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**<sup>19</sup>But when they arrest you, do not worry about what to say or how to say it. At that time you will be given what to say,<sup>20</sup>for it will not be you speaking, but the Spirit of your Father speaking through you.**

**Matthew 10:19-20 (NIV)**

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**<sup>3</sup>Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of compassion and the God of all comfort, <sup>4</sup>who comforts us in all our troubles, so that we can comfort those in any trouble with the comfort we ourselves receive from God. <sup>5</sup>For just as we share abundantly in the sufferings of Christ, so also our comfort abounds through Christ.**

**2 Corinthians 1:3-5 (NIV)**

**<sup>18</sup>The LORD is close to the  
brokenhearted and saves those who  
are crushed in spirit. <sup>19</sup>The righteous  
person may have many troubles, but  
the Lord delivers him from them all.**

**Psalms 34:18-19 (NIV)**

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**For those who are overwhelmed by fear  
for their safety, and for all of the pain  
that has divided our nation**



**<sup>7</sup>For God gave us a spirit not of fear but of power and love and self-control.**

**2 Timothy 1:7 (ESV)**

**<sup>10</sup>So do not fear, for I am with you;  
do not be dismayed, for I am your  
God. I will strengthen you and help  
you; I will uphold you with my  
righteous right hand.**

**Isaiah 41:10 (NIV)**

**Pray for Justice from  
our Government,  
Police Reform, and  
Righteous Leadership**

**<sup>24</sup>But let justice roll on like a river,  
righteousness like a never-failing stream!**

**Amos 5:24 (NIV)**

**<sup>14</sup>Righteousness and justice are the foundation of your throne; love and faithfulness go before you.**

**Psalms 89:14 (NIV)**



**<sup>1</sup>The Lord detests dishonest  
scales, but accurate weights find  
favor with him.**

**Proverbs 11:1 (NIV)**

**<sup>1</sup>My brothers and sisters, believers in our glorious Lord Jesus Christ must not show favoritism.**

**James 2:1 (NIV)**

**Pray for the Church**

**It's Not the Law, It's  
the People**

**It's Not the Uniform,  
It's the Person**

**<sup>23</sup>“When Moses was forty years old, he decided to visit his own people, the Israelites. <sup>24</sup>He saw one of them being mistreated by an Egyptian, so he went to his defense and avenged him by killing the Egyptian. <sup>25</sup>Moses thought that his own people would realize that God was using him to rescue them, but they did not.**

**Acts 7:23-25 (NIV)**



**The Enemy's Tactic  
is to Undermine  
Authority and  
Divide God's People**

**Anger and Blame  
Bring Division,  
Forgiveness &  
Prayer Bring Healing**

**<sup>23</sup>Above all else, guard your heart,  
for everything you do flows from it.**

**Proverbs 4:23 (NIV)**

**<sup>19</sup>My dear brothers and sisters, take note of this: Everyone should be quick to listen, slow to speak and slow to become angry,<sup>20</sup> because human anger does not produce the righteousness that God desires.**

**James 1:19-20 (NIV)**

**<sup>17</sup>But the wisdom that comes from heaven is first of all pure; then peace-loving, considerate, submissive, full of mercy and good fruit, impartial and sincere.**

**James 3:17 (NIV)**



**<sup>35</sup>By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another.**

**John 13:35 (NIV)**

**Whatever the cause, God has been profoundly real to me in recent months. In the midst of outer danger I have felt an inner calm and known resources of strength that only God could give. In many instances I have felt the power of God transforming the fatigue of despair into the bouyance of hope. I am convinced that the universe is under the control of a loving purpose and that in the struggle for righteousness man has cosmic relationship.**

*Martin Luther King, Jr.*