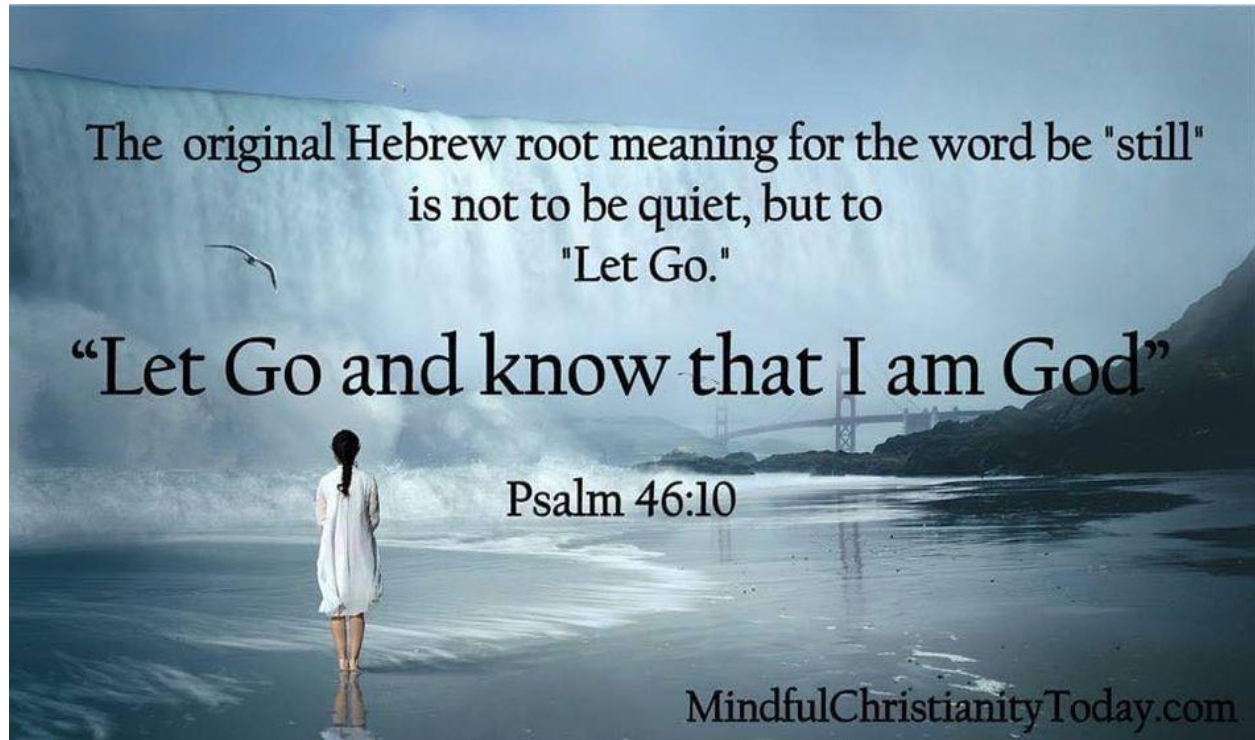


Reflection



I am not a Hebrew scholar, but I really like the slightly different take on this verse from Psalm 46. The idea of "letting go". Admitting I am not in charge, not in control is the beginning of a deep relationship with God. Twelve step programs have long asserted this idea. If I am holding on so tightly, I effectively edge God out. Letting go can be quite a fearful adventure. But I think the real test for me is "Can I let go and not try to grab it back"?!

Blessings,

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