

DON'T PANIC

FOCAL PASSAGE: 2 Tim 4:5 & 2 Cor 4:8

BIBLICAL TRUTH: God does not want us to give up when times get tough, He wants us to be a witness to His provisions.

BUSINESS IMPACT: By holding firm and trusting in the Lord He will see you through the tough times and you and your business will be a testimony.

2 Timothy 4:5 *But keep your head in all situations, endure hardship, do the work of an evangelist.*

2 Cor 4:8 *But we are hard pressed on every side, but not crushed; perplexed, but not in despair;*

Does it feel like the economy is struggling, or your business isn't as good as it was 6 or 12 months ago?

First check and see if it is something that you can control or change, if not then you need to realize that it is just a downtrend in the economy.

Downtrends can cycle on and off many times over the life of a

business and you can believe that it will put your business to the test.

Some will make it and some will not. The important thing is not to panic and to keep a cool head and trust in the Lord.

The Lord will take care of you and your business and will see you through the difficult times.

This is also a great time to be a witness for the Lord and to tell/show people how you are putting your trust in your Lord and Savior.

It's easy to trust in the Lord when everything is going your way but the real test comes when you no longer have control.

Pray— that God will give you the boldness to trust in Him and be a testimony to others during tough times.