## Transformation Card

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## Sermon Audio Input

Full Msg. Title: The Upside of Suffering

Short Ver. Title: Romans 042
Series Title\*: Romans

Text: Romans 8:18-25
Key Words: Suffering, Glory, Hope

## Message Outline

# The Upside of Suffering Romans 8:18-25

- I. Suffering is <u>Part</u> of God's Good Plan
- II. Current Suffering Precedes Future Glory
- III. Hope Rises from Suffering Embraced

# Examine the Scriptures (Be Berean!)

• Romans 5:1-11

# Consider & Discuss (Be Transformed!)

- In what way are our sufferings part of God's plan of restoration?
- In what way should the Christians consider their sufferings to be prerequisites to their future glory?
- How is childbirth a good illustration of our current suffering and our future glory?
- How can seeing sufferings in this light give rise to your well founded hope?
- What should your attitude be in light of the real sufferings you face in your life?

### Memory & Meditation Verse

For I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory that is to be revealed to us. Romans 8:18 (NASB)

#### Community Life

Community Groups have restarted. .

#### Next Week

Romans 8:26-27 (Read all of 8)