

Comforting Bible Verses for Grief & Loss

Read one slowly. Let it hold you today.

When the loss is fresh

Psalm 34:18

“The LORD is nigh unto them that are of a broken heart; and saveth such as be of a contrite spirit.”

Matthew 5:4

“Blessed are they that mourn: for they shall be comforted.”

Psalm 147:3

“He healeth the broken in heart, and bindeth up their wounds.”

When you cannot stop the tears

Psalm 30:5

“...weeping may endure for a night, but joy cometh in the morning.”

2 Corinthians 1:3-4

“...the God of all comfort; Who comforteth us in all our tribulation.”

Psalm 23:4

“Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me.”

The hope that holds

John 14:1-3

“Let not your heart be troubled... I go to prepare a place for you.”

Revelation 21:4

“And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying.”

John 11:25

“I am the resurrection, and the life: he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live.”

Romans 8:38-39

“...neither death, nor life... shall be able to separate us from the love of God.”

A prayer: Lord, I did not know grief could weigh this much. Meet me in it. Be near to my broken heart, and hold the one I love safe with You until I see them again. Amen.

You do not grieve alone, and you do not grieve without hope.

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