



## **I've Done Everything**

**Themes: Weakness, Love-Parent's, Desperation, Anger**

Jack realizes that he has tried every option and still cannot win this battle. He has been the active participant to keep his son.

### Main Idea

There are some battles we can't win in our own strength. We can't control everything, and sometimes we need someone else to fight for us.

### Setup

Jack has just returned from Ohio, where he confronted Rip and got into a fight with him. Molly is insistent that they keep their son and believes Jack is giving up. Jack, for the first time in his adult life, realizes he can't control this situation.

### Scripture:

Isaiah 40:30-31

Psalm 62:5-8

2 Corinthians 12:7-10

### Sermon Notes:

There are times in life when we have done all we can do. We have exhausted our resources, listened to God, sought help and pursued God's will and yet we still don't have answers. Or, God seems silent and even cruel. Other times our striving and pursuits leaves us weary and unable to go on. In those times God calls us to rest in Him – to trust Him to work out His purposes in our lives. When we are feeling least capable is when God often shows up in His power.