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"For we are God's workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do." ~ Ephesians 2:10

The sole survivor of a shipwreck was managed to build a crude hut, in which he placed the few items he had been able to bring from the ship. He prayed for deliverance, and anxiously scanned the horizon for any ship that might happen to pass by.

One day, upon returning from a hunt for food, he was horrified to find his hut engulfed in flames. All he had was gone, and he felt that even God had deserted him. But, the very next day a ship arrived at the island and sent a boat ashore to rescue the man. "We saw your smoke signal," the captain said.

God has his own ways of dealing with us. Very often they are not ways which

we would choose for ourselves. They process, our Heavenly Father can worse instead of better.

cast upon an uninhabited island. He of our adversity comes blessing, and out of our failures, faith grows. Far from meaning that God has abandoned us, more trouble often means that God God works mercifully in our lives. He is very much at work on our behalf. For one thing, He wants us to T understand that the answer, when it | comes is from Him, and not from coincidence or our own efforts. God has a way of insuring that we know He has been at work. His sometimes round-about answers work to increase our faith, because we know that only God could have worked this way.

> God is more interested in us than in our problems. Many times, He works to solve our problems and develop our character at the same time. In the

often appear to be the absolute prune away the superfluous foliage opposite to what we desired. God that robs His children of fruitfulness. seems to have a way of making things Sometimes, He will take away temporal blessings and earthly But God knows what he is doing. Out comforts to bring forth in us the lifeenriching fruit of the Spirit - love, joy, peace, patience, gentleness, goodness, faith, meekness and self-control.

acts in love. He is patient with us. He is not capricious. We need to learn to believe in the God who believes in us!

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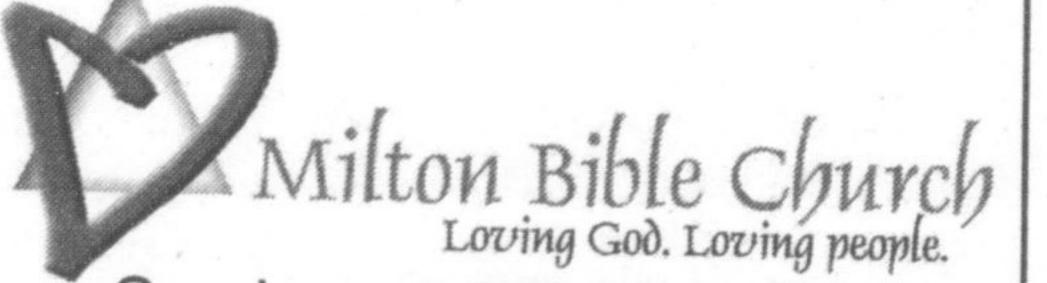
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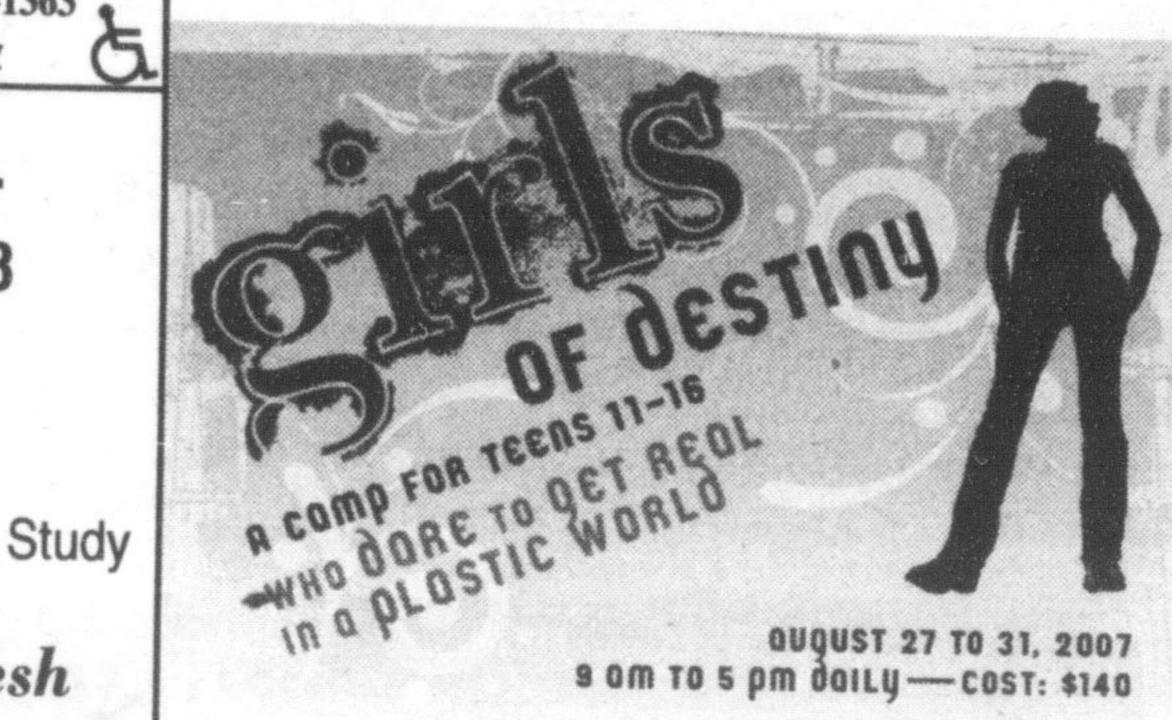
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- John 1.14



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