



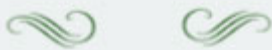
## TRAVELER'S ADVISORY

A Traveler's Advisory Remains in Effect throughout the coming year for those of us known to the world as strangers and pilgrims (Hebrews 11:13, 1 Peter 2:11). Adverse traveling conditions characterized by strong winds and stormy seas will continue to harass, threaten and discourage travelers.

Perhaps even more troublesome, we have learned that *a lion roams about seeking those whom he can devour* (1 Peter 5:8) so travelers are advised to "be sober and vigilant."

## FORECAST: Be of Good Cheer

*"These things I have spoken to you, that in Me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation; but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world."*  
(John 16:33)



**Watching the Weather Forecast** is a frequent event in our home. Being volunteer firefighters we like to know

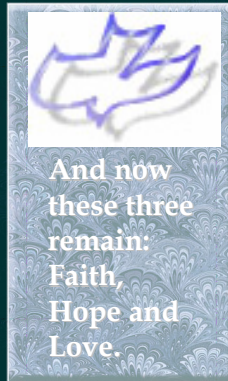
“ *Father, help us to remember that this place is not our home. Give us the wisdom, the courage and the strength to glorify Your Holy name as we make our way Home.* ”

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**Faith,** Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen. Hebrews 11:1

**Hope,** For thou art my hope, O Lord GOD: thou art my trust from my youth. Psalm 71:5

**Love,** And now abide faith, hope, love, these three; but the greatest of these is love. 1 Corinthians 13:13



about any potential storms and / or hazardous weather conditions well in advance so we can be better prepared.

God's living Word gives us that same advantage if we are mindful enough to read and heed His warnings in the Holy Bible.

Look at the passages we have quoted; **Hebrews 11:13** ~ tells us how some great men in the Bible moved in faith – knowing this was not their home.

**1 Peter 2:11** ~ literally begs us, as sojourners and pilgrims, to abstain from fleshly desires of the world.

**1 Peter 5:8** ~ cautions us to be 'sober and vigilant' because 'your adversary the devil walks about like a roaring lion, seeking whom he may devour'

**John 16:33** ~ Christ gives us comfort and offers us peace on our journey to our real home – at His side.