

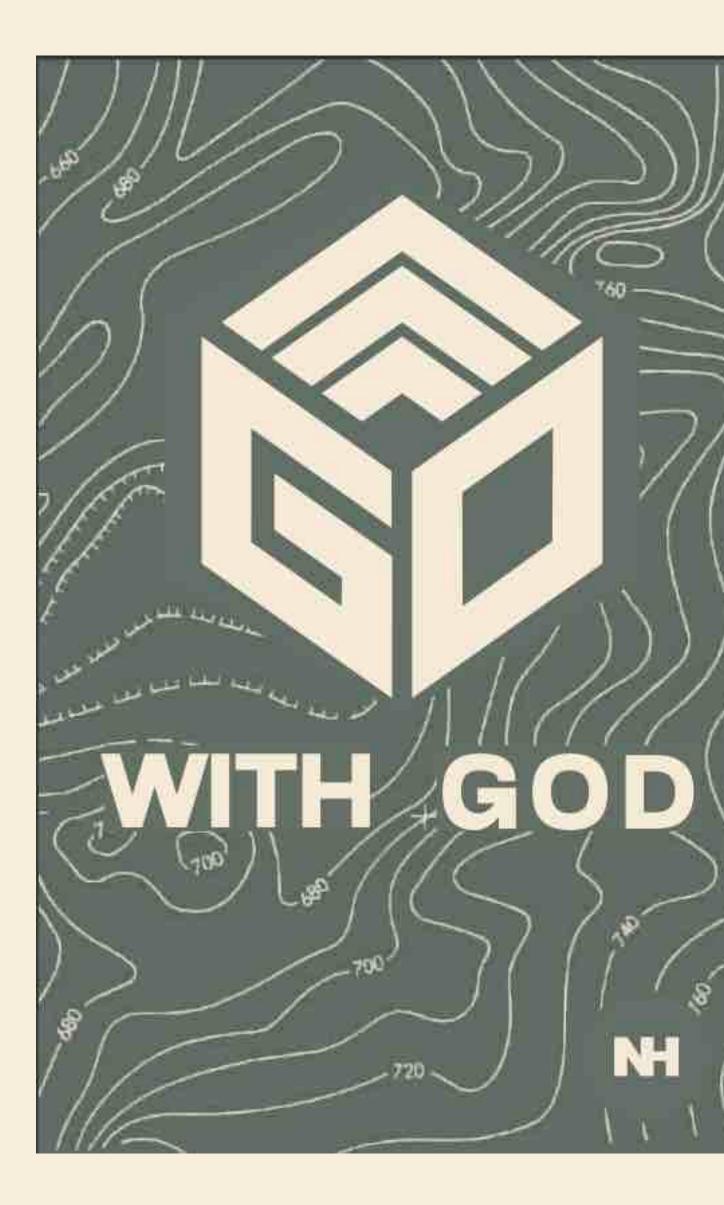
## **Discipleship for all NHB The Problem** - We are running out of space

