## **Power of Perspective.**

I am a true believer in the power of perspective. I love it how two people can have their eyes on the same situation but see two totally different realities. One of them could see a setback; and the other could see a set up. One might see the end, the other sees a fresh start, a new beginning. I've lived that life. One minute everything is a definite setback and the next you can see set up instead.

I've learned through my experience it's not always about changing the circumstance, it's about changing me and how I see things. Being able to change your perspective sure makes things flow. We all know life is going to throw storms at you. That's a given in my book. Perspective on the other hand can be your umbrella, your compass, and your anchor. It's what keeps you steady in the storm.

We can choose to believe that everyone and everything is against us, or we can look at things like every one of my struggles was training. Every loss was really a lesson. This past year has been a period of renewal, and I've learned that changing your perspective changes your power.

Look at Peter's story. The storm didn't change his focus did. We should always keep our focus on Jesus and Kingdom priorities. In the midst of our storms and when everything is going our way. **When we're walking on water**. Don't let your focus shift like Peter's did, not for anything.

Faith and Focus don't pretend that the storm isn't even there. It means we are going to keep our focus on God the One bigger than any storm and He is fighting with me. Shifting perspective from fear to faith, from problems to promises. You'll see everything changes not because the situation is any different, but because we are.

So today, trust that the author of your story is still writing. He's just working on the next chapter. Romans 8:28 still stands strong. "And we know that in all things God works for the good of those that love Him".

We all know that the enemy will use our past pain, failures, and wounds. He will use anything to blur our focus so it's hard to see Gods intentions in our situation's. This is a good reason to walk by faith, not by sight. 2 Corinthians 5:7 Faith is the corrective lens that brings Gods truth into focus.

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