

WAITING PATIENTLY WHEN I AM STRESSED

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1. When do we need to wait patiently as an act of faith?

- When _____.

“Be patient brothers and sisters until the Lord comes back. Consider how the farmer waits for the land to yield its valuable crop, patiently waiting for the autumn and spring rains. You too, must be patient and stand firm, because the Lord’s coming is near.” James 5:7-8

- When _____.

“Another example of patience in the face of suffering is God’s prophets who spoke God’s truth in hard times. Today we honor them for their patient endurance when they suffered unjustly.” James 5:10-11a

- When _____.

“Then remember the example of Job. Job continued to patiently trust God while enduring great pain. But we know how God fulfilled his purpose for Job and that his plan for Job ended in good because the Lord always treats us with tender compassion and merciful kindness. James 5:11

2. How do we wait patiently during these kinds of times?

- Remember _____.

“Be patient my friends until the Lord comes back.” Ja 5:7

“Be patient and stand firm because the Lord’s coming is near.” Ja 5:8

“Don’t complain...because the judge is ready to come.” Ja 5:9

- Remember _____.

“Let us not get tired of doing what is right for after a while we will reap a harvest of blessing if we don’t get discouraged and give up.” Gal. 6:9

- Remember _____.

“I know what I’m planning for you,” says the Lord. “I have good plans for you, not plans to hurt you. I’ll give you hope and a good future.” Jeremiah. 29:11 (NCV)