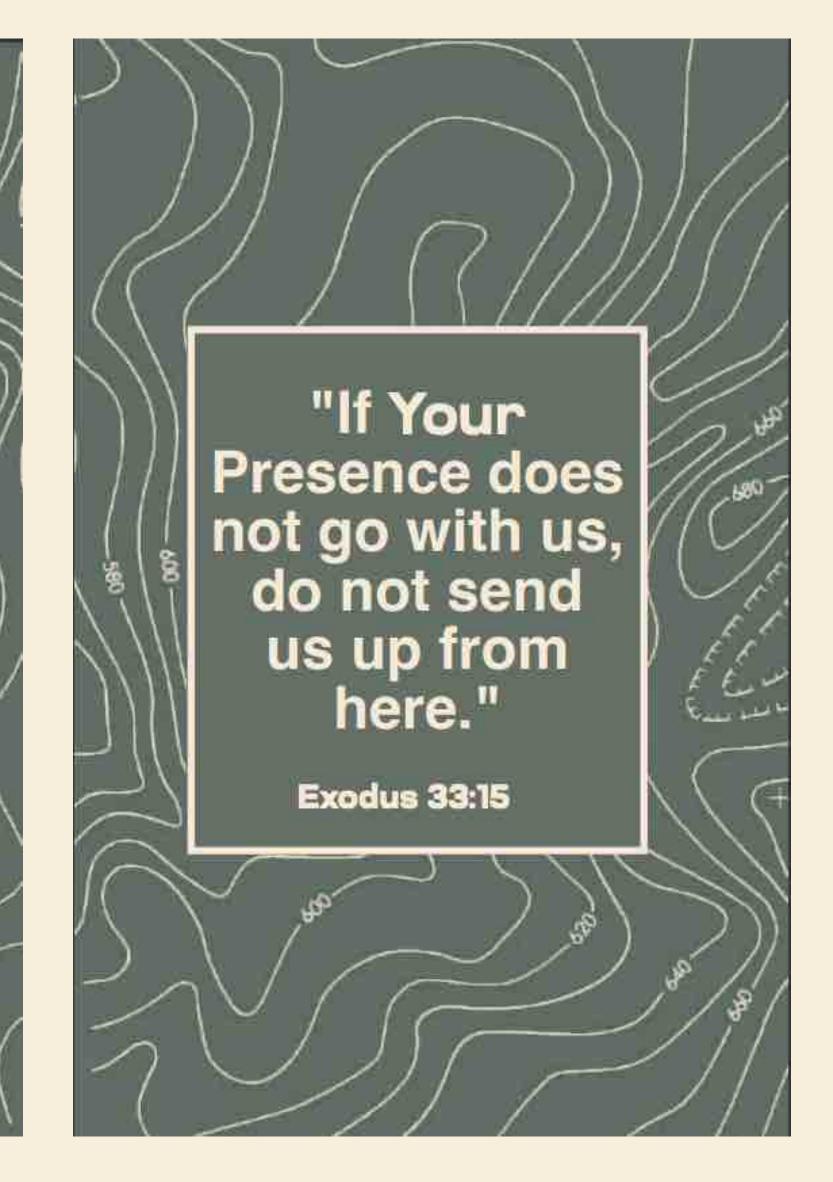
**The Solution** - God is leading us to expand

