

Redeemer Presbyterian Church (PCA)

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AN OUTLINE FOR TODAY'S SERMON

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SUFFERING AND COMFORT

2 Corinthians 1:5-7

I. Doctrine: *Sanctified* “Suffering and Comfort” Is

_____ ***All In Christ (Alone)***

- A. *—Because of This, [Hardship] Is* _____
Worthwhile— . . . , (2 Cor. 1:5)
- B. . . . *—Since, Through Stress [and Relief from it] God*
_____ *us Into Jesus’ Image, (Rom. 8:16-17, 29)*

II. The _____ of Christian Suffering and Comfort,
vv. 5-7

- A. *—It Is Something* _____ *Experienced (in Jesus), v. 5*
- B. *—It Is Something Undergone For* _____ *Other (in the*
Church), v. 6
- C. *—It Is Something That* _____ *Establishes our Faith*
(in Christ), v. 7

**III. Why Suffering and Comfort Is _____ For The Elect/
Redeemed Church**

- A. *—Because It Is The* _____ *God Uses To Make us Hap-*
py and Holy In Christ, (2 Cor. 1:5)
- B. *—Because It Is The* _____ *God Communicates His Practical*
Love To us In Christ, (2 Cor. 1:6-7)

Key Verse—v. 5: *“For as we share abundantly in Christ’s sufferings, so through Christ we share abundantly in comfort too.” (ESV)*