He leads me beside still waters

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"Trust Me"

LESSON 2:

"Some trust in chariots, and some (trust) in horses; but we will remember the Name of the Lord our God." (Psalms 20:7)

"O' Lord of hosts, blessed is the man that trust in You." (Psalms 84:12)

(Jesus said to you) My Precious Child,

When everything seems to be going wrong, when you face drought and difficulties, trust Me.

Take joy in the God of your salvation,

Find your joy and peace in Me alone,

Not in what I do or don't do,

What I permit or do not, for I AM STILL THE SAME GOD regardless of how things go.

Even when you don't understand—I AM your STRENGTH, so derive (to trace from a source or origin) from WHO I AM, because I NEVER CHANGE, nor does My LOVE wane (to decrease in strength), even when you don't understand.

Walk the walk of faith, not based on what you see with your natural eyes, but on **WHO I AM**. Do you want to find peace, even in your unanswered questions? Then **FOCUS** on **MY FACE**, **MY LOVE**, and **MY FAITHFULNESS** as well as

your **IDENTITY** in **ME**. For you are like hinds' feet on high places, secure and never shaken as long as you are in Me.

Put your faith **in MY CHARACTER** in spite of what I do or don't do. Don't look with your natural eyes, but look with heaven's eyes, the eyes of faith and fall in love with Me all over again...

It is written, My tender child:

"Trust God from the bottom of your heart; don't try to figure out everything on your own. Listen for God's Voice in everything you do, everywhere you go; He's the One who will keep you on track.

Don't assume that you know it all.

Run to God! Run from evil!

Your body will glow with health,
your very bones will vibrate with life!

Honor God with everything you own;
give Him the first and the best.

Your barns will burst,
your wine vats (large tub) will brim over.
But don't, dear friend, resent God's discipline;
don't sulk (ill-humor shown) under His loving
correction.

It's the child He loves that God corrects; a father's delight is behind all this."

(Proverbs 3:5-12 the MESSAGE Bible)