

I'm Getting Stronger  
Summer at Gilead  
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- Theme: God's design for our lives is for our FAITH IN HIM to grow stronger but there are PEAKS AND VALLEYS along the way.  
- Psalm 84:1-7 NLT
  
- Life Happens
  - ✓ Mountains and valleys GO TOGETHER
    - We ENJOY God on the mountain, but we get to KNOW Him in the valley
  - ✓ Valleys get our ATTENTION
  - ✓ Valleys cause us to EXAMINE - Proverbs 3:5-6
  
- Three Declarations
  1. I'm getting stronger in the LORD - Psalm 84:5 NLT
    - God is my PRIORITY and sole SOURCE of strength
  2. I'm getting stronger as I TAKE STEPS FORWARD  
- Psalm 84:6 NLT
    - The long journey through obstacles happens ONE STEP AT A TIME
  3. I'm getting stronger in my PERSONAL FAITH - Psalm 84:7 NLT
    - God sees us and created us for a purpose which gives us ETERNAL PERSPECTIVE - Isaiah 40:28-31