



When challenges present themselves

Do you complain about it

Do you try to fix it your way

Do you pray about it

Do you pray about it then complain about it

Do you pray about it then trust God's providence

Exodus 15:13

In your unfailing love you will lead the people you have redeemed. In your strength you will guide them to your holy dwelling.

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Murmuring

Life is not as I want it

Dissatisfied and disappointed expectations

Lacks understanding of how God and the world works

Israel's Distorted Thinking

Rebellion magnified past positives and minimized past negatives

God is not at the center of their understanding or thinking

Nor is God the motivation for how to engage the world

Philippians 4:10-13

I rejoiced greatly in the Lord that at last you renewed your concern for me. Indeed, you were concerned, but you had no opportunity to show it. ¹¹ I am not saying this because I am in need, for I have learned to be content whatever the circumstances. ¹² I know what it is to be in need, and I know what it is to have plenty. I have learned the secret of being content in any and every situation, whether well fed or hungry, whether living in plenty or in want. ¹³ I can do all this through him who gives me strength.

Does your character align more with

Korah who resisted

Or

Caleb who trusted