Through many dangers, toils and snares
I have already come.
Tis grace hath bro’t me safe thus far,
And grace will lead me home.
in the Grace of God
1 Peter 5:10-12
Peter Reminds Us:

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The world is a bridge.
The wise will pass over it,
but will not build
his house on it.
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• Our suffering is temporary, don’t be defeated by it.
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• Let Jesus be your example.
1 Peter 2:21-23

“To this you were called, because Christ suffered for you, leaving you an example, that you should follow in his steps. He committed no sin, and no deceit was found in his mouth. When they hurled their insults at him, he did not retaliate; when he suffered, he made no threats. Instead, he entrusted himself to him who judges justly.”
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Being a Christian doesn’t mean that all your struggles and problems will go away. It does mean that in the very midst of your struggles and problems you will have the opportunity to experience the grace of God and be able to stand.
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“Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, and into an inheritance that can never perish, spoil or fade—kept in heaven for you,
1 Peter 1:3-6

who through faith are shielded by God’s power until the coming of the salvation that is ready to be revealed in the last time. In this you greatly rejoice, though now for a little while you may have had to suffer grief in all kinds of trials.”
1 Peter 1:18-21

“For you know that it was not with perishable things such as silver or gold that you were redeemed from the empty way of life handed down to you from your forefathers, but with the precious blood of Christ, a lamb without blemish or defect. He was chosen before the creation of the world,
but was revealed in these last times for your sake. Through him you believe in God, who raised him from the dead and glorified him, and so your faith and hope are in God.”
1 Peter 1:18-21

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As a Christian I know:

• There is no problem in this world that I’m not going to outlive.
• My troubles can actually do me good.
• His grace will be with me to see me thru.
Florence Chadwick
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1 Peter 3:8

“Finally, all of you, live in harmony with one another; be sympathetic, love as brothers, be compassionate and humble.”
1 Peter 4:8-9

“Above all, love each other deeply, because love covers over a multitude of sins. Offer hospitality to one another without grumbling.”
Colossians 3:12-14

“Therefore, as God’s chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience. Bear with each other and forgive whatever grievances you may have against one another. Forgive as the Lord forgave you. And over all these virtues put on love, which binds them all together in perfect unity.”
Stand Firm in the Grace of God
1 Peter 5:10-11

“And the God of all grace, who called you to his eternal glory in Christ, after you have suffered a little while, will himself restore you and make you strong, firm and steadfast. To him be the power for ever and ever. Amen.”