

# FULLY KNOWN

## A PRACTICAL GUIDE TO DISCIPLESHIP RELATIONSHIPS

II Tim 3:10-11 - But thou hast fully known my doctrine, manner of life, purpose, faith, longsuffering, charity, patience, 11 Persecutions, afflictions...

### WHAT HAPPENED?

II Tim 3:11...which came unto me at **Antioch**, at **Iconium**, at **Lystra**; what persecutions I endured: but out of them all the Lord delivered me.

**Antioch in Pisidia:** Act 13:50 – ...raised persecution against Paul and Barnabas, and expelled them out of their coasts.

**Iconium:** Act 14:5 –And when there was an assault made both of the Gentiles, and also of the Jews with their rulers, to use them despitefully, and to stone them,

**Lystra:** Act 14:19 - ...stoned Paul, drew him out of the city, supposing he had been dead.

### PERSECUTIONS & AFFLICTIONS

They are similar:

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- Mar 4:17 - And have no root in themselves, and so endure but for a time: afterward, when **affliction** or **persecution** ariseth for the word's sake, immediately they are offended.
  - II Thes 1:4 - ...for your patience and faith in all your **persecutions** and **tribulations** [*affliction*] that ye endure:
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- Rom 8:35 - Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? shall **tribulation** [*affliction*], or distress, or **persecution**, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword?

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### AFFLICTIONS

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- Rom 5:3 - And not only so, but we glory in tribulations [*affliction*] also: knowing that tribulation [*affliction*] **worketh** patience;
  - II Cor 4:17 - For our light affliction, which is but for a moment, **worketh** for us a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory;
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- to others**
- Jas 5:10 - Take, my brethren, the prophets, who have spoken in the name of the Lord, **for an example** of suffering affliction, and of patience.
  - II Cor 1:6 - And whether we be afflicted, it is for your consolation and salvation, which is effectual in the enduring of the same sufferings which we also suffer: or whether we be comforted, **it is for your consolation and salvation.**

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- Psa 119:71 - It is good for me that I have been afflicted; that **I might learn thy statutes.**
  - Exo 1:11-12 - Therefore they did set over them taskmasters to afflict them with their burdens... 12 But the more they afflicted them, **the more they multiplied and grew...**

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- Psa 119:75 - I know, O LORD, that thy judgments are right, and that thou **in faithfulness** hast afflicted me.

Affliction is the feeling of pain, weight or travail; most often imposed to get you to \_\_\_\_\_ your position or to \_\_\_\_\_ your faithfulness

Tribulation – extended or broadly applied affliction

Anguish/trouble – pain experienced for the purpose (i.e. labor/delivery)

Afflictions by God should be \_\_\_\_\_ and Afflictions by Man should be \_\_\_\_\_

## PERSECUTIONS

**Often associated with the** \_\_\_\_\_

- Psa 31:15 - ...deliver me from the **hand** of mine enemies, and from them that persecute me.
- Luke 21:12 - But before all these, they shall **lay their hands on you**, and persecute you, delivering you up to the synagogues, and into prisons, being brought before kings and rulers for my name's sake.

**Exercise of** \_\_\_\_\_

- Psa 142:6 - ...deliver me from my persecutors; for **they are stronger** than I.

**Generates** \_\_\_\_\_

- Psa 83:15 - So persecute them with thy tempest, and **make them afraid** with thy storm.

**Goes to the** \_\_\_\_\_

- Psa 7:5 - Let the enemy persecute **my soul**...
- Psa 143:3 - For the enemy hath persecuted **my soul**; he hath smitten my life down to the ground; he hath made me to dwell in darkness, as those that have been long dead.

**Associated with** \_\_\_\_\_ **&** \_\_\_\_\_

- Lam 3:66 - Persecute and **destroy them** in anger from under the heavens of the LORD.
- Act 22:4 - And I persecuted this way **unto the death**, binding and delivering into prisons both men and women.
- Gal 1:13 - ...how that beyond measure I persecuted the church of God, and **wasted it**:

Persecution is the infliction of pain by another because of your belief, etc. It is 'compensation' or 'what is due' for your state (not necessarily to get you to change)

Discernment of affliction and persecution in our lives will allow us to see how God is at \_\_\_\_\_ and will **STRENGTHEN** our \_\_\_\_\_

**PERSECUTION or AFFLICTION?**

II Cor 11:23-28 - ...in labours more abundant, in stripes above measure, in prisons more frequent, in deaths oft. 24 Of the Jews five times received I forty stripes save one. 25 Thrice was I beaten with rods, once was I stoned, thrice I suffered shipwreck, a night and a day I have been in the deep; 26 In journeyings often, in perils of waters, in perils of robbers, in perils by mine own countrymen, in perils by the heathen, in perils in the city, in perils in the wilderness, in perils in the sea, in perils among false brethren; 27 In weariness and painfulness, in watchings often, in hunger and thirst, in fastings often, in cold and nakedness. 28 Beside those things that are without, that which cometh upon me daily, the care of all the churches.

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