**The Urgency** -Over the next two years, trusting God to provide \$3 million to make this vision a reality.

**The Action** - We are calling for 100% participation









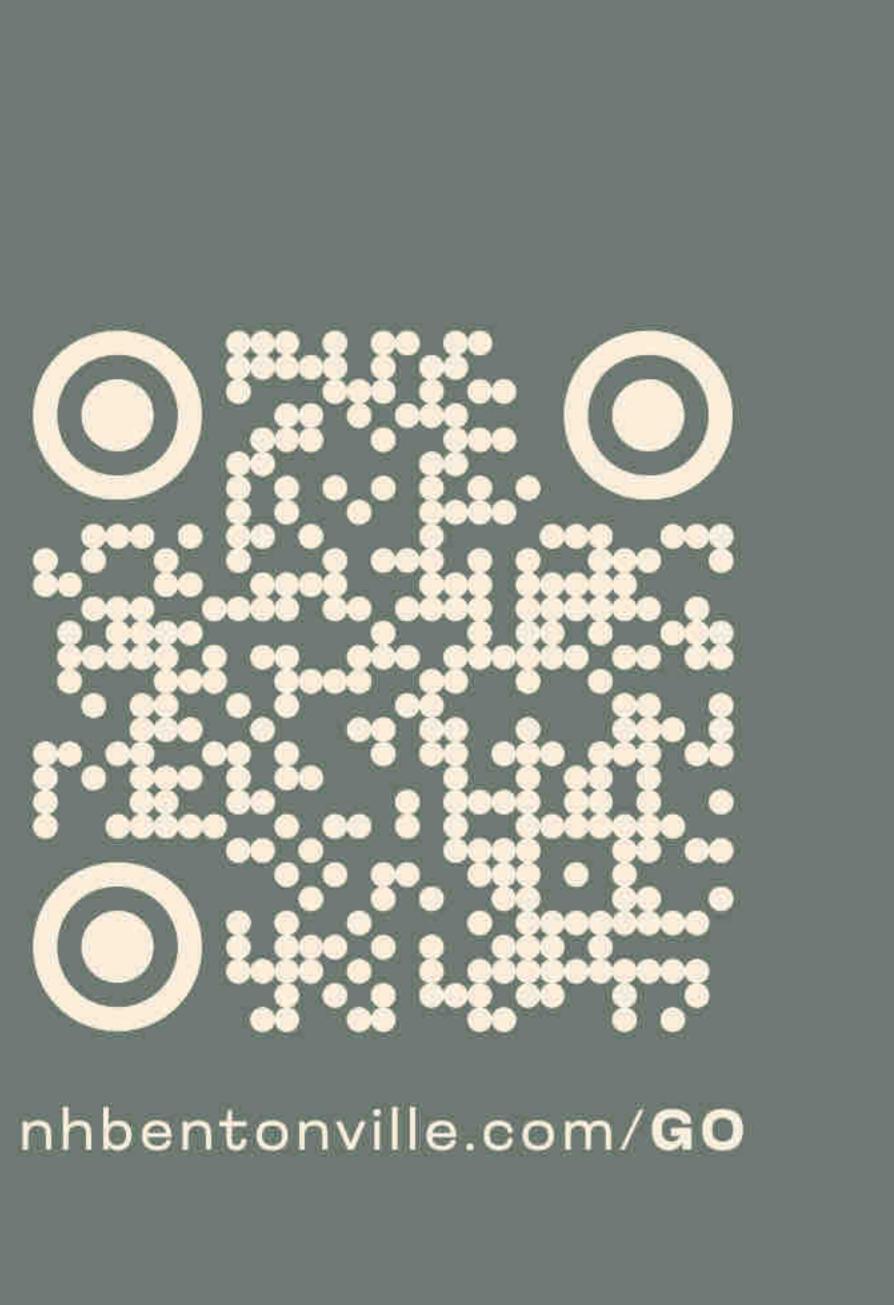


## Two-Year Goal // \$3 Million

Gifts Needed	Two-Year Gift Amount	Annual Gift Of	Monthly Gift Of	Weekly Gift Of
1	\$500,000	\$250,000	\$20,833	\$4,808
1	\$250,000	\$125,000	\$10,417	\$2,404
1	\$100,000	\$50,000	\$4,167	\$962
2	\$75,000	\$37,500	\$3,125	\$721
4	\$50,000	\$25,000	\$2,083	\$481
8	\$35,000	\$17,500	\$1,458	\$337
15	\$25,000	\$12,500	\$1,042	\$240
20	\$15,000	\$7,500	\$625	\$144
20	\$10,000	\$5,000	\$417	\$96
25	\$7,500	\$3,750	\$313	\$72
50	\$5,000	\$2,500	\$208	\$48
75	\$2,500	\$1,250	\$104	\$24
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			Total Gift Goal	\$3,000,000









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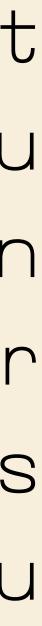


#### Matthew 6:24-27 ESV

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<sup>25</sup> "Therefore I tell you, do not be anxious about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink, nor about your body, what you will put on. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothing? <sup>26</sup> Look at the birds of the air: they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? <sup>27</sup> And which of you







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## <sup>28</sup> And why are you anxious about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow: they neither toil nor spin, <sup>29</sup> yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. <sup>30</sup> But if God so clothes the grass of the field, which today is alive and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will





#### Matthew 6:31-34 ESV

<sup>31</sup> Therefore do not be anxious, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' <sup>32</sup> For the Gentiles seek after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them all. <sup>33</sup> But seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be added to you.<sup>34</sup> "Therefore do not be anxious about tomorrow, for tomorrow will be anxious for itself. Sufficient for the day is its own trouble.









## Trust in God's Provision

1. Worry Consumes





## I. Worry Consumes

a. Our thoughts







cannot control.

