

NewSpring Church Personal Study Guide

God is. . . — Week 5

In times of extraordinary uncertainty, when it seems that God is most distant, we can be sure that he is doing his best work. This truth is exemplified in the crucifixion and death of Jesus Christ. While it appeared that all was lost, God was actually making a way for everyone to be saved! Can we as believers learn to embrace uncertainty and live joyfully despite our circumstances?

- What kind of uncertainty exists in your life right now? Can you see God at work?
- Many believe that when God shows up there is more certainty, more miracles, and more goodness but that is not always the case. A stumbling block that keeps many from believing Jesus is the fact that incredible hardship is endured by believers of the gospel. How do you explain this to someone struggling to understand this truth?
- Hindsight is 20/20. Can you look back and see how God worked in the past through difficult times? What hope does that give you for the future?
- How can you trust God when there is no evidence of his activity in your life?

Life is uncertain. God is not uncertain. We can be sure that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose. But sometimes it takes him a while...