

***Our Desperate Need
for God's Help***

John 15:5, et al.

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Four aspects of our own helplessness ...

- 1. Were it not for Jesus, we wouldn't exist.**
- 2. Were it not for Jesus, we would vanish out of existence.**
- 3. Were it not for Jesus, there would be nothing virtuous about us at all.**
- 4. We are helpless to bear any fruit apart from Christ.**

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1 Kings 3:7

“And now, O LORD my God, thou hast made thy servant king instead of David my father: and I am but a little child: I know not how to go out or come in.”

Jeremiah 10:23-24

**“O LORD, I know that the way of man is not in himself: it is not in man that walketh to direct his steps.
24 O LORD, correct me, but with judgment; not in thine anger, lest thou bring me to nothing.”**

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2 Chronicles 14:11

“And Asa cried unto the LORD his God, and said, LORD, it is nothing with thee to help, whether with many, or with them that have no power: help us, O LORD our God; for we rest on thee, and in thy name we go against this multitude. O LORD, thou art our God; let not man prevail against thee.”

Psalm 50:15

“And call upon me in the day of trouble: I will deliver thee, and thou shalt glorify me.”

2 Corinthians 12:9a

“And he said unto me, My grace is sufficient for thee: for my strength is made perfect in weakness. ...”

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Galatians 2:20

**“I am crucified with Christ:
nevertheless I live; yet not I, but
Christ liveth in me: and the life which
I now live in the flesh I live by the
faith of the Son of God, who loved
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