

Fruit of the Spirit: The Patience Aspect

1. What is patience? Psalm 86:15

2. Who are Christians commanded to be patient with?
I Thessalonians 5:14,15
 - a. The undisciplined
 - b. The fainthearted
 - c. The weak
 - d. The harmful Colossians 3:12,13

3. How do we fulfill the command to be patient?
 - a. Prayer Colossians 1:9-12
 - b. Understanding the truth about
 - i. God
 1. _____ II Peter 3:15
 2. _____ Numbers 14:18
 3. _____ Psalm 62:1-8
 - ii. Others
 1. Children of wrath (Non-Christians)
 2. Children of God (Christians)
 - iii. Ourselves I Thessalonians 5:14

4. Who did Jesus show patience to, and what were the results?
 - a. with those who took part in His crucifixion
 - b. with his disciples
 - c. with Saul I Timothy 1:12-16

5. What is the general result of patience?

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6. WARNING

Philippians 2:12,13

Love	Willing, self giving, service
Joy	“Deep-down sense of well-being that abides in the heart as a result of knowing all is well between himself and God” John MacArthur <i>“Christian joy is a good feeling in the soul, produced by the Holy Spirit, as he causes us to see the beauty of Christ in the Word and in the world.” Piper</i>
Peace	The tranquility of mind that comes from trusting in the Character and Promises of God.
Patience	Tolerance and longsuffering that endures injuries inflicted by others, the calm willingness to accept situations that are irritating and painful
Kindness	Tender concern for others, thoughtful and encouraging
Goodness	Generously giving
Faithfulness	Loyal and Trustworthy
Gentleness	The humble and gentle attitude that is patiently submissive in every offense, while being free of any desire for revenge or retribution.
Self-control	Restraining passions, lusts, appetites

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7. What does “walking in the Spirit” accomplish?

8. The fruit of the Spirit

a. What is it in general?

b. What is it specifically?

Our following of God, produces a more healthy, vibrant fruit that blesses us and those around us more and more. That glorifies God more and more, leading to greater separation from the remnants of our old nature and exemplifying our new nature clearer and clearer to ourselves and others!