

Waiting On The Lord Scriptures

I woke up yesterday morning with the phrase; Wait on the Lord, again I say, wait on the Lord. I immediately went to my iPad to find the Scripture that pertained to the idea to Wait upon the Lord.

Of course in my efforts to find this particular verse of Scripture, I came across 14 Scriptures, which

Psalms 27:14 KJV-“Wait on the Lord: be of good courage, and he shall strengthen thine heart: wait, I say, on the Lord.”

Isaiah 40:31 KJV-“But they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint.”

Psalms 37:7-9 - Rest in the LORD, and wait patiently for him: fret not thyself because of him who prospereth in his way, because of the man who bringeth wicked devices to pass. 8Cease from anger, and forsake wrath: fret not thyself in any wise to do evil. 9For evildoers shall be cut off: but those that wait upon the Lord, they shall inherit the earth.”

Psalms 130:5 - I wait for the LORD, my soul doth wait, and in his word do I hope.

Habakkuk 2:3-For the vision [is] yet for an appointed time, but at the end it shall speak, and not lie: though it tarry, wait for it; because it will surely come, it will not tarry.

Psalms 37:34-Wait on the LORD, and keep his way, and he shall exalt thee to inherit the land: when the wicked are cut off, thou shalt see [it].

Psalms 25:5-9 - Lead me in thy truth, and teach me: for thou [art] the God of my salvation; on thee do I wait all the day.

Psalms 40:1-3 - (To the chief Musician, A Psalm of David.) I waited patiently for the LORD; and he inclined unto me, and heard my cry.

Psalms 37:9 - For evildoers shall be cut off: but those that wait upon the LORD, they shall inherit the earth.

Psalms 62:5 - My soul, wait thou only upon God; for my expectation [is] from him.

Psalms 40:1 - (To the chief Musician, A Psalm of David.) I waited patiently for the LORD; and he inclined unto me, and heard my cry.

Isaiah 8:17 - And I will wait upon the LORD, that hideth his face from the house of Jacob, and I will look for him.

Job 14:14 - If a man die, shall he live [again]? all the days of my appointed time will I wait, till my change come.

Psalms 130:5-6 KJV-5“I wait for the Lord, my soul doth wait, and in his word do I hope. 6My soul waiteth for the Lord more than they that watch for the morning: I say, more than they that watch for the morning.”

According to the website gotquestions.org; The command to wait on the Lord is found extensively throughout the Old and New Testaments. In the Old Testament, it's more about waiting for the Lord's providential care, but most New Testament references relate to Christ's second coming.

In all cases, it is about waiting expectantly and with hope. Fundamental to being able to wait is trusting GOD's character and goodness. **Question Saints: *Do we really trust GOD? Do we really know enough about His Character and His goodness?***

The article continues by saying; Waiting on the Lord is something the godly do. It's about holding on tight, hoping with expectation and trust, knowing that our Lord is not making us wait just to see how long we can “take it.” There are times when God will delay His answer, and we will at times wonder why He seems so reluctant to intervene in our affairs: “I am worn out calling for help; my throat is parched. My eyes fail, looking for my God” (Psalm 69:3). But, knowing

the Lord, we trust that He will come at the perfect moment, not a second too soon or too late.

Waiting on the Lord necessitates two key elements: a complete dependence on God and a willingness to allow Him to decide the terms, including the timing of His plan. Trusting God with the timing of events is one of the hardest things to do. The half-joking prayer, “Lord, I need patience, and I need it RIGHT NOW,” is not far removed from the truth of how we often approach matters of spiritual growth and the Lord’s will. To wait on the Lord produces character in the life of the Christian in that it involves patience (see James 1:4). Waiting involves the passage of time, which is itself a gift of God.