

Strength For The Asking

A little boy was having difficulty lifting a heavy rock. His father came along just then and noting the boy's failure, he asked, "Are you using all your strength?" "Yes, I am," the boy said impatiently. "No, you're not," the father answered. "I am right here waiting, and you have not asked me to help you." When we are faced with a problem that seems unsolvable or a burden that is too heavy, we might as ourselves, "Are we using all our strength?" Our Father is waiting to help. *"Now unto him that is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that worketh in us ..."* (Ephesians 3:20). God is not going to help us lift rocks or achieve worldly success, but the illustration does help to show that He will help us in every way spiritually.

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