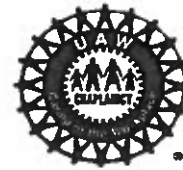




Chaplaincy Chat



Stargazing

During the darkest days of the Civil War, the hopes of the Union nearly died. When certain goals seemed unreachable, the leaders of the Union turned to President Abraham Lincoln for solace, guidance, and hope. Once, when a delegation called at the White House and detailed a long list of crises facing the nation, Lincoln told this story:

Years ago a young friend and I were out one night when a shower of meteors fell from the clear November sky. The young man frightened, but I told him to look up in the sky past the shooting stars to the firmament, and I said, "Let us not mind the meteors, but let us keep our eyes on the stars"

When times are troubled or life seems to be changing too much, keep your inner eyes of faith and hope on those things which you know to be lasting and sure. Don't limit your gaze to what you know or who you know, but focus on Whom you know. A relationship with God alone is the supreme gold. He is the source of all hope. He never changes. He will never be moved from His place as the King of Glory.

Psalm 31:24 Be of good courage, and he shall strengthen your heart, all ye that hope in the LORD.

“WE CARE”