## Worry is the habit of meditating on what we





## I. Worry Consumes

## a. Our thoughts

b. Our future





## Trust in God's Provision

- Worry Consumes
- Worry Exposes





## Exodus 3 - Tempted

"Did God really say...?"  $\rightarrow$  Doubt God's Goodness. "You will be like God..."  $\rightarrow$  Take control for yourself





## **II. Worry Exposes**

#### A belief that God is not good a.





#### Romans 8:32 ESV

<sup>32</sup> He who did not spare his own Son but gave him up for us all, how will he not also with him graciously give us all things?





## **Worry Exposes**

## a. A belief that God is not good b. A desire for control

WITH GOD



## Circle of Concern vs. Circle of Control

How Reactive People Act

Large Circle of Concern and a small Circle of Control. A lot of time and energy is wasted reacting to issues that they can't control.

Circle of Concern

The sex lives of celebrities and politicians

The economy

The weather

The news

What other people think of you Where you live Where you work What you read What you buy

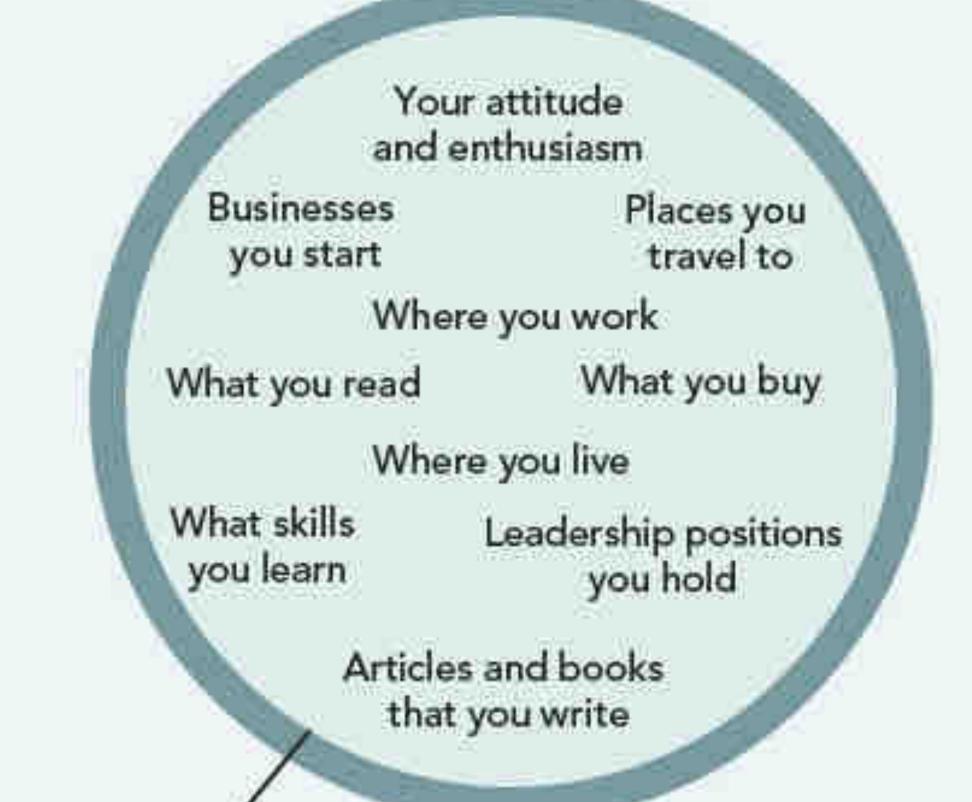
Political views of others

Natural disasters

Wars, weapons, and terrorist threats

Circle of Control

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#### Matthew 6:27 ESV

### <sup>27</sup> And which of you by being anxious can add a single hour to his span of life?







## Question:

## What would your life look like if you stopped trying to **CONTROL what only God can?**







#### **1 Peter 5:7 ESV**

## <sup>7</sup> Cast on all of your anxiety on him, because he cares for you.



## Trust in God's Provision

- Worry Consumes
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- Trust Frees





