WE ARE, BUT AREN'T

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** Isaiah 42: 8 in Hebrew, God clearly says that His Name is YHWH (oft pronounced yaw-way). It is **NOT** His title of "LORD" Master.

VERSE 1

We are hard pressed. BUT we are NOT Crushed.
Sometimes we're perplexed, YET are NOT in despair.
We may be persecuted, BUT we AREN'T ever forsaken by God!
...... AREN'T ever forsaken by God!
If we ARE struck down by the world,
Still we are NOT hopeless! We live on.
All who honor Yahweh God as LORD,
ARE with troubles, but we AREN'T alone!
ARE with troubles, but we AREN'T alone!

BRIDGE

From the rising of the sun, call on God's Name! Isaiah 41 -- God saves! Yahweh God helps and gives strength! Don't be dismayed! -- Isaiah 41, God's with YOU!

SPOKEN WORDS 1

2nd Corinthians 4:8 NLT

With God, "We **ARE** pressed on every side by troubles, but we **ARE NOT** crushed. We are perplexed, but not driven to despair."

BUT WITHOUT God: God warns through Numbers 14: verses 40 to 43,

"You will only be crushed by your enemies

<IF> the LORD is not with you.

The LORD will abandon you <IF> YOU have abandoned the LORD."

First Peter 5: 8 to 10: 8 Be sober, be vigilant;

Because your adversary the devil walks about like a roaring lion,

Seeking whom he may devour.

Resist him, steadfast in the faith...

May the God of all grace, who called us to His eternal glory by Christ Jesus ---- After you have suffered a while ---- perfect, establish, strengthen, and settle you."

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VERSE 2

Though **I'm** hard pressed, STILL **I'm** NEVER Crushed.

Sometimes I'm perplexed, YET NEVER in despair.

If I get persecuted, STILL I'm NOT EVER forsaken by God!

..... NOT EVER forsaken by God!

If problems press down hard on me,

Still God gives me His strength! Gives me hope!

When I honor Yahweh God as LORD.

GOD still gives me Joy! I'm NOT alone!

(BRIDGE)

SPOKEN WORDS 2

Isaiah 41: 10 and 13, the LORD named YHWH (as He says in Isaiah 42:8 Hebrew) promises,

"Fear not, for I AM with you; Be not dismayed, for I AM your God.

I WILL strengthen you, Yes, I WILL help you,

I WILL uphold you with My righteous right hand.'

For I, the LORD your God, WILL hold your right hand, saying to you,

'Fear not, I will help you.' "

<u>Psalm 37: 39 and 40</u>. "But the salvation of the righteous is from the LORD named YHWH; He is their strength in the time of trouble.

And the LORD YHWH **SHALL** help them and deliver them;

He **SHALL** deliver them from the wicked, and save them, **BECAUSE** they **TRUST** in Him." -- Psalm 37.

VERSE 3

When Life feels hard, STILL God promised us >>

ALWAYS He **IS** with us, giving help and strength.

Isaiah 41 ---- **NONE** who honor God are *EVER* forsaken by God!

..... They're *NEVER* forsaken by God!

God's people MAY be struck by the world.

Yet we ARE NOT hopeless! We live on!

We who honor Yahweh God as LORD

Will have troubles, but we AREN'T alone!

Will have troubles, but we AREN'T alone!

(BRIDGE)

SPOKEN WORDS 3

Deuteronomy 4:31 PROMISE: "... For the LORD your God *is* a merciful God), He will NOT forsake you nor destroy you, NOR forget the covenant of your fathers which He swore to them." <that is, to those who showed Him honor by striving to obey His commandments> Hebrews

13: 5 "Let your conduct be without covetousness; be content with such things as you have. For He Himself has said, 'I will never leave you nor forsake you'."

< quoting Deuteronomy 31: verses 6 to 8; AND Joshua 1: 5 >

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INTERLUDE (First half of Verse 1)

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..... AREN'T ever forsaken by God!

CHORUS

God has promised us, and speaks Truth:

Second Corinthians 4 for us:

We have hard trials pressing us.

We AREN'T crushed when we choose God.

Life's hard. We CAN trust God.

DON'T GIVE UP!

Satan may attack, God warns us.

God saves: First Peter 5: 8 tells HOW.

We find joy living for our LORD. God raised Jesus UP. He'll lift US.

Through Life, we CAN trust God--

And His LOVE.

ADDITIONAL COMFORTING SCRIPTURE PROMISES OF GOD:

TAKE COURAGE!

Philippians 4: 13, "I can do ALL things THROUGH Christ, who STRENGTHENS me."

2nd Timothy 4: 7 (KJV) >>> Notwithstanding ANY fear that hits my
FEEL-ings>: "The Lord STOOD WITH ME, & strength-ened me; that by me the preaching might be fully known <God could USE me>... & I was DELIVERED out of the mouth of the lion.

<u>Psalm 46</u>: 1 God is our refuge and strength, always ready to help in times of trouble.

2 So we will not fear when earthquakes come and the mountains crumble into the sea.

<u>Psalm 46 continues</u>: 6 "The nations are in chaos, and their kingdoms crumble! God's voice thunders, and the earth melts! 7 The LORD of Heaven's Armies is <u>here</u> among us; the God of Israel is our <u>fortress</u>. 8 Come, see the glorious works of the LORD YHWH: See how he brings destruction upon the world. 9 He causes wars to end throughout the earth. He breaks the bow and snaps the spear; he burns the shields with fire.

10 "Be still, and know that I am God! I <u>will</u> be <u>honored</u> by every nation. I <u>will</u> be <u>honored</u> throughout the world." 11 The LORD of Heaven's Armies is <u>here</u> among us; the God of Israel is our <u>fortress</u>."

<u>Proverbs 18: 10</u>. The name of the LORD YHWH is a strong fortress; the godly run to him and are safe" (NLT).

<u>Psalm 59: 16</u>. "But I will sing of Your strength, in the morning I will sing of Your love; for You are my fortress, my refuge in times of trouble."

Isaiah 40: 28 to end. "Have you never heard? Have you never understood? The LORD YHWH is the everlasting God, the Creator of all the earth. He never grows weak or weary. No one can measure the depths of his understanding. He gives power to the weak and strength to the powerless. Even youths will become weak and tired, and young men will fall in exhaustion. 31 BUT THOSE WHO TRUST IN THE LORD WILL FIND NEW STRENGTH. They will soar high on wings like eagles. They will run and not grow weary. They will walk and NOT FAINT."