SAME STORM WE

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LYRICS

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VERSE 1

The SAME STORM that WE whine about brings the birds a feast. The SAME STORM that WE gripe about brings the fish to rise for birds to eat! The SAME STORM WE complain about draws worms up from earth for birds. The SAME STORM WE ask God to STOP are for some God's Blessings.

READING 1. GOD: ..."How long shall I bear with this evil congregation who <u>complain</u> against Me? I have heard the <u>complaints</u> which the children of Israel make against Me."
Numbers 14:27. JESUS in John 6: 59-61: "These things He said in the synagogue as He taught in Capernaum. Therefore many of His disciples, when they heard *this*, said, 'This is a hard saying; who can understand it?' When Jesus knew in Himself that His disciples <u>complained</u> about this, He said to them, "Does this **offend** you???? "

CHORUS

Lack of trust in God INSULTS Him.... Wouldn't that anger YOU? God is *FURIOUS !!* Go read Exodus, of complainers: Chapter 32. Complaining ignores God's Promise – Romans 8: 28. God has firmly said He'll bring Good from This. WAIT and TRUST Him: Psalm 46: 10.

VERSE 2

The SAME STORM that WE whine about flushes clean Gods streams & rivers. The SAME STORM that WE gripe about ends a drought for others. The SAME STORM we complain about ends the risk for forest fires. The SAME STORM we ask God to STOP..... brings to LIFE, trees and flowers!

READING 2. God inspired PAUL to remind us of HISTORY in Exodus 32, writing it again in his First letter to the Corinthians 10: 8-11:

"Nor let us commit sexual immorality, as some of them did, and in one day 23,000 fell; nor let us tempt Christ, as some of them also tempted, and were destroyed by serpents; nor complain, as some of them also complained, and were destroyed by the Destroyer. 11 Now all these things happened to them as examples, and they were written for our admonition..."

GOD COMPARES COMPLAINING AGAINST HIM TO SEXUAL IMMORALITY.

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VERSE 3

The SAME STORM Problems WE whine about flushes out our thoughts about God. The SAME STORM Problems WE gripe about show us IF we still have doubts. Like Blessings for fish, trees, flowers, We often don't look past our selfish "ME". God <u>HATES</u> your complaining, it shows <u>doubts</u> in *God* – – and God's Blessings.

READING 3. Selections from Romans 8:28a to 35 --Young's Literal Translation: And we have known that to those loving God all things do work together for good ... What, then, shall we say unto these things? if God *is* for us, **who** *is* against us? ... **Who** shall separate us from the love of the Christ? tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? ... But in all these we are More than Conquerors, Through Him who loved us; ..."

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Song Story. Lyrics & basic music written in 35 minutes total at the ALIVE MUSIC FESTIVAL campground in June 2012... which *always* in 11 years has had a bad storm during the week, including tornado warnings. But with so many song blessings from the Creator LORD, I didn't get around to finish developing this important song for over 3 years. Picking this specific one was inspired by a Nature video about the blessings of things called "bad" by most people.....

It's an amusing observation that as I was going thru old journals looking for songs to complete, the LORD was providing the **Blizzard of 2016** on the East Coast with super heavy winds and many feet of snow for 36 hours straight.... Working on this song (in the blessing of still having electric power!) was rather amused as I reminded myself (repeatedly): DON'T COMPLAIN ! :)

I couldn't figure out for a long time which album to put this song on. Prayed. Finally decided: It's Time for Christians everywhere to remember that we are the Servants and the LORD God is our Master.

It's TIME to stop complaining EVEN when we don't understand! *"Amazing Master 'n' Servants"*