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CHURCH EXPANSION

I remember my affliction and my wandering,
the bitterness and the gall.

I well remember them,
and my soul is downcast within me.

Yet this I call to mind
and therefore I have hope:

Because of the Lord's great love we are not consumed,
for his compassions never fail.

They are **new every morning**;
great is your faithfulness.

I say to myself, "**The Lord is my portion;
therefore I will wait for him.**"

Lamentations 3:19-24

I, even I, am the Lord,
and **apart from me there is no savior**.
I have revealed and saved and proclaimed—
I, and not some foreign god among you.
You are my witnesses,” declares the Lord, “that I am God.
Yes, and from ancient days I am he.
No one can deliver out of my hand.
When I act, who can reverse it?”

Isaiah 43:11-13

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he who made a way through the sea,
a path through the mighty waters,

Isaiah 43:16

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do not dwell on the past.

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Now it springs up; do you not perceive it?
I am making a way in the wilderness
and streams in the wasteland.

Isaiah 43:18-19

For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the Lord, “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. Then you will call on me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you. You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart. I will be found by you,” declares the Lord...

Jeremiah 29:11-14a

But one thing I do: **Forgetting what is behind** and **straining toward what is ahead, I press on toward the goal** to win the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus.

Philippians 3:12-14

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