

# “JESUS, FIX MY LIFE!”

Bible Study Lesson – Broken 2 Beautiful

**Definition of “fix” Strong's Number: [g4741](#)**

**Greek: *sterizo***

1. to make stable, place firmly, set fast, fix
2. to strengthen, make firm
3. to render constant, confirm, one's mind

**1 Peter 3:17** (NLT)

Remember, it is better to suffer for doing good, if that is what God wants, than to suffer for doing wrong!

**1 Peter 2:19** (NLT)

For God is pleased with you when you do what you know is right and patiently endure unfair treatment.

***“Whatever God allows in our life is by default **PERFECT** for what God wants to accomplish, or God wouldn't be God.” –Brent Riggs***

**//When we ask Jesus to fix our lives, He must first make us **STABLE**.**

- A. Sometimes he heals and restores the broken things...
  - **Gen 20:17 NKJV** So Abraham prayed to God; and God **healed** Abimelech, his wife, and his female servants. Then they bore children;
  - **Ps 147:3 AMP** He **heals** the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds [curing their pains and their sorrows].
  - **Job 42:10 NKJV** And the Lord **restored** Job's losses when he prayed for his friends. Indeed the Lord gave Job twice as much as he had before.
- B. Sometimes he requires new things. (not all things should be fixed)
  - **Jer 18:4 NIV** But the pot he was shaping from the clay was marred in his hands; so the potter **formed it into another pot**, shaping it as seemed best to him.
  - **2 Cor 5:17 AMP** Therefore if any person is [ingrafted] in Christ (the Messiah) he is a **new creation** (a **new creature** altogether); the old [previous moral and spiritual condition] has passed away. Behold, the **fresh and new** has come!

- **Is 43:19 NLT** For I am about to do *something new*. See, I have already begun! Do you not see it? I will make a pathway through the wilderness. I will create rivers in the dry wasteland.

**// When we ask Jesus to fix our lives, He then makes us STRONG.**

- A. Sometimes he gives us our own strength...
  - **2Th 3:3 NLT** But the Lord is faithful; he will *strengthen you* and guard you from the evil one.
  - **Is 40:31 MSG** He energizes those who get tired, *gives fresh strength* to dropouts. For even young people tire and drop out, young folk in their prime stumble and fall. But those who wait upon God get fresh strength. They spread their wings and soar like eagles, they run and don't get tired, they walk and don't lag behind.
- B. Sometimes he makes us rely on His.
  - **1 Chr 16:11 NKJV** Seek the Lord and *His strength*; Seek His face evermore!
  - **Ps 28:8 NIV** *The Lord is the strength* of his people, a fortress of salvation for his anointed one.
  - **2 Cor 12:9 NKJV** And He said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for *My strength* is made perfect in weakness." Therefore most gladly I will rather boast in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest upon me.

**// When we ask Jesus to fix our lives, He finally makes us STEADFAST.**

- (firmly fixed in place : [immovable](#); **b** : not subject to change; **2**: firm in belief, determination, or adherence)
  - **Ps 51:10 AMP** Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right, persevering, and *steadfast spirit* within me.
  - **Ps 112:7 NIV** They will have no fear of bad news; their *hearts are steadfast*, trusting in the Lord.
  - **1 Cor 15:58 NLT** So, my dear brothers and sisters, be *strong and immovable*. Always work enthusiastically for the Lord, for you know that nothing you do for the Lord is ever useless.



**Isaiah 61:3** *To console those who mourn in Zion, To give them **beauty for ashes**, The oil of joy **for** mourning, The garment of praise **for** the spirit of heaviness; That they may be called trees of righteousness, The planting of the Lord, that He may be glorified."*

**Romans 8:28** *And we know that all things work together for good to those who love God, to those who are the called according to His purpose.*

**Summary:**

When he "fixes" something, he gets to the root of the issue and fixes the underlying things we cannot see so that He can get the most glory from our lives. The way that Jesus decides to get glory doesn't always "look" like we want it to look. It's not the popular answer...the Jesus we talk about today is touted as only giving victory, success and restoration. But that's only part of the story. When you ask Jesus to "Fix My Life," you are essentially asking him to make you stable, strong and steadfast as you continue along your journey. Realize that He can and will "fix it," but don't assume that when the answer comes, it will always be for your comfort.

**Prayer:**

Thank you that you are the greatest "fixer" ever! We praise you for your awesome power to fix even the most damaged and mangled mess of things in our lives, caused by our poor decisions or lack of discipline, or that of someone else. Help us to remember that your ways are not our ways, and your thoughts are not our thoughts...they are so much higher than ours, and you see the beginning to the end. Help us to trust you in all things, all situations, no matter how difficult. Yes, we desire that You restore, heal, and deliver, but nevertheless, not our will, but YOUR WILL be done in our lives. Jesus, fix our lives! Make us stable, make us strong, and make us steadfast as we follow you. In your precious name we pray, Amen!

**Resources:**

**Blue Letter Bible** - <http://v3.blueletterbible.org/lang/lexicon/lexicon.cfm?strongs=G4741>

**Blog of Brent Riggs** - <http://www.brentriggblog.com/2009/08/give-me-fix-me-restore-me-bless-me/>

