

## QUIETNESS

In repentance and rest is your salvation, in quietness and trust is your strength, but you would have none of it.

*Isaiah 30:15*

In the quietness I speak. In the noise of your thoughts and your words you cannot hear. Learn to be quiet. I have called you and commissioned you for a task too great for you. Only as you listen will you be able to fulfill your task. I will not forsake you nor let you bring harm to My work. But to fulfill your call, you must hear and heed what I say. Your fear of being wrong stops your ears from hearing.

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This is what the sovereign Lord says, “Stand at the crossroads and look; ask for the ancient paths, ask where the good way is, and walk in it, and you will find rest for your souls. But you said, “We will not walk in it.”

*Jeremiah 6:16*

You have lost much ground through your neglect in listening to me. Quelling the busy mind with its rebellious thoughts takes effort and practice. You are still at the beginning stage in this effort, and have little understanding of what success will require. But do not let that discourage you, for I am faithful, even when your faithlessness puts a barrier between us.

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The Lord your God is with you he is mighty to save. He will take great delight in you, he will quiet you with his love, and will rejoice over you with singing.

*Zephaniah 3:17*