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In the midst of Lent

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In this Equipping Dave Bergen encourages us to use the season of Lent to work towards Truth and Reconciliation. In addition, Robert Suderman guides us through the emotional conflict many of us have experienced in trying to comprehend the tragedy of the earthquake in Haiti. While the words of Job prompt us to acknowledge the “anguish of our spirit,” we must also recognize the hope and redemption of Easter.

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