



## James 4:7-12

*Be patient, then, brothers and sisters, until the Lord's coming.*

James 5:7

*...as an example of patience in the face of suffering...*

James 5:10

James' advice in times of suffering:

### **1. Be Patient**

*...be patient...*

James 5:8

James' advice in times of suffering:

## 2. Stand Firm (Keep Trusting)

*...stand firm...*

James 5:8

*“My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness.”*

2 Corinthians 12:9

## Revelation 21:1-4

James' advice in times of suffering:

## 3. Don't Grumble

*...Don't grumble against one another...*

James 5:9

### **Job**

In the midst of bereavement, Job was patient, stood firm, trusted God and didn't grumble.

In the midst of financial disaster, Job was patient, stood firm, trusted God and didn't grumble.

In the midst of others speaking badly to and about him, Job was patient, stood firm, trusted God and didn't grumble.

In the midst of pain and illness Job was patient, stood firm, trusted God and didn't grumble.

Stay patient, stand firm, keeping trusting God and do your best not to grumble.

Even though you may not feel it.  
God hasn't finished yet.