

Deacon's Beacons

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But let all who take refuge in you rejoice;
let them ever sing for joy,
and spread your protection over them,
that those who love your name may exult in you.
For you bless the righteous, O LORD;
you cover him with favor as with a shield. Psalm 5:11–12

God will always be there for us. He is our refuge and our shield. Sometimes it feels as though He is off on a vacation or something. At times, it feels like God is not present. So we begin to doubt. There is a poem supposedly found in a cell during World War II and attributed to an anonymous Jewish person:

I believe in the sun
even when it is not shining
And I believe in love,
even when there's no one there.
And I believe in God,
even when He is silent.

That sums up what our faith is to be. It does not need proof for if it does have proof, it ceases being faith. God does not operate by our time. We need to be patient and wait for God to act and to answer.

Resurrexit sicut dixit!

Go raibh síocháin Chríost a bheith in éineacht leat.

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