



“¹⁰My enemies are plotting....¹¹They say, ‘Now we’ll catch you!
God has deserted you, and no one can save you.’
¹²Come closer, God! Please hurry and help.”

Psalm 71:10-12 (CEV)

What can WE do to reconnect with God?

WE can _____ we lost something valuable.

“⁵But as one of them was chopping, his ax head fell into the river. ‘Ah, my lord!’ he cried. ‘It was a borrowed ax!’” 2 Kings 6:5 (NLT)

“⁴But I have this complaint against you. You don’t love me or each other as you did at first! ⁵ Look how far you have fallen from your first love! Turn back to me again and work as you did at first.” Revelation 2:4-5 (NLT)

*Has there ever been a time in my life
when I was closer to God? (Psalm 73:2)*

WE can _____ where we lost the connection.

““Where did it fall?” the man of God asked....” 2 Kings 6:6 (NLT)

What causes people to get disconnected from God?

WE can _____ for a restored connection.

“...When he showed him the place, Elisha cut a stick and threw it into the water. Then the ax head rose to the surface and floated. 2 Kings 6:6 (NLT)

Can/Will God restore my relationship with Him?

God says...

“²⁴I say it again, it is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich person to enter the Kingdom of God!” ²⁵The disciples were astounded. ‘Then who in the world can be saved?’ they asked. ²⁶Jesus looked at them intently and said, ‘Humanly speaking, it is impossible. But with God everything is possible.’” Matt. 19:23-26 (NLT)

God says...

God to Jeremiah: “If you repent, I will restore you that you may serve me; if you utter worthy, not worthless, words, you will be my spokesman.” Jeremiah 15:19 (NIV)

WE can _____ God’s response.

⁷‘Grab it,’ Elisha said to him. And the man reached out and grabbed it.” 2 Kings 6:7 (NLT)

“Come near to God and He will come near to you.” James 4:8 (NIV)

Is there hope if I keep wandering over and over?

(Psalm 84:2; 85:4; 51:12; James 5:19)

⁴“But I have this against you: You have left the love you had in the beginning.

⁵So remember where you were before you fell. Change your hearts and do what you did at first.”

Revelations 2:4-5 (NCV)

