

Valley Bible Church Devotional Study

Faith amid Difficulty

John 12:27-28a

Why might Jesus, hours before His arrest and ultimate crucifixion, have been troubled in His soul?

How did Jesus respond to the situation of His soul becoming troubled? What was His purpose?

Give thanks for Jesus' faith amid difficulty.

Think of a present or recent storm in your life. What events have occurred? Did your soul become troubled? Why?

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Did you pray for relief, follow Jesus' example of seeking to glorify the Father or do something else?
What have you done so far, in response to the situation?

What thoughts and actions would accompany a heart longing to glorify the Lord above all else in these hard circumstances?

Recall the manner in which Jesus dealt with soul-troubling adversity. Pray, committing yourself to the same way.
