

Past, Present, Future!

This past Monday, we entered the new year 2024. My wife, Sandra, told me her ninth grade World History teacher, Miss Marguerite Lumpkin, said to her students, "To know nothing of the past is to know little of the present and have no concept of the future."

The year 2023 is the past. In it is much debris left from wreaked lives brought by sickness, broken relationships, and failed financial support. When we know what caused those wreckages, we can do something about them in the present. If we do not know or ignore the causes, suffering continues in the present and our future is doomed.

Beloved, Jesus is the only answer to all problems (John 14:13-14). He works on our problems for our good. He came to give us an abundant life (John 10:10). We are not to carry the past into the present. It is a burden we cannot carry. Jesus wants us to give our burdens to him. His burden is easy to carry because he helps us (Matthew 11:28-30). Jesus wants us not to let our hearts be troubled or afraid (John 14:1). Your past is gone, and your future is not here. You are standing in your present time. Stand with Jesus every day and he will give you an exceedingly abundant new year! Shalom!!

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