

## 12 - Be Patient (James 5:7-12)

### I. The Call to Patience (5:7-8)

#### A. The Call (5:7a)

- James calls us to patiently wait for \_\_\_\_\_.

#### B. The farmer (5:7b)

- Learn from the farmer who waits \_\_\_\_\_.

- The farmer waits patiently through \_\_\_\_\_.

#### C. Strengthen yourself (5:8)

- As we wait patiently, we must \_\_\_\_\_.

- This is because the \_\_\_\_\_.

### II. Don't Complain (5:9)

#### A. The command (5:9a)

- James calls his readers not to \_\_\_\_\_.

#### B. The reason (5:9b)

- He reminds us that we will \_\_\_\_\_.

#### C. Be aware (5:9c)

- Be aware that all things will be judge when \_\_\_\_\_.

### III. The Examples of Patience (5:10-11)

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## A. The Prophets (5:10-11a)

- Look to the example of the Old Testament prophets as they \_\_\_\_\_.
- They are considered bless because they \_\_\_\_\_.

## B. Job (5:11b)

- Look to the struggle and Job and the \_\_\_\_\_.
- Remember that the Lord is \_\_\_\_\_.

## IV. Swearing Oaths (5:12)

### A. Don't swear (5:12a)

- James tells his readers not to \_\_\_\_\_.
- An oath bases its truthfulness and validity based on \_\_\_\_\_.
- Don't base the truthfulness of your statements on \_\_\_\_\_.

### B. The simple answer (5:12b)

- James tells us to give a \_\_\_\_\_.
- We are to simply say \_\_\_\_\_.
- We will be \_\_\_\_\_ for what we say.