Why Would I be Happy to be Persecuted? Upside Down series by Chris Famisaran

Matthew 5:10-12

Following in Jesus footsteps will be difficult.

Matthew 16:24

Following Jesus will mean pain and suffering.

How do we respond to <u>persecution</u>? Matthew 5:12

Reflection: Why should I follow Jesus when it seems like it will bring hardship?

Challenge: <u>Rejoice</u> when you face adversity and are challenged for your convictions.