The Tough Get Going

Do something

When the going gets tough, Seek God

Asa did what was good and right in the eyes of the LORD his God. 3 He took away the foreign altars and the high places and broke down the pillars and cut down the Asherim 4 and commanded Judah to seek the LORD, the God of their fathers, and to keep the law and the commandment. 2Chronicles 14:2-4.

God communicated with his people

15 The Spirit of God came upon Azariah the son of Oded, 2 and he went out to meet Asa and said to him, “Hear me, Asa, and all Judah and Benjamin: Asa, Judah, and Benjamin

It was a simple message

The LORD is with you while you are with him. If you seek him, he will be found by you, but if you forsake him, he will forsake you.

The message came with a history lesson

3 For a long time Israel was without the true God, and without a teaching priest and without law, 4 but when in their distress they turned to the LORD, the God of Israel, and sought him, he was found by them.

God still speaks

But from there you will seek the Lord your God and you will find him, if you search after him with all your heart and with all your soul. - Deuteronomy 4:29

You will seek me and find me, when you seek me with all your

heart. 14 I will be found by you, declares the Lord - Jeremiah 31:13-14

Seek the Lord while he may be found; call upon him while he is near - Isaiah 55:6

God never hides from people who want to find Him

So, what about Asa and his Kingdom?

14 They swore an oath to the LORD with a loud voice and with shouting and with trumpets and with horns. 15 And all Judah rejoiced over the oath, for they had sworn with all their heart and had sought him with their whole desire, and he was found by them, and the LORD gave them rest all around. 2Chronicles 15:14-15.

If I were you, I would Just do that if I were in a hard spot. IF my whole world falls apart tomorrow, that's where I'll be and that's what I'll be doing.

The new "Seek me."

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