PRAYER TO CARRY TODAY

Lord, everything is loud tonight.
My phone, my head, my own worry.
I keep waiting for You to come like a storm,
something big enough to drown the rest out.
But that's not how You came to Elijah.
You came after the wind, after the shaking,
after the fire.
So I'm turning it all down.
I'm stepping to the edge of the cave like he did.
I don't need You to be loud.
I need to hear You.
Say what You want to say,
and let me be quiet enough to catch it.

"After the earthquake a fire passed; but the LORD was not in the fire: and after the fire a still small voice."

1 KINGS 19:12 WEB

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THE QUIET VOICE

By the middle of the day the noise can be relentless. Messages, news, conversations, and the running commentary in your own head. It's easy to expect God to break through with something loud enough to cut through it all.

Elijah expected that too. Worn out and hiding in a cave, he watched a great wind tear at the mountain, then an earthquake, then a fire. But the LORD wasn't in any of them. "After the fire, there was a still small voice." God came quietly, and Elijah had to step out and listen to hear Him.

Take five minutes this afternoon to turn the volume down. Silence your phone, step away from the noise if you can, and simply listen. Ask God, "What do You want to say to me today?" Then wait, and let the quiet do its work.

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SCRIPTURE

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A PRAYER FOR TODAY

Lord, everything is loud today, and I can't hear myself think. Speak in Your still small voice, and quiet me enough to listen.