

## “Patience In Suffering” – James 5:7-12

1. Be Patient Until - \_\_\_\_\_.

Patience is NOT our natural attitude of heart and mind, is it?

**FOCUS:** Patience is NOT a “feeling of patience,” but an *exercise* of patience.

All of Christ’s promises WILL be fulfilled, but not now...only when Christ returns. So, we must wait with an “exercise of patience” until He comes again.

2. Learn from the \_\_\_\_\_. – **vs 7**

And WE...we must exercise our patience until Christ’s return too. Like farmers, we must exercise the long view of things, learning to wait for the desired results.

3. Learn from the \_\_\_\_\_. - **VS 10**

NOTE: The “face of suffering” comes **before** the patience!

If you PRAY for patience, you will NOT just get a “gift of patience” usually, but difficulties that can teach you patience.

That is why (**vs 11**) it says, we count as blessed those who persevere!!

4. \_\_\_\_\_... - **vs 12**

**Verse 12** begins with these words. They remind us of the words found in **Proverbs 4:23**: “Above all else, guard your heart.”

Here in **vs 12**, we are admonished to NOT swear, but instead to simply be HONEST! We are told to let our “Yes” be true, as well as our “No” be true.



## Fall Programming resumes Sept 5.

### Wednesday Evening Schedule...

5:30pm—High School Bible Study

6:15pm—Meal

6:40pm—Young Friends

8:00pm—End of Programming

We are still looking for a few people to prepare a meal approx. once per month, either to be in charge or to assist. If you are interested, contact Betty Kaufman.

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