you not know? Have you not heard?

(Isaiah 40:27-28)

¹⁸ "Come now, and let us reason together," Says the LORD, "Though your sins are like scarlet, They shall be as white as snow; Though they are red like crimson, They shall be as wool.

(Isaiah 1:18, NKJV)

³ Elijah was afraid and ran for his life. When he came to Beersheba in Judah, he left his servant there, ⁴ while he himself went a day's journey into the desert. He came to a broom tree, sat down under it and prayed that he might die. "I have had enough, LORD," he said. "Take my life; I am no better than my ancestors." ⁵ Then he lay down under the tree and fell asleep. All at once an angel touched him and said, "Get up and eat."

(1 Kings 19:3-5 NIV)

⁹ But [God] said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness." Therefore I will boast all the more gladly about my weaknesses, so that Christ's power may rest on me. ¹⁰ That is why, for Christ's sake, I delight in weaknesses, in insults, in hardships, in persecutions, in difficulties. For when I am weak, then I am strong.

(2 Corinthians 12:9-10 NIV)

2. Rest in God's Power.

²⁸ The LORD is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He will not grow tired or weary, and his understanding no one can fathom. ²⁹ He gives strength to the weary and increases the power of the weak.

(Isaiah 40:28-29)

- Eternal
- Creator
- Limitless
- Good

3. Reject the Rut.

³⁰ Even youths grow tired and weary, and young men stumble and fall; ³¹ but those who hope in the LORD will renew their strength.

*They will soar on wings like eagles;
they will run and not grow weary,
they will walk and not be faint.*

(Isaiah 40:30-31)

²It is not good to have zeal without knowledge, nor to be hasty and miss the way. (Proverbs 19:2, NIV84)

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