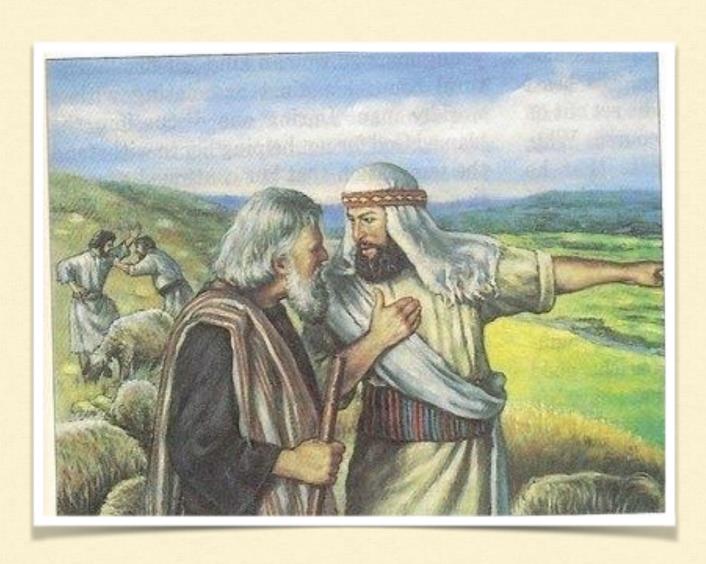


"Master, we have toiled all night and caught nothing; nevertheless at Your word I will let down the net." (Lk. 5:5)

# A TURNING POINT

# NOT EVERY TURN IS RIGHT



Eve

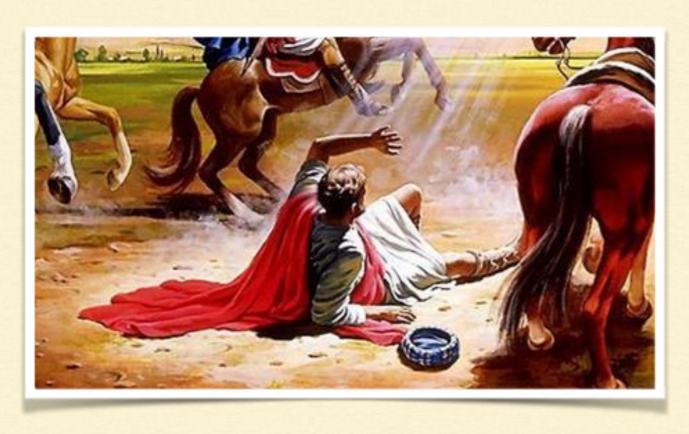
Lot

"[God] delivered righteous Lot, who was oppressed by the filthy conduct of the wicked (for that righteous man, dwelling among them, tormented his righteous soul from day to day by seeing and hearing their lawless deeds." (2 Pet. 2:7-8)

Judas

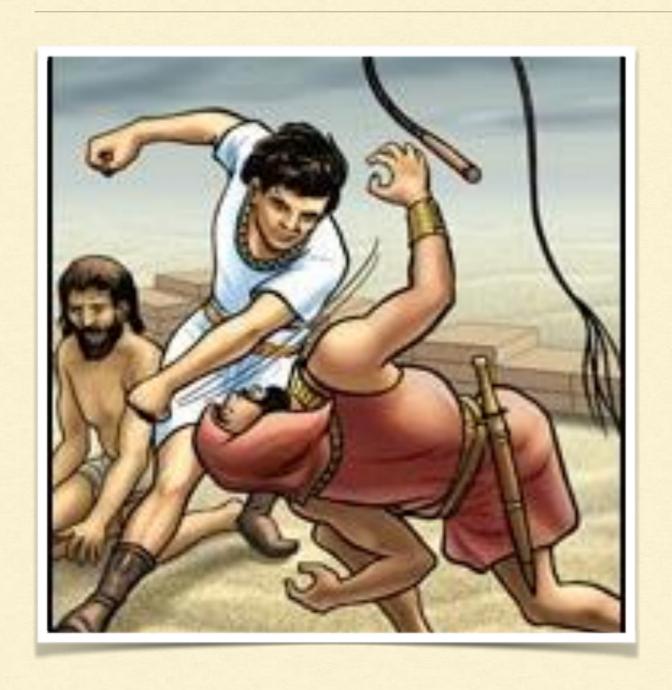
# HOW CAN WE CHANGE FOR THE BETTER?

# A DIRECT CALL FROM GOD



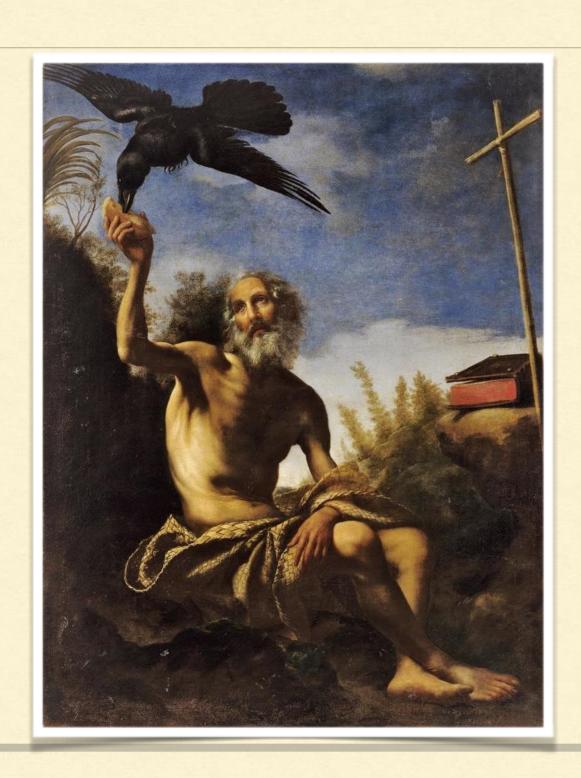
- Saul of Tarsus
- Peter and Andrew
- Levi (Matthew the Tax Collector)
  - "And He said to him, 'Follow Me.' So he arose and followed Him." (Matt. 9:9)
- St. Peter the Worshipper

# TRIALS AND/OR STRESS



- Experience of failure
  - Moses
- Survivors

## MEDITATION ON ONE'S LIFE



- St. Paul the Hermit
- St. Anthony the Great

# SUCCESS



 God may bring about change through success

## WHAT IS MY ROLE?

#### To will

- Not all who are called will accept the calling
- Parable of the Great Supper
- St. Augustine "I'm sorry. The Augustine you know is dead. This is the new Augustine, and you do not know what sort of man he is."

#### WHAT IS MY ROLE?

#### Consistency

 God is not concerned about how you start, but rather how you finish