

How to Deal with Impatience

James 5:7-11

Introduction: Numbers 20:10-12 & Luke 9:51-56

I. Why be Patient? - v7-8

A. Because patience yields G_____ F_____.

1. The farmer's patience - v7.

2. You need the whole P_____ to yield a good crop.

3. Patience is part of the process that yields an

A_____ L_____!

B. Because God wants you ready for the Lord's

R_____ - v8 & II Peter 3:9.

II. What am I to Be Patient With? - v9-11

A. Other P_____ - v9 & Matthew 7:1-2.

1. Who's the judge?

2. "The Judge is standing at the door" is what kind of language? - Matthew 24:33, Mark 13:29 & Romans 2:16.

B. The T_____ of life - v10 & I Peter 2:20.

III. What Can I Do to Help with Impatience? - v10-11

A. Consider the examples of the P_____ - v10.

1. Elijah - I Kings 19:1-6.

2. Jeremiah - Jeremiah 38:6-10.

B. Consider the example of J_____ - v11.