

God Helps Those Who Help Themselves?

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Indeed, God does help those who help themselves, but implied in this old saying is that He doesn't help those who don't help themselves. This is not true. In fact, God specializes in helping people who cannot help themselves and who ask Him to help them. Even when we have made mistakes, when our situation is our fault, God will help us when we ask.

Hebrews 4:15-16

For we do not have a High Priest who cannot sympathize with our weaknesses, but was in all points tempted as we are, yet without sin. ¹⁶ Let us therefore come boldly to the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need.