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In my heart there is a stone, a little mountain of my own and lately I’m beginning to believe it’s too high for You.”
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Mar 4:35-41 And the same day, when the even was come, he saith unto them, Let us pass over unto the other side. (36) And when they had sent away the multitude, they took him even as he was in the ship. And there were also with him other little ships. (37) And there arose a great storm of wind, and the waves beat into the ship, so that it was now full. (38) And he was in the hinder part of the ship, asleep on a pillow: and they awake him, and say unto him, Master, carest thou not that we perish? (39) And he arose, and rebuked the wind, and said unto the sea, Peace, be still. And the wind ceased, and there was a great calm. (40) And he said unto them, Why are ye so fearful? how is it that ye have no faith? (41) And they feared exceedingly, and said one to another, What manner of man is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?
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Principles for exiting your personal storm:

1. Trust the Word of God!
Joh 1:1-3  In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. (2) The same was in the beginning with God. (3) All things were made by him; and without him was not any thing made that was made.
Gen 1:3  And God said, Let there be light: and there was light.
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I can't hide it easily. Sometimes it's all there is to see. This is no Mountain of Transfiguration, It's the stone of nothing's changing.
2 Pet 1:19 and we have the more established \textit{(trustworthy)} prophetic Word, in which you do well to take heed, as to a lamp shining in a murky place, until day dawns and the Light-bearing \textit{One} rises in your hearts; (LITV)
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Psa 138:2 I will worship toward thy holy temple, and praise thy name for thy lovingkindness and for thy truth: for thou hast magnified thy word above all thy name.
Psa 119:165  Great peace have they which love thy law: and nothing shall offend them.
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Isa 26:3  Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on thee: because he trusteth in thee.
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2 Tim 1:7 For God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind.
Hab 2:4 ...: but the just (righteous) shall live by his faith.
Job 3:25-26  For the thing which I greatly feared is come upon me, and that which I was afraid of is come unto me. (26) I was not in safety, neither had I rest, neither was I quiet; yet trouble came.
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Psa 46:1-3  To the chief Musician for the sons of Korah, A Song upon Alamoth. God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. (2) Therefore will not we fear, though the earth be removed, and though the mountains be carried into the midst of the sea; (3) Though the waters thereof roar and be troubled, though the mountains shake with the swelling thereof. Selah.
Joh 14:1  Let not your heart be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in me.
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3. Trust in the authority of God.
Luk 10:19  Behold, I give unto you power to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy: and nothing shall by any means hurt you.
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Mat 28:18  And Jesus came and spake unto them, saying, All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth.
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Jas 4:7  Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.
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Gen 8:1-3  And God remembered Noah and every living thing, and all the cattle which were with him in the ark. And God made a wind to pass over the earth, and the waters subsided. (2) And the fountains of the deep and the windows of the heavens were stopped, and the rain from the heavens was restrained. (3) And the waters retreated from the earth, going and retreating. And the waters diminished at the end of a hundred and fifty days.
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Rom 8:35-39  Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? (36) As it is written, For thy sake we are killed all the day long; we are accounted as sheep for the slaughter. (37) Nay, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him that loved us. (38) For I am persuaded, that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come, (39) Nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature, shall be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.