## **Trust Frees**

a. To see we are valuable





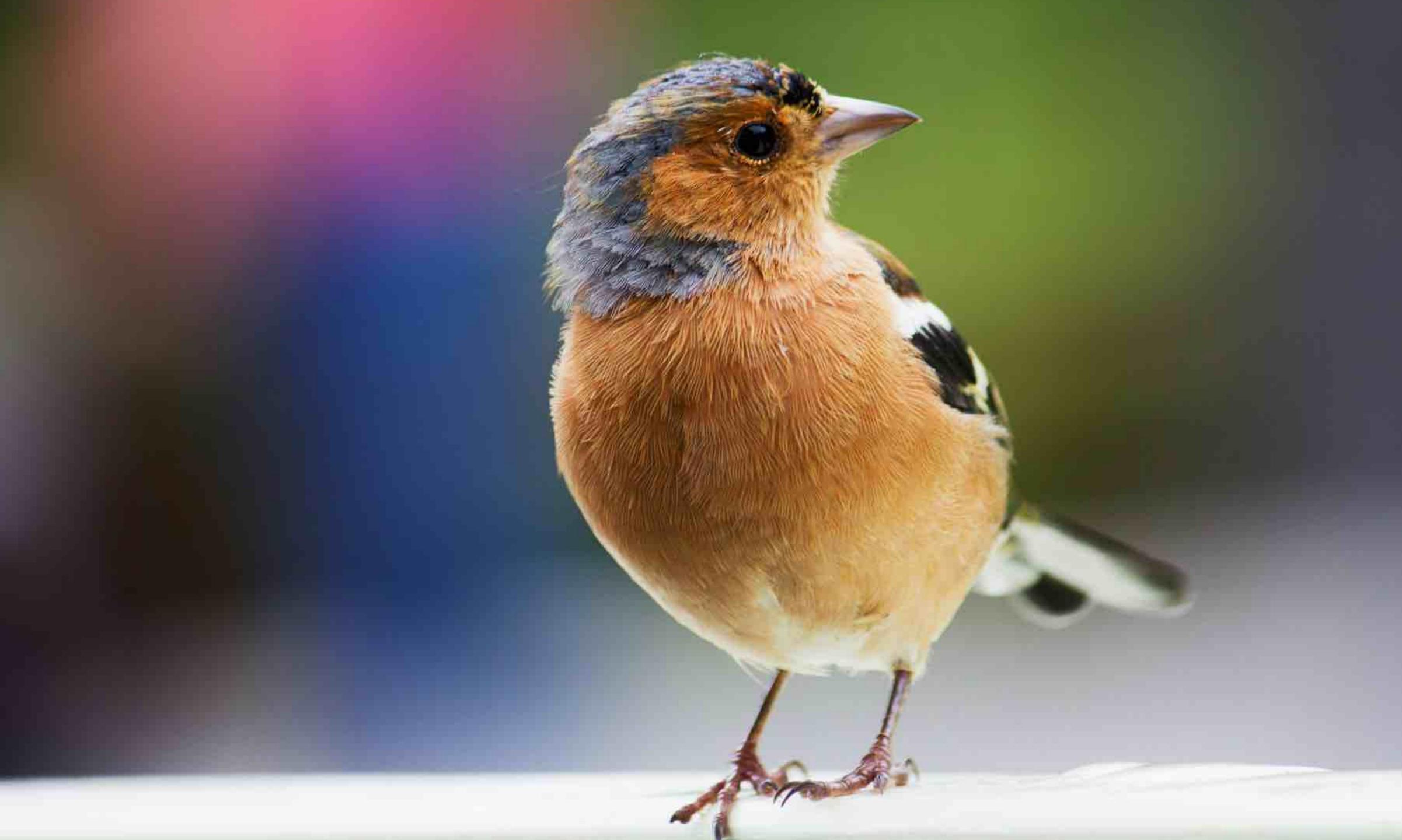
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Worry is essentially distrust of God. Such a distrust may be understandable in pagans who believe in a jealous, capricious, unpredictable god; but it is beyond comprehension in anyone who has learned to call God by the name of Father. Christians cannot worry because they believe in the love of God.

**William Barclay** 





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#### Philippians 4:6-7 ESV

<sup>6</sup> do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. 7 And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.





## Question:

## What worry is burdening your heart right now?





