

# Safe from the Storm

Life Care, which has centers in Florida and along the East Coast, as well as in Texas, closely monitors developing storms during the hurricane season. While we remain prepared, we know the awesome power that can be unleashed by these forces of nature.

The safest place in South Florida during the summer may be the National Hurricane Center in Miami. The \$5 million structure boasts 10-inch concrete walls designed to withstand the force of 130 mile-per-hour winds.

Because the fierce storms come every year, the center is there to provide a safe working environment for the people who monitor the weather and issue the warnings. When other residents leave, they must stay.

Just like hurricanes, the storms of our lives arrive with unnerving regularity. Often, they strike without warning and linger without welcome, testing the limits of our faith and endurance. But God Himself is our center of safety.

It is not our strength but His that shields us from the whirling winds of circumstance and change.

--Beecher Hunter