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The storms that the church experienced in the book of Acts led to spiritual struggles, that produced spiritual strength, and eventually spiritual3.	
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The gentle words of Jesus' ministry to Paul were5.	
If we can tune our spiritual ears to6 Jesus speaking to our hearts, he can become the minister in our storm.	
The ⁷ Paul encountered on his journey were life-giving.	
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12 Times in Hebrews 4 scriptures refers t	o salvation as spiritual rest.
Most times the rest caused by storms is not what we e	expect, but it's exactly what we
The result of our rest is often less than we expect	ted but more than we could

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to THE WORLD!				to THE WORLD!				
1. Deeply	16			1. Deeply	16			
2. Definitely	17.			2. Definitely	17.			
Letters Paul wrote while chained to a Roman soldier in Rome:			Letters Paul wrote while chained to a Roman soldier in Rome:					
•Ephesians				•Ephesians				
Philippians				Philippians				
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•2 Timothy				•2 Timothy				
Your storm may have left	you with a chain, bu	t as long as it's not a	¹⁸ you	Your storm may have left	you with a chain, but	as long as it's not a	¹⁸ you	
have to get back up and I	ceep living!			have to get back up and	keep living!			
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