

III. Trusting God's promise

a. God's promise of good

b. God's power to make good

c. Taking the "long view"

Getting a Jump on

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Week Nine

Overcoming Worry

"Our ability to overcome worry will grow as we give ourselves over to trust God's sovereignty, God's goodness, and God's promise."

Matthew 10:29

Are not two sparrows sold for a cent? And yet not one of them will fall to the ground apart from your Father.

Psalms 23:6

Surely goodness and lovingkindness will follow me all the days of my life, And I will dwell in the house of the LORD forever.

Romans 8:28

And we know that God causes all things to work together for good to those who love God, to those who are called according to His purpose.

I. Trusting God's sovereignty

- a. The "value" of a sparrow

- b. Nothing falls to the ground apart from God

II. Trusting God's goodness

- a. Goodness and lovingkindness

- b. Goodness is an essential part of God's nature
(cf. Exodus 33:19; Mark 10:18)