

## **What Are We Waiting For?**

I wait for your salvation, O LORD. **Genesis 49:18**

The LORD said to Moses, “Come up to me on the mountain and wait there, that I may give you the tablets of stone, with the law and the commandment, which I have written for their instruction.” **Exodus 24:12**

And Moses said to them, “Wait that I may hear what the LORD will command concerning you.” **Numbers 9:8**

### **Psalms:**

Wait for the LORD; be strong, and let your heart take courage; wait for the LORD! **27:14**

Be strong and let your heart take courage, all you who wait for the LORD! **31:24**

Our soul waits for the Lord; he is our help and our shield. For our heart is glad in him, because we trust in his holy name. Let your steadfast love, O LORD, be upon us, even as we hope in you.” **33:20-22**

Be still before the LORD and wait patiently for him; fret not yourself over the one who prospers in his way, over the man who carries out evil devices! Refrain from anger, and forsake wrath! Fret not yourself; it tends only to evil. For evildoers shall be cut off, but those who wait for the LORD shall inherit the land. **37:7-9**

Wait for the LORD and keep his way, and he will exalt you to inherit the land; you will look on when the wicked are cut off. **37:34**

But for you, O LORD, do I wait; it is you, O Lord my God, who will answer. **38:15**

And now, O Lord, for what do I wait? My hope is in you. **39:7**

Be still, and know that I am God. **46:10**

The Lord says to my Lord: “Sit at my right hand, until I make your enemies your footstool.” **110:1**

I wait for the LORD, my soul waits, and in his word I hope; my soul waits for the Lord more than watchmen for the morning, more than watchmen for the morning. **130:5-6**

Do not say, “I will repay evil”; wait for the Lord, and he will deliver you. **Proverbs 20:22**

When words are many, transgression is not lacking, but whoever restrains his lips is prudent. **Proverbs 10:19**

Be not rash with your mouth, nor let your heart be hasty to utter a word before God, for God is in heaven and you are on earth. Therefore let your words be few.

**Ecclesiastes 5:2**

**Isaiah:**

I will wait for the LORD, who is hiding his face from the house of Jacob, and I will hope in him. **8:17**

It will be said on that day, "Behold, this is our God; we have waited for him, that he might save us. This is the LORD; we have waited for him; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation." **25:9**

In the path of your judgments, O LORD, we wait for you; your name and remembrance are the desire of our soul. My soul yearns for you in the night; my spirit within me earnestly seeks you. For when your judgments are in the earth, the inhabitants of the world learn righteousness. **26:8-9**

Therefore the LORD waits to be gracious to you, and therefore he exalts himself to show mercy to you. For the LORD is a God of justice; blessed are all those who wait for him. **30:18**

O LORD, be gracious to us; we wait for you. Be our arm every morning, our salvation in the time of trouble. **33:2**

Have you not known? Have you not heard? The LORD is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He does not faint or grow weary; his understanding is unsearchable. He gives power to the faint, and to him who has no might he increases strength. Even youths shall faint and be weary, and young men shall fall exhausted; but they who wait for the LORD shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings like eagles; they shall run and not be weary; they shall walk and not faint. **40:28-31**

Kings shall be your foster fathers, and their queens your nursing mothers. With their faces to the ground they shall bow down to you, and lick the dust of your feet. Then you will know that I am the LORD; those who wait for me shall not be put to shame. **49:23**

The LORD is good to those who wait for him, to the soul who seeks him. It is good that one should wait quietly for the salvation of the LORD. **Lamentations 3:25-26**

But as for me, I will look to the LORD; I will wait for the God of my salvation; my God will hear me. **Micah 7:7**

I give thanks to my God always for you because of the grace of God that was given you in Christ Jesus, that in every way you were enriched in him in all speech and all knowledge—even as the testimony about Christ was confirmed among you—so that you are not lacking in any spiritual gift, as you wait for the revealing of our Lord Jesus Christ, who will sustain you to the end, guiltless in the day of our Lord Jesus Christ.

**1 Cor 1:4-8**

Be patient, therefore, brothers, until the coming of the Lord. See how the farmer waits for the precious fruit of the earth, being patient about it, until it receives the early and the late rains. You also, be patient. Establish your hearts, for the coming of the Lord is at hand.

**James 5:7-8**

But you, beloved, building yourselves up in your most holy faith and praying in the Holy Spirit, keep yourselves in the love of God, waiting for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ that leads to eternal life. **Jude 1:20-21**

### **So...We Are Waiting For...**

- ❑ Alignment with Him
- ❑ His Judgment
- ❑ Strength and Courage
- ❑ Mercy and Grace
- ❑ The Defeat of Enemies
- ❑ Deliverance
- ❑ His Exaltation
- ❑ His Salvation
- ❑ His Instructions
- ❑ His Goodness
- ❑ The giving up of Control/Entitlement/Self-Will
- ❑ The acknowledgement of His Lordship
- ❑ Faith
- ❑ Revelation
- ❑ Greater Desire for Him
- ❑ Patience!