



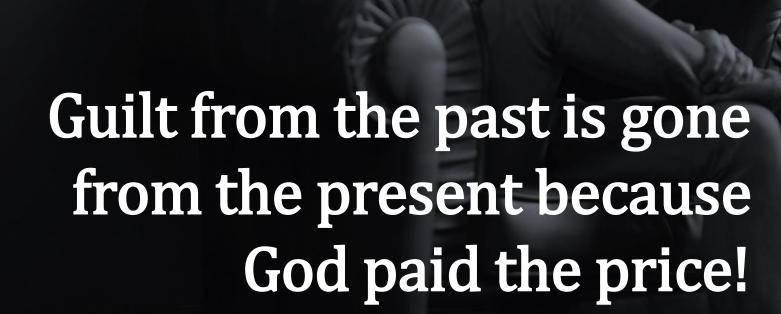
How can this ever turn out for good?!?

## Mark 5:19

"And he did not permit him but said to him, "Go home to your friends and tell them how much the Lord has done for you, and how he has had mercy on you."









## 1 Timothy 15–16

"Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am the foremost. But I received mercy for this reason, that in me, as the foremost, Jesus Christi might display his perfect patience as an example to those who were to believe in him for eternal life."



God says something uniquely stunning about himself *through* our past!

God needs to speak to some particular individual in *your life through your* life! Through your past tax collecting, fits of anger, quiet jealousy, envy, conceited self-pity, sexual immorality, fake religious hypocrisy, self-righteous morality, or what you were freed from.

