

2 Peter 3:8-9 NLT

But you must not forget this one thing, dear friends: A day is like a thousand years to the Lord, and a thousand years is like a day. The Lord isn't really being slow about his promise, as some people think. No, he is being patient for your sake. He does not want anyone to be destroyed, but wants everyone to repent.

Patience grows best when we understand that time works for God, not against us!

Chronos: Length or measuring of time

Kairos: The exact right moment in time

James 1:2-4 MEV

My brothers, count it all joy when you fall into diverse temptations, knowing that the trying of your faith develops patience. But let patience perfect its work, that you may be perfect and complete, lacking nothing.

Cease negativity

Philippians 4:8 ESV

Finally, brothers, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is commendable, **if there is any** excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things.

Hebrews 12:1-3 CEV

Such a large crowd of witnesses is all around us! So we must get rid of everything that slows us down, especially the sin that just won't let go. And we must be determined to run the race that is ahead of us. We must keep our eyes on Jesus, who leads us and makes our faith complete. He endured the shame of being nailed to a cross, because he knew that later on he would be glad he did. Now he is seated at the right side of God's throne! So keep your mind on Jesus, who put up with many insults from sinners. Then you won't get discouraged and give up.

Believe in more

Ecclesiastes 3:11 NLT

Yet God has made everything beautiful for its own time. He has planted eternity in the human heart, but even so, people cannot see the whole scope of God's work from beginning to end.

Embrace the wait

Psalms 27:14 ESV

Wait for the LORD; be strong, and let your heart take courage; wait for the LORD!

Psalms 25:5 HCSB

Guide me in Your truth and teach me, for You are the God of my salvation; I wait for You all day long.

Response

I'm trusting in God's timing!