2 Corinthians 1 • Inside the Heart of the Church

1. (v.1-7) One of the primary reasons we experience the dual aspects of suffering and comfort **personally** is so that we might in turn comfort **others**.
2. (v.8-11) The dual aspects of suffering and comfort result in increased **confidence** in Christ and a visible witness of His **working**.
3. (v.12-14) Regardless of conditions, even through sufferings and trials, a **biblical** Christian is proven by **biblical** behavior.
4. (v.15-22) The dual aspects of sufferings and comfort actually enable us to claim the **promises** of God both for this **life** and the **next**.
5. (v.23-24) Christians consciously avoid being an additional source of **suffering**, but a continual source of **comfort**.