



FREEDOM CHURCH

But those who hope in the LORD
will renew their strength.
They will soar on wings like eagles;
they will run and not grow weary,
they will walk and not be faint.

Isaiah 40:31





Has God

FORGOTTEN ME?

Isaiah 40v27 - My way is hidden from the Lord; my cause is disregarded by my God.

A low-angle, upward-looking shot of a group of people of various ethnicities holding hands in a circle. The hands are stacked in the center, creating a sense of unity and community. The background is a bright, clear blue sky. The text is centered over the image.

Waiting Is Not Wasting

**“Those who wait
for the Lord...”**



Waiting is not inactivity. Waiting is dependence.

Those who wait for the Lord...”

And dependence is not weakness — it is the doorway to God’s strength.

Why Waiting Feels So Hard





“They Shall Renew Their Strength”

Three Movements of Renewed Strength

A. Soaring – When God Lifts Us



**They shall mount up with
wings like eagles.**

Three Movements of Renewed Strength

- A. Soaring – When God Lifts Us
- B. Running – When God Sustains Us

**They shall run
and not be
weary.**



Three Movements of Renewed Strength

- A. Soaring – When God Lifts Us
- B. Running – When God Sustains Us
- C. Walking – When God Carries Us
Through the Ordinary

**They shall walk
and not faint.**



What Waiting with the Lord Looks Like

- Praying without scripting the answer



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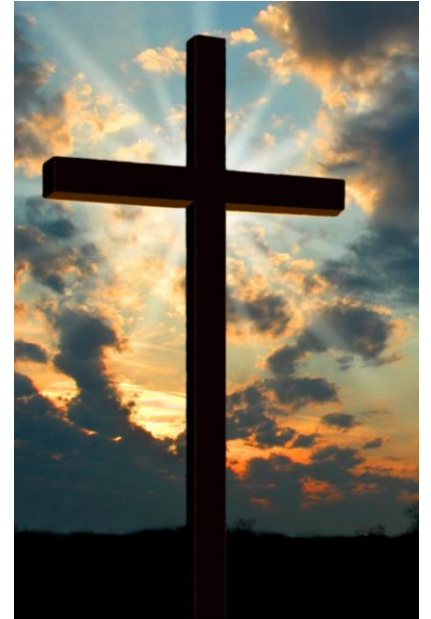
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- Returning to God even when emotion is absent



What Weakness Is Teaching Us

He gives power
to the faint, and to him
who has no might he
increases strength.

- Isaiah 40:29



What Weakness Is Teaching Us

**“When I am
weak, then I
am strong.”**

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**Waiting Changes
the Way We See
God**

A photograph of a bright sun partially obscured by dark, dramatic clouds. Sunbeams radiate from the sun, creating a powerful and hopeful atmosphere.

GOD IS PRESENT

A photograph of a sunset or sunrise with a vibrant rainbow arching across the sky. The sun is low on the horizon, casting long, soft rays of light through the clouds.

God Is Faithful

by
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A close-up photograph of a field of yellow daffodils in full bloom. The flowers are bright yellow with green centers, and their green leaves are visible in the foreground.

GOD IS GOOD

When Waiting
Feels Like Silence

When God Seems Silent



When Waiting Feels Like Silence

**Waiting often looks like nothing is happening —
until we realize something is happening in us.**



Christ: The Fulfilment of the Promise

Jesus waited
Thirty years before public
ministry.
Forty days in the
wilderness.
Long nights in prayer.
Silent suffering before
the cross.

A woman in silhouette stands on the right side of the image, looking out over a field of wildflowers. The background is a warm, golden sunset or sunrise sky. The text is overlaid on the image in a bold, white, sans-serif font with a black outline.

**JOSEPH WAITED 13 YEARS.
ABRAHAM WAITED 25 YEARS.
MOSES WAITED 40 YEARS.
JESUS WAITED 30 YEARS.**

**IF GOD IS MAKING YOU WAIT,
YOU'RE IN GOOD COMPANY.**

Christ: The Fulfilment of the Promise

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**Waiting is not wasted.
Trust is not foolish.
Weakness is not final.
Because God's strength raises the dead.**

**JOSEPH WAITED 13 YEARS.
ABRAHAM WAITED 25 YEARS.
MOSES WAITED 40 YEARS.
JESUS WAITED 3 YEARS.
GOD IS MAKING YOU WAIT,
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**A Word
to the
Weary
Today**

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Choosing to Wait